

THE CYPRUS UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY



- Founded in 2003, students admitted 2007
- Consists of 6 faculties
 - Geotechnical Sciences and Environmental Management, Management and Economics, Communication and Media Studies, Health Sciences, Fine and Applied Arts Faculty of Engineering and Technology.
- 1st ranking in Europe considering its age
- World University ranking 2017 (401-500)
 - <https://www.timeshighereducation.com/world-university-rankings/cyprus-university-technology#ranking-dataset/589595>

CUT at a glance



- 2319 undergraduate students
- 704 graduate students (MS)
- 150 Doctoral Students (PhD)
- 161 Faculty Members
- 120 Research staff
- 221 Administrative Staff
- 204 Funded research projects ~ 5 M/year
- Building area: 41K m²
- Annual budget ~ 40M

Experience in project management (EU funds)



FP7 – People - ITN	Smart Management for Sustainable Human Environment
Life+	Sustainable management of live stock waste for the removal/recovery of nutrients
ERC-2014-CoG	Solution Processed Next Generation Photovoltaics
H2020-REFLECTIVE-7-2014	Inclusive Cultural Heritage in Europe through 3D semantic modelling
H2020-DS-2014-1	From Real-world Identities to Privacy-preserving and Attribute-based CREDentials for Device-centric Access Control

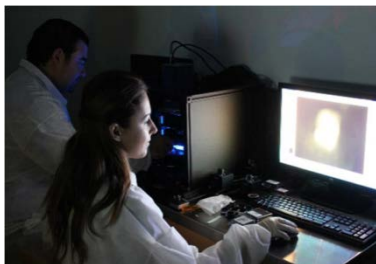
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ERASMUS+, Cooperation for Innovation and the exchange of good practices, Strategic partnerships	2014-1-EL01-KA203-001558
ERASMUS+, Cooperation for Innovation and the exchange of good practices, Strategic partnerships	2014-1-LV01-KA200-000521

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES



- Department of Nursing
 - 872 students graduated (until 2016)
- Department of Rehabilitation Sciences
- Cyprus International Institute for Environmental and Public Health

