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ACADEMIC RECORD

- B.Sc. in Agriculture, School of Agriculture, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (AUT)
- M.Sc. in Plant Breeding and Physiology, School of Agriculture, AUT.
M.Sc. thesis title: 'Seasonal variation of nutrient elements concentration in olive (*Olea europaea* L.) plants cv. Chondrolia Chalkidikis and Amfissis irrigated with high boron water'
- Ph.D., Laboratory of Pomology, School of Agriculture, AUT.
Ph.D. thesis title: 'Study of boron toxicity in olive tree'

Foreign languages

English (Certificate of Proficiency in English, Univ. of Michigan)

Italian (Diploma di Lingua Italiana, Istituto Italiano di Cultura di Salonicco)

French (Certificat de Langue Française, Institut Français de Thessalonique)

RESEARCH/ PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

A) Co-operator at the Institute of Soil Science of Thessaloniki, Department of Soil Fertility and Plant Nutrition (ELGO-DIMITRA, formerly ETHIAGE)(2002-2005).

B) Scientific responsible of the Democritus University of Thrace in "Social Agri-Entrepreneurship for People with Special Needs in the Cross-Border Region"). Funding Agency: INTERREG V-A Greece - Bulgaria 2014-2020 Cooperation Program (European Regional Development Fund and National resources). Time period: 10/2017- 7/2021.

C) Member of the coordinating group of 7 members in the program "Psychosocial Support and Accessibility Structure for the Students of Democritus University of Thrace" Action "Supporting social care interventions for students of the Democritus University of Thrace". Duration: 2+ years.

D) Member of scientific group in "PLAN FOR STRENGTHENING THE COMPETITIVENESS OF THE PRIMARY SECTOR IN THE PAMTH, IMPROVING PRODUCTION METHODS AND DEVELOPING INNOVATIVE PROMOTION TOOLS." (KE 83025)

EDUCATIONAL ACTIVITY

Technological and Educational Institute of Thessaloniki

Scientific co-operator (2003-2005): Leaf diagnosis, Olive Production

Democritus University of Thrace, Dept. of Agricultural Development, Laboratory of Pomology

Adjunct lecturer 407/80 (2002-2005), Lecturer (2005-2010), Assistant Professor (2010-2015), Associate Professor (2015-2020) and Full Professor (2020-today): General Pomology, Specialized Pomology- Deciduous fruit trees, Specialized Pomology- Evergreen fruit trees, Plant Physiology, Fruit Tree Physiology (M.Sc. program)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Fruit tree nutrition and physiology; Stress response of fruit trees; Boron nutrition in plants; Applied physiology of fruit trees; Propagation of fruit trees; New – alternative crops in pomology

OTHER SCIENTIFIC ACTIVITIES

Reviewer in scientific journals:

Acta Agric. Scandinavica Soil and Plant Science, Acta Physiologiae Plantarum, Agronomy, Archives of Agronomy and Soil Science, Biologia Plantarum, Brazilian Journal of Botany, Central European Journal of Biology, Ciencia e Agrotecnologia, Communications in Soil Science and Plant Analysis, Ecotoxicology and Environmental Safety, European Journal of Horticultural Science, Horticulturae, Horticultural Science, HortScience, Journal of Agric. Science and Technology, Journal of Agricultural Science, Journal of Experimental Botany (ΦΥΤΟΝ), Journal of Plant Nutrition and Soil Science, Journal of Plant Physiology, Journal of Plant Nutrition, Journal of Soil Science and Plant Nutrition, Journal of the Science of Food and Agriculture, Pedosphere, Pesquisa Agropecuária Brasileira, Plant Physiology & Biochemistry, Plants, Plos One, Scientia Horticulturae, Soil Science and Plant Nutrition, Spanish Journal of Agricultural Science, Tree Physiology

- **Review Editor** of the journal Frontiers in Plant Science- Plant Nutrition (MDPI)

- **Review Editor** of the journal Frontiers in Horticulture – Viticulture, Pomology and Soft Fruits (MDPI)

- **Associate Editor** of the journal Technology in Horticulture (Maximum Academic Press)

- **Guest Editor** of Special Issue “Fruit Crops Physiology and Nutrition” of the journal Applied Sciences (MDPI)

Member of scientific organizations

- International Society for Horticultural Science (ISHS)
- Greek Society for Horticultural Science
- Scientific Society of Olive Encyclopaedists

PUBLICATIONS

Scientific journals

1. Chatzissavvidis C.A., Therios I.N. and Antonopoulou C. 2004. Seasonal variation of nutrient concentration in two olive (*Olea europaea* L.) cultivars irrigated with high boron water. *Journal of Horticultural Science and Biotechnology*, 79(5): 683-688.

