



Academic Personnel Short Profile / Short CV

University:	Open University of Cyprus
Surname:	Christofi
Name:	Despina
Rank:	Adjunct Faculty
Faculty:	Faculty of Economics and Management
Department:	Law
Scientific Domain: *	Private Law

** Field of Specialization*

Academic qualifications (list by highest qualification)				
Qualification	Year	Awarding Institution	Department	Thesis title
Ph.D. in Law	2017	University of Central Lancashire	School of Law	'Effective judicial protection of bank depositors during the financial crisis and arbitration in an EU context'
LLM in International Commercial Law	2014	University of Glasgow	School of Law	'An analysis of the role of banks in the financial crisis of 2007 in the UK and an examination of whether the reform measures of the UK can be effectively adopted in the case of Cyprus'
LLB (Hons)	2013	University of Leicester	School of Law	'The concept of Domestic violence and comparison of how it is treated by law in the UK and Cyprus'

Employment history – List by the three (3) most recent				
Period of employment		Employer	Location	Position
From	To			
October 2023	present	City Unity College	Nicosia, Cyprus	Lecturer of Law
September 2023	present	Open University of Cyprus	Nicosia, Cyprus	Adjunct Faculty
2021	2023	Central Bank of Cyprus	Nicosia, Cyprus	Officer, Supervisory Department

Key <u>refereed</u> journal papers, monographs, books, conference publications etc. List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected –(max total 10)						
Ref. Number	Year	Title	Other authors	Journal and Publisher / Conference	Vol.	Pages
1	2022	International Encyclopedia of Commercial and Economic Law – Cyprus	Stephanie Laulhé Shaelou and Nevi Agapiou	Kluwer Law International		
2	2022	Diversity of Enforcement Titles in Cross-border Debt Collection in the EU: National Report – Cyprus	Demetra Loizou	University of Maribor		
3	2021	Κυπριακό Τραπεζικό Δίκαιο	Αθανασίου Γ., Βουλγαράκης Κ., Γεωργίου Ρ., Κυριακίδης Ν., Ροδοσθένους Π. , Στρόππος Χ., Στυλιανίδης Χ., Χαραλάμπους Β., Χατζηκώστας Ζ., Χρίστου Θ.	Νομική Βιβλιοθήκη		
4	2021	‘The Relationship between Allegations of Economic Crimes in Foreign Investments and the		ICSID Review - Foreign Investment Law Journal	36	129-149

		Adjudicative Power of Investor–State Tribunals'				
5	2018	'The Cypriot Banking Sector During the Financial Crisis and Its Reforms: An Examination in Light of the Case of the UK'		The Cyprus Law Review	29	43-66
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Exhibitions (where applicable). List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected. (max total 10)					
Ref. Number	Date	Topic	International / Local	Location*	Role in Exhibition
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**Specify venue, geographic location etc*

Research Projects. List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected (max total 10)				
Ref. Number	Date	Title	Funded by	Project Role*
1	2019-2021	'Diversity of Enforcement titles in cross-border debt collection in the EU – EU-En4s'	EU Justice Programme	Researcher
2	2014-2017	'The Law of Financial and Economic Governance in the EU' (FecoGov)	Jean Monnet Module	Assistant Researcher
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**Project Role: i.e. Scientific/Project Coordinator, Research Team Member, Researcher, Assistant Researcher, other*

Consulting Services and/or Participation in Councils / Boards/ Editorial Committees. List the five (5) more recent				
Ref. Number	Period	Organization	Title of Position or Service	Key Activities
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**Awards / International Recognition (where applicable). List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected.
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**Other Achievements. List the five (5) more recent and other five (5) selected.
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