THE DEPARTMENT OF NURSING



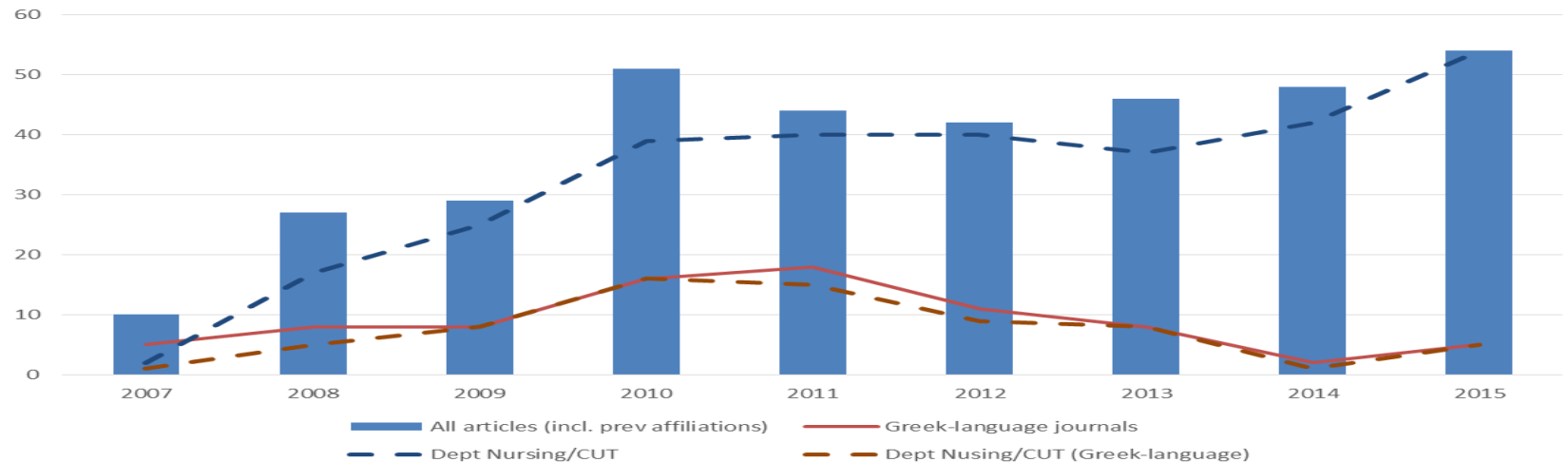
THE DEPARTMENT OF NURSING

- Programs of studies
 - BSc Nursing
 - MSc Advanced Nursing (Intensive, Community, Mental Health)
 - PHD programs
- International networks
 - EfCCNa, EONS, CCNAP, ETNA, ISM, STTI
- Nursing Research collaborations
 - Universities in Europe, USA and Canada

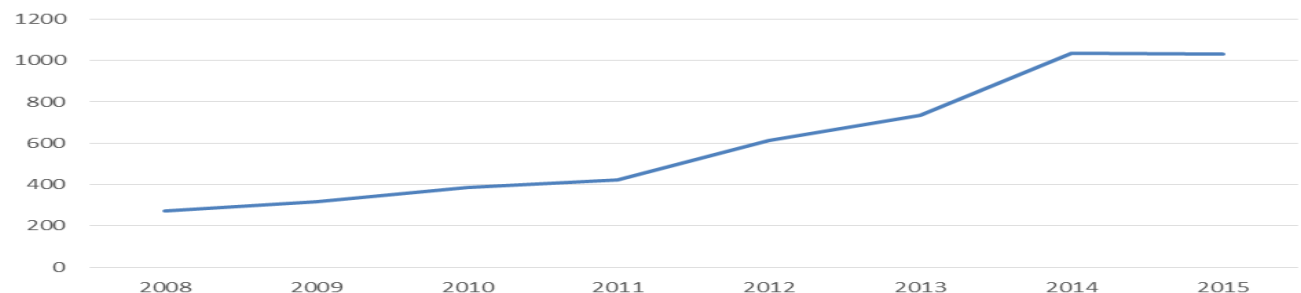
EXPERIENCE IN RESEARCH



Publications of CUT/NUR faculty in peer-reviewed journals, 2007-2015



Citations of articles of CUT/NUR Faculty members by year according to GoogleScholar



THE CYPRUS TEAM

- Dr Evridiki Papastavrou
 - Discipline: Nursing.
 - https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Evridiki_Papastavrou/reputation
- Areti Efthymiou (PhD can.)
 - Discipline: Psychology
 - https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Areti_Efthymiou/reputation

- Dr Panayiota Andreou (Research Associate)
 - Discipline: Health Psychology
 - [https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Panayiota Andreou/reputation](https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Panayiota_Andreou/reputation)



- Melina Evripidou (PhD can.)
 - Discipline: Nursing
- Maria Papaioannou (PhD can.)
 - Discipline: Nursing

FAMILY CARERS IN CYPRUS



- Evidence of high levels of burden, depression and low quality of life
- **Papastavrou E**, Andreou P, Middleton N, Tsangari H, Papacostas S,(2015), Dementia caregiver burden association with community participation aspect of social capital. *J AdvNurs*.2015 Sep
- **Papastavrou, E.**, Andreou, P., Middleton, N., Papacostas, S., & Georgiou, I.K. (2014). Factors associated with quality of life among family members of patients with dementia in Cyprus. *International Psychogeriatrics / IPA*, 26, 443–52.
- **Papastavrou, E.**,Charalambous, A., Tsangari, H., & Karayiannis, G. (2012). The Burdensome and Depressive Experience of Caring: what cancer, schizophrenia, and Alzheimer's disease caregivers have in common.*Cancer Nursing*.doi:10.1097 /NCC.0b013e31822cb4a