2. Antonopoulou C., Dimassi K., Therios I. and Chatzissavvidis C. 2004. The influence of radiation quality on the *in vitro* rooting and nutrient concentrations of peach rootstock. *Biologia Plantarum*, 48(4): 549-553.
3. Chatzissavvidis C.A., I.N. Therios and A.N. Molassiotis. 2005. Seasonal variation of nutritional status of olive plants as affected by boron concentration in nutrient solution. *Journal of Plant Nutrition*, 28: 309-321.
4. Molassiotis A., Therios I., Dimassi K., Diamantidis G. and Chatzissavvidis C. 2005. Induction of Fe(III)-chelate reductase activity by ethylene and salicylic acid in iron-deficient peach rootstocks explants. *Journal of Plant Nutrition*, 28(4): 669-682.
5. Almaliotis D., D. Velemis, A. Mattheou[†], T. Sotiropoulos, C. Chatzissavvidis. 2004. Sufficiency leaf nutrient levels of vines in relation to fruit yield and quality. *Journal of Balkan Ecology*, 7(3): 274-281.
6. Antonopoulou C., Dimassi K., Therios I., Chatzissavvidis C., Tsirakoglou V. 2005. Inhibitory effects of riboflavin (vitamin B₂) on the *in vitro* rooting and nutrient concentration of explants of peach rootstock GF 677 (*Prunus amygdalus* x *P. persica*). *Scientia Horticulturae*, 106: 268-272.
7. Almaliotis D., D. Velemis, C. Chatzissavvidis, T. Sotiropoulos and S. Bladenopoulou. 2005. Sufficiency leaf nutrient levels of apple trees in relation to fruit yield. *Journal of Balkan Ecology*, 8(2): 151-157.
8. Almaliotis D., N. Karagiannidis, S. Bladenopoulou, A. Papadopoulos and C. Chatzissavvidis. 2005. Nutritional status of olive trees in relation to fruit yield. *Journal of Balkan Ecology*, 8(2): 159-165.
9. Almaliotis D., C. Chatzissavvidis, S. Bladenopoulou and D. Velemis. 2006. Nutritional status of maize in relation to crop yield at Vegoritis district in northern Greece. *Journal of Balkan Ecology*, 9(1): 71-76.
10. Almaliotis D., Chatzissavvidis C., Bladenopoulou S. and Velemis D. 2006. Nutritional status of cotton in relation to crop yield at Thrace district in northern Greece. *Journal of Balkan Ecology*, 9(1): 77-82.
11. Avramaki E., Chatzissavvidis C. and Papadakis I. 2006. Effects of different iron sources on mineral concentration in gardenia (*Gardenia jasminoides* Ellis) plants. *Journal of Biological Research*, (IF: 1,364), 6: 227-230.
12. Avramaki E., Chatzissavvidis C. and Papadakis I. 2007. Effects of NaCl and Fe-EDDHA concentration on salt toxicity and chemical composition of gardenia (*Gardenia jasminoides* Ellis) plants. *Journal of Biological Research*, 7: 99-104.
13. Avramaki E., Chatzissavvidis C., Papadakis I. and I. Therios. 2007. Enhancement of P, K, Ca, Zn and Fe accumulation in gardenia plants (*Gardenia jasminoides*) grown in nutrient solution as a function of P and Fe interaction. *Bulgarian Journal of Agricultural Science*, 13: 325-331.
14. Papadakis I.E., Veneti G., Chatzissavvidis C., Sotiropoulos T.E., Dimassi K.N. and Therios I.N. 2007. Growth, mineral composition, leaf chlorophyll and water relationships of two cherry varieties under NaCl-induced salinity stress. *Soil Science and Plant Nutrition*, 53: 252-258.
15. Almaliotis D., Chatzissavvidis C., Marnasidis S., Sotiropoulos T. and Papadakis I., 2007. The effect of different fertilizers on nutritional status and fruit quality of the clingstone peach cv. Andross. *Agrochimica*, 51 (4-5): 244-253.

