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ATHENAEUM INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL

CANDIDATES FOR THE ELECTION OF 25 MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	TITLE	COMPANY
George	Alexopoulos	General Manager Strategic Planning & Joint Ventures	HELLENIC PETROLEUM S.A.
Vasileios	Antoniades	Senior Partner & Managing Director	THE BOSTON CONSULTING GROUP (BCG HELLAS) S.A.
Pascal	Apostolides	Managing Director	ABBVIE PHARMACEUTICALS S.A.
Nikolaos	Bakatselos	President & CEO	PYRAMIS METALLOURGIA A.E.
Paul	Canellopoulos	Executive Vice Chairman of the BOD	AIG GREECE S.A.
Claudia	Carydis-Benopoulou	Vice President, Public Affairs	THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF GREECE
Christos	Charpantidis	Chairman & Managing Director	PAPASTRATOS CIGARETTES MANUFACTURING S.A.
Alexandros	Costopoulos	CEO	FORESIGHT STRATEGY & COMMUNICATIONS
Sophie	Daskalaki-Mytilineos	Special Advisor to the CEO	MYTILINEOS HOLDINGS S.A.
John	Enepekides	Partner	ROLLERDECK ASSOCIATES
Vassilis	Kafatos	Partner	DELOITTE BUSINESS SOLUTIONS S.A.
Athanasios	Kouimtzis	CEO	KOUIMTZIS S.A.
Venetia	Koussia	Owner and Founder	VENETIAKOUSSIA.NET
Marios T.	Kyriacou	Non Executive Chairman	KPMG CERTIFIED AUDITORS A.E.
John	Kyriakides	Partner	KYRIAKIDES GEORGOPOULOS LAW FIRM
Litsa	Panayotopoulos	CEO	EVIA.IP LTD.
Athanasios	Papadopoulos	Managing Director	NAUTICAL CARRIERS INC.
Nikolaos -Leon	Papapolitis	Partner	PAPAPOLITIS & PAPAPOLITIS
Panos	Papazoglou	CESA Markets Leader/Country Managing Partner	EY
Despina	Passaris	Communications Leader SEE & CE P&G	PROCTER & GAMBLE HELLAS MEPE
Spyros	Poulidas	Chairman & Managing Director	IBM HELLAS S.A.
John D.	Saracakis	Chairman	SARACAKIS BROTHERS S.A.
Ioannis	Stavropoulos	Managing Partner	STAVROPOULOS & PARTNERS LAW OFFICE
Andreas	Stylianopoulos	CEO	NAVIGATOR TRAVEL & TOURIST SERVICES LTD.
Antonis	Tsiboukis	General Manager Greece, Cyprus, Malta	CISCO SYSTEMS HELLAS S.A.



George Alexopoulos

General Manager, Strategic Planning & Joint Ventures
Hellenic Petroleum

He is responsible for strategic planning, new business development, the Group's upstream, gas & power and renewable businesses, and the Group's representation in international organizations. He has represented Hellenic Petroleum on the Board of the European Petroleum Refiners Association as a Principal or Alternate Director since 2012. He joined Hellenic Petroleum in 2007. George Alexopoulos was Director of Business Planning & Development at an international, diversified business group (SETE S.A.), based in Geneva, Switzerland, from 1998 to 2006, while at the same time being responsible for the Group's energy portfolio. He had previously worked in various technical and business development positions at Stone & Webster, Molten Metal Technology, Merck, Dow Corning, and Dow Chemical in the United States between 1993 and 1997. He holds an MBA from Harvard Business School (1998) and M.Sc. (1993) and B.Sc. (1992) degrees in Chemical Engineering from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). He is married to Elizabeth Spada, and they have 3 children.



Pascal Apostolides

Managing Director
AbbVie Pharmaceuticals

Pascal Apostolides holds a B.Sc. degree in Chemistry, a B.A. in Economic Geography and a post graduate degree in Pharmaceutical Chemistry from the University of Manitoba, Winnipeg, Canada. He also received a M.Sc. in Environmental Chemistry from the University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, Scotland. He worked for 7 years in the German affiliate and 4 years at Abbott Park Chicago. In 2001 he returned to Greece as Managing Director of Abbott Laboratories Hellas. Since January 2013, Pascal Apostolides holds the position of the Managing Director of AbbVie, a new, independent, global biopharmaceutical which retains in its portfolio innovative medicines for serious and chronic diseases, following Abbott's separation in two individual companies. He was also the President of the Hellenic Association of Pharmaceutical Companies (SFEE) for the term 2015-2018. He is a member of the Pharmaceutical Committee of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce (AmCham) and member of the BoD. Furthermore, he is a member of the Executive Board of Trustees/Treasurer of the American Community Schools of Athens (ACS).