Internet Use and health literacy of people in Cyprus



- 45% of households make daily internet use in Greece and 56% in Cyprus
- In Cyprus (Millioni et al, 2015),
 - All most all Cypriots have internet access in 2014: 94,3% Greek-Cypriots and 96,6% Turkish-Cypriot (according to Eurostat: 71%)
 - Main reason for not accessing the internet: lack of internet and lack of skills
 - In age group 55-64 there is an increase in internet use between 2012 and 2014 (GC: 35,1 – 39,7%, TC:25,9 -43,2%). This is not the case for age groups 65-74 and 75 -99
 - 9,6% search for health information online in a weekly basis and 43% has never searched the internet for health information

Internet Use and health literacy of people in Greece

- In Greece (Hellenic Statistical Authority, 2015):
 - 65% have internet access (according to Eurostat: 71%)
 - main reason for not accessing the internet is the lack of skills (60,7%)
 - In age groups 55-64 and 65-74 we encounter daily use in 76% and 77% respectively

- According to research carried out by governmental statistics services in Cyprus, 66.7% of the people who use the Internet are connected with social media networks such as [Facebook](#), Twitter, LinkedIn, YouTube, Trip Advisor, Instagram etc. More specifically, 428 555 people used social media to connect with others.



Σύνδεσμος Στήριξης Ατόμων με τη νόσο Άλτσχάιμερ

Ο Σύνδεσμος Στήριξης Ατόμων με τη Νόσο Άλτσχάιμερ ιδρύθηκε το 1996 με έδρα τη Λάρνακα. Είναι εθελοντικός, μη κερδοσκοπικός Οργανισμός και εγκεκριμένο μέλος Διεθνών Οργανισμών (Alzheimer Disease International, Alzheimer Europe).

Ο Σύνδεσμος Στήριξης Ατόμων με τη Νόσο Άλτσχάιμερ έχει να παρουσιάσει μια πολύχρονη εθελοντική προσφορά στην κυπριακή κοινωνία. Εθελοντικές ομάδες υποστηρίζουν το Έργο του Συνδέσμου σε όλες τις Επαρχίες.

Οι κυριότεροι στόχοι του Συνδέσμου είναι:

- Η ευαισθητοποίηση και ενημέρωση του κοινού για τη Νόσο Άλτσχάιμερ
- Η προστασία των δικαιωμάτων των ασθενών σε θέματα νομοθεσίας, ευημερίας, επιδομάτων και φαρμακευτικής αγωγής
- Η εξασφάλιση κοινωνικής και ψυχολογικής υποστήριξης προς τα άτομα που πάσχουν από τη Νόσο Άλτσχάιμερ και τους φροντιστές τους
- Η ενίσχυση οποιαδήποτε προσπάθειας ιατρικής ή κοινωνικής για την πρόληψη και θεραπεία της Νόσου Άλτσχάιμερ

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www.cypusalzheimerassociation.com

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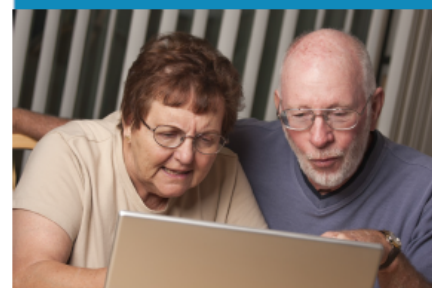


Εγγεγραμμένος στο Λουξεμβούργο το 2006

Αριθμός Εγγραφής: F6854



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SOCIAL INNOVATIONS PROMOTING ACTIVE
AND HEALTHY AGEING



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Similar projects in CY



Event 2:

I CARE about Carers' needs – Φροντίδα για τις ανάγκες των Φροντιστών
Partners and Local Stakeholders' Workshop

CARER SUPPORT IN CYPRUS



- Many voluntary organisations
 - Disease specific
- Government support
 - Care in the community, day care centers, 1 palliative
- Private services
- There are many possibilities to improve carer support through technology