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- 17.** Chatzissavvidis C.A., I.N. Therios and C. Antonopoulou. 2007. Effect of nitrogen source on olives growing in soils with high boron content. *Australian Journal of Experimental Agriculture* (σήμερα: *Australian Society of Animal Production*), 47: 1491-1497.
- 18.** Chatzissavvidis C., I. Therios, C. Antonopoulou and K. Dimassi. 2008. Effects of high boron concentration and scion-rootstock combination on growth and nutritional status of olive plants. *Journal of Plant Nutrition*, 31: 638-658.
- 19.** Papadakis I., Chatzissavvidis C., Therios I. and E. Protopapadakis. 2008. Changes in leaf Mn concentrations in mature 'Washington Navel' orange trees with different Mn status after a single foliar application of MnSO₄. *European Journal of Horticultural Science*, 73(4): 162-165.
- 20.** Chatzissavvidis C., Veneti G., Papadakis I. and Therios I. 2008. Effect of NaCl and CaCl₂ on the antioxidant mechanism of leaves and stems of the rootstock CAB-6P (*Prunus cerasus* L.) under *in vitro* conditions. *Plant Cell, Tissue & Organ Culture*, 95: 37-45.
- 21.** Koukoulakis P.H., Papadopoulos A., Chatzissavvidis C., Paschalides C.H. and V. Kavvadias. 2008. The effect of N and Zn and their interrelationships in maize nutrition grown in calcareous soils. *Bulgarian Journal of Ecological Science - Ecology and Future*, vol. 7, No 2, 25-28.
- 22.** Almaliotis D., Karagiannidis N., Chatzissavvidis C., Sotiropoulos T. and Bladenopoulou S., 2008. Mycorrhizal colonization of table grapevines (cv. Victoria) and its relationship with certain soil parameters and plant nutrition. *Agrochimica*, LII- N.3 May-June: 129-136.
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- 25.** Chatzissavvidis C., C. Antonopoulou, I. Papadakis, I. Therios and K. Dimassi. 2010. Effects of NAA and vitamin B2 on *in vitro* rooting of Citrus. *Acta Agriculturae Scandinavica Section B-Plant Soil Science*, 60:189-192.
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- 27.** Antoniadis V., Paparnakis A. and Chatzissavvidis C. 2012. Boron behavior in apple plants in acidic and limed soil. *Journal of Plant Nutrition and Soil Science*, 176:267-272.
- 28.** Koukoulakis P., Chatzissavvidis C., Papadopoulos A. and Pontikis D. 2012. Interactions between leaf macro, micronutrients and soil properties in pistachio (*Pistacia vera* L.) orchards. *Acta Botanica Croatica*, 72: 295-310.
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- 32.** Saykhul A., Chatzissavvidis C., Dimassi K., Therios I., Chatzistathis T. 2014. Growth and nutrient status of olive plants as influenced by foliar potassium applications. *Journal of Soil Science and Plant Nutrition*, 14(3):602-615.
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- 35.** Sarafi E., Chatzissavvidis C. and I. Therios. 2014. Effect of calcium and boron on the ion status, carbohydrate and proline content, gas exchange parameters and growth performance of pomegranate cv. Wonderful plants grown under NaCl stress. *Turkish Journal of Agricultural and Natural Sciences*, 2: 1606-1617.
- 36.** Sarropoulou V., Chatzissavvidis C., Dimassi-Theriou K., Therios I. 2015. Effect of asparagine, cysteine, citrulline, and glutamine on *in vitro* rooting and biochemical constituents in cherry rootstocks. *Biologia Plantarum* 60(1):1-12.
- 37.** Mastrogiannidou E., Chatzissavvidis C., Antonopoulou C., Tsampardoukas V., Giannakoula A., Therios I. 2016. Response of pomegranate cv. Wonderful plants to salinity. *Journal of Soil Science and Plant Nutrition* 16(3): 621-636.