Vassilis Antoniadis

Senior Partner & Managing Director
Boston Consulting Group

Vassilis Antoniadis is a Senior Partner and Managing Director, leading the financial services sector for Central Europe and the Middle East. Vassilis has been involved in the build-up of BCG Athens since early 2003 and led a number of key assignments in the region and globally and was the Managing Director from 2010-2019. Prior to joining BCG, Vassilis served as an investment banker in New York and London, involved in IPO and M&A activity in North America and Europe. His twenty-year long experience among other things encompasses the following: Transforming organizations especially in the post financial crisis era. His work has tackled redefining the strategy, new business model, reorganizing, deep cost cutting. In the last 5 years, he has focused on the turnaround of leading banks across Europe, as well as digital transformation, leveraging BCG capabilities in data analytics, new ventures and IT to re-position banks client offerings, business and operating model. He holds an MBA from Harvard Business School (1999) and a B.Sc. magna cum laude in International Finance from Georgetown University (1993). He has also served in the Hellenic Air Force for two years as Air Traffic Controller, both in the Araxos 127 NATO Air Base and in the Piraeus Joint Naval and Air Rescue Center. He is an Advisory member of the MBA Program of the Athens University of Economics and Business. He is a board member of the Bodossaki Foundation and of the Benaki Museum and also he is an elected board member of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce since September 2010.



Nikolaos Bakatselos

President & CEO
Pyramis Metallourgia A.E.

Nikolaos Bakatselos is the President & CEO of Pyramis Metallourgia A.E. He was a Member of the Board of Directors, and Deputy Managing Director of Northern Greece Publishing S.A. He has held the position of Managing Director of Imperium AEE, and Member of the Board of Directors of Egnatia Bank Securities S.A., and he was a Member of the Board of Directors of Attica Bank from February 2014 until June 2016. He was a Member of the Steering Committee of the International Hellenic University until January 2014 and Member of the Board and President of the Northern Greece Committee of EEDE. He is a Member of the Committee Support of CERTH and Member of the Steering Committee of SVE. He is a Member of the Board of Directors of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce for several years and in June 2010 he was elected Vice President of AmCham and President of the Northern Greece Committee. Nikolaos Bakatselos holds a B.A. in Sociology from University of Reading and a MSc in Shipping, Trade and Finance from City University Business School.



Paul Canellopoulos

Executive Vice Chairman of the BOD
AIG Greece S.A.

He was born in Athens in 1966. He holds a Bachelor in Business Administration & Political Science from Connecticut College, U.S.A. and in Insurance Science from the Greek Institute of Insurance Education.

In 1989 he was occupied in American International Group (AIG), New York, in the Marine & Cargo Department and he attended regional congresses. He returned in Greece and during the period of 1993-1998 he was appointed Customer Management Group Manager and HR Manager in AIG Greece S.A.- renamed to Chartis Greece S.A. Since 2008 till 2019 he has been the Deputy General Manager and Executive Vice Chairman of the Board of Directors in AIG Greece S.A. and on February 2019 he was appointed Consultant in AIG Europe S.A. Greece Branch. He is a member of the Hellenic Association of Insurance Representatives and member of the Board of Directors of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce.



Claudia Carydis Benopoulou

Vice President of Public Affairs
The American College of Greece

Claudia Carydis Benopoulou is Vice President of Public Affairs at The American College of Greece (ACG) since June 2012. Her responsibilities include engaging in lobbying efforts with relevant public authorities and cultivating mutually beneficial relations

with key stakeholders of both the private and public sector. Since 2016, she also supervises the work of three separate entities: The ACG Center of Excellence for Sustainability, the ACG Institute of Public Health and the ACG Institute of Global Affairs. Claudia has been working for The American College of Greece since 2005 and her initial role was Executive Director of Alumni Relations & College Events, a position she held for seven and a half years. During these years, she launched and established a number of events, activities and services engaging and cultivating relationships with alumni, donors, parents, business partners and friends of the institution. Claudia is also a member of the AmCham Education, Innovation & Entrepreneurship Committee since the beginning of 2015. Before joining ACG, Claudia worked in leading companies in the private sector, in Athens, as a marketing and/or communications executive. Among them, she was Corporate Communications Director at Nova Digital TV (Filmnet, SuperSport) and Executive Client Director at Publicom/Hill & Knowlton PR Agency. Claudia also worked for the Greek Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Department of European Affairs, for the period 1988-1992. During the years 1988-1993, she was an active member, Secretary General and then President of the Greek section of Young European Federalists (JEF Greece), a political, non-partisan, youth organization promoting European ideals. Claudia is a graduate of Pierce-The American College of Greece and holds a Bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Deree-The American College of Greece (1984) and a Master's degree in International Relations & Communication from Boston University, US (1986). She speaks English, French and Spanish (basic). Claudia is married to Ioannis Benopoulos, and they have two boys, ages 21 and 17.



Christos Charpantidis

Chairman & Managing Director
Papastratos

Christos Charpantidis is Chairman and Managing Director of Papastratos, an affiliate of Philip Morris (PMI), since August 2015 and Managing Director for the EU South East countries of PMI (Romania, Bulgaria, Slovenia, Croatia, Cyprus & Malta). Upon the assumption

of his duties at Papastratos, he led the team that implemented the large transformation project of the company via the new, innovative tobacco product IQOS, and the big investment for the conversion of the factory in Aspropyrgos into an exclusive production unit for heat sticks for IQOS. Both generated a huge disruption in the tobacco industry in Greece. Before taking over Papastratos' leadership, he worked for three years (2012-2015) at the Operations Center of PMI in Lausanne (Switzerland) where he served as Global Sales Strategy Director and Reduced-Risk Products Commercialization Director, contributing actively to the strategy planning for the launch of the new products in the global markets. He started his career at Coca-Cola Hellenic in 1997 in various positions of the commercial department and joined Papastratos in 2003. He is the Vice President of the Hellenic Management Association and a founding member of the Competitiveness Council of Greece. Christos Charpantidis studied Physics at the Aristotelian University of Thessaloniki and holds a MBA in Economics from the University of Kent and a M.A. in Economics from the same university.



Alexandros Costopoulos

Founder & CEO
Foresight Strategy & Communications

Alexandros Costopoulos is a communications strategist active in the fields of strategic affairs and international economic relations since 1998, and more specifically in the development and

management of the multilayer relations, which are required today within the higher ranks of the business and political globalized environment. Following his studies in Greece and Great Britain, having already gained valuable professional experience in the realm of U.S. Greek relations, of communication and tourism both in Athens and in Washington D.C., he founded FORESIGHT-Strategy & Communications in collaboration with the U.S. based company under the same name. He has collaborated with distinguished individuals and prominent organizations from the political, academic and business environment in the United States, Greece and the broader southeast European region, providing communication strategies related to public affairs, reputation management, public diplomacy and civil society engagement. Since 2010, he is an elected Counselor of the Executive Committee and the Board of Directors of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce, and since 2008, the Director for Greece of American Citizens Abroad, an international organization based in Geneva. Co-founder of the Institute for Regional Dialogue and Strategy, he has written various social and political opinion editorials for top newspapers and magazines in Greece and has spoken extensively on the importance of cooperation and smart power, while he published two books, "Bridges of Cooperation-Marshall Plan and Greece" in 2008 and "Bridges of Liberty-American Philhellenism in the 18th and 19th Centuries" in

2009. On December 2011 he founded RepowerGreece, an international grassroots public diplomacy initiative that seeks to empower a new way of thinking in facing emerging challenges and redefine Greece by confronting misconceptions that abound.



Sophie Daskalaki-Mytilineou

Special Advisor to the CEO
Mytilineos S.A.

Born in Buenos Aires. She studied Business Administration (BSc, Deree College) and Economics (MSc, London School of Economics). She worked as a financial analyst for two years in the Short-Term Economic Forecasting Department of the Ministry of Coordination and for five years in the Economic Research Department of the Bank of Greece, before joining Mytilineos Group in 1990, where she developed the Group's Corporate Affairs and Corporate Social Responsibility functions as BoD member. She has been elected member of the Board of Directors of the Hellenic Federation of Enterprises (SEV) 2012-2014 and of the General Council since 2014 to date. From 2000 to 2010 she served as elected Municipal Councilor and Deputy Mayor of the Municipality of Athens. She is a founding member of the NGO Friends of Children with Cancer (ELPIDA) and of Transparency International Greece, which is member of the Transparency International organization. She is a BoD Member of American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce since 2013 and a member of Amcham's Culture Committee. From June 2018, she is President of the CSR Committee of Mytilineos S.A.



Vassilis Kafatos

Partner
Deloitte Business Solutions

Vassilis E. Kafatos is a Partner of Deloitte in charge of Strategy. He is the Clients & Industries Leader for Greece and Chairman of the Deloitte Alexander Competency Center. He has extensive consulting experience in various sectors of the economy. He has supervised major projects in the fields of corporate & digital strategy, business model transformation, financial restructuring, mergers & acquisitions and operational excellence. He serves as a Trustee of the Board of Anatolia College, as a member of the Board of Directors of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce and as an Executive Committee member of the Board of Directors of the Federation of Industries of Northern Greece. He holds a degree in Economic Science from the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, an MBA in Corporate Strategy from the University of Texas at Austin and postgraduate diplomas in Business Leadership from the International Institute for Management Development (IMD), Lausanne.



Athanasios Kouimtzis

CEO
Kouimtzis S.A.

Athanasios K. Kouimtzis, 1972, finished High School in the US, as a foreign exchange student. As an undergraduate, he studied Political Sciences and Business Administration in North Carolina and continued his Postgraduate degrees in

National Security Studies and International Executive MBA in Georgetown University.

For four years he worked in the Greek Embassy in Washington D.C. as an assistant to the Economic and Commercial Counselor. Moving in the shipping industry, he worked for two years in World Carrier Corporation, based in Athens and London. Since 2000, he joined the family business. With a market tradition of almost 80 years –since 1936- the family business is engaged in three sectors. The first sector is in agricultural machinery and components with a strong international sales network and a presence in more than 35 countries. The second sector is the industrial with Power Transmission Components and Precision equipment by representing some of the leading manufacturers for the Southeastern European markets such as Timken, Gates, Iwis, Tsubaki. ZKL Bearings, Walterscheid, Dickey John. The third sector is Defense and Security, by manufacturing components for land systems and air support components having MOU with some of the top EU and US companies in the field and working closely with Security Consulting, Homeland Security, Biotechnical Development Systems.

EPTDA (European Power Transmission Distributors Associations Brussels) Board Member; SEKPY (National Defense Industry Association) , Athens, Board Member; American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce, Northern Greece Committee, Agrotechnology Committee



John Enepedikdes

Partner
Rollerdeck Associates

John G. Enepekides is the partner at Rollerdeck Associates; now in its fifth year, the company is considered one of the nation's top government relations firms.

Known for his business instincts as well as his commonsense approach, John has been enjoying the trust of a number of major corporations.

His expertise comes from 20+ years in stakeholder engagement, in sectors like healthcare, aviation and defense.

He is a 3rd generation member of the Chamber and serves on the Board of Directors at the Ecali Club. John graduated from Tufts University, earned his Post Graduate diploma from the University of Warwick and his Master's in Business Administration from ALBA.



Dr. Venetia Koussia

Owner and Founder
VenetiaKoussia.Net

During her longstanding career, Dr. Venetia Koussia has acquired senior management positions in companies of various industry sectors, leading them successfully through highly volatile market conditions by designing and implementing socially responsible growth strategies. As the President and Managing Director of ManpowerGroup Greece-Cyprus for more than 14 years, the world's leader in innovative workforce solutions, she has solidified the company's reputation in the region by turning it into a valuable partner for both public and private companies and organizations. She has been an elected member of the Board of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce for the last two tenures (2013-2016 and 2016-2019). Since 2015 she has been the Chair of the Employment Committee. Since April 2016 through her own exclusive advisory consultancy, VenetiaKoussia.net, she supports Boards and CEOs to look forward and meeting in a sustainable way their major stakeholders goals. Since November 2018 she has been appointed as the Director General of the Council on Competitiveness in Greece – CompeteGR. Having an active role in employment issues on a national, European and international level and through her dynamic engagement in esteemed institutions, she participates in the development and implementation of initiatives aiming to improve the competitiveness of the Greek economy. Believing in the power of the good example, she devotes some dozens of hours annually from her personal time in assisting people to unleash their potential. Advocate of Life Long Learning in February 2017 she obtained the postgraduate Financial Times Diploma (Level 7) for Non-Executive Directors (NED) being among the first certified NEDs in Greece. She holds a Ph.D. in Corporate Strategic Planning for Banking Services and an M. Phil. in Agricultural Marketing and Market Research, both from the University of Newcastle Upon Tyne, United Kingdom. Her first degree (B.Sc.) is in Business Administration from the American College of Greece. She is a proud mother of two children.

He has over 50 years of extensive experience and strong specialization in Greek and international tax matters, company restructuring, investment issues, mergers and acquisitions, accounting systems and internal audit systems.



John Kyriakides

Partner
Kyriakedes Georgopoulos Law Firm