- 38.** Sarafi E., C. Chatzissavvidis, I. Therios. 2017. Response of two pomegranate (*Punica granatum* L.) cultivars to six boron concentrations: Growth performance, nutrient status, gas exchange parameters, chlorophyll fluorescence and proline and carbohydrate content. *Journal of Plant Nutrition* 40: 983-994.
- 39.** Sarafi E., Tsouvaltzis P., Chatzissavvidis C., Siomos A., Therios I. 2017. Melatonin and resveratrol reverse the toxic effect of high B and modulate biochemical parameters in pepper plants (*Capsicum annuum* L.). *Plant Physiol. Biochem.* 112:173-182.
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- 42.** Antonopoulou C., Dimassi K., Therios I., Chatzissavvidis C. 2017. Does dikegulac affect *in vitro* shoot proliferation and hyperhydricity incidence in olive explants? *Horticultural Science* 45(3):125-130.
- 43.** Sarafi E., A. Siomos P. Tsouvaltzis, C. Chatzissavvidis. I. Therios. 2017. Boron and maturity effects on biochemical parameters and antioxidant activity of pepper (*Capsicum annuum* L.) cultivars. *Turk. J. Agric. & Forestry* 42:237-247.
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<https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s40502-018-0388-2>
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- 47.** Chatzistathis T., Papadakis I.E., Papaioannou A., Chatzissavvidis C., Giannakoula A. 2020. Comparative study effects between manure application and a controlled-release fertilizer on the growth, nutrient uptake, photosystem II activity and photosynthetic rate of *Olea europaea* L. (cv. 'Koroneiki'). *Scientia Horticulturae* 264: article 109176
- 48.** Sotiropoulos S., Paschalidis Ch., Kavvadias V., Chatzissavvidis C., Koriki A., Xirogiannis G. 2020. Effect of N-P-K fertilization on the yield and nutrient status of fig (*Ficus carica* L. cv. Kalamon) trees grown under Mediterranean conditions. *International Journal of Fruit Science* 20: S1920-S1928 (<https://doi.org/10.1080/15538362.2020.1836706>)
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- 50.** Dichala O., Therios I., Papadopoulos A., Chatzistathis T., Chatzissavvidis C., Antonopoulou C. 2021. Effects of varying concentrations of different salts on mineral composition of leaves and roots of three pomegranate (*Punica granatum* L.) cultivars. *Scientia Horticulturae* 275, 109718
- 51.** Giannakoula A.* , Therios I., Chatzissavvidis C. 2021. Lead and copper toxicity in *Citrus aurantium* L. plants. Changes in photosynthetic and chlorophyll fluorescence parameters, pigments, antioxidant capacity lipid peroxidation and hydrogen peroxide concentration. *Plants* 10: 1-4.
- 52.** Koulymboudi L.* , Papafilippou A., Tzanoudaki M., Chatzissavvidis C., Salamalikis V. 2021. Effect of nitrogen form on trifoliolate orange (*Poncirus trifoliata* (L.) Raf.) and sour orange (*Citrus aurantium* L.) plants grown under saline conditions. *Journal of Plant Nutrition* 44(17): 2546-2558 <https://doi.org/10.1080/01904167.2021.1918713>
- 53.** Zafeiriou E., Chatzissavvidis C., Antonopoulou C., Arabatzis G. 2021. Sweet chestnut and agricultural development: A farmers' perspective for Northern Greece. *International Journal of Agricultural Sustainability* 20: 199-215.
- 54.** Sotiropoulos S., Chatzissavvidis C., Papadakis I., Kavvadias V., Paschalidis C., Antonopoulou C., Koriki A. 2022. Inorganic and organic foliar fertilization in olive. *Horticultural Science* 50: 1-11.
- 55.** Chatzistathis T., Chatzissavvidis C., Papaioannou A., Papadakis I. E. 2023. Independent or combinational application of sheep manure and litter from indigenous field vegetation of *Quercus* sp. influences nutrient uptake, photosynthetic rate, intrinsic water use efficiency and leaf sugar concentrations in olive plants. *Applied Sciences* 13(2), 1127; <https://doi.org/10.3390/app13021127>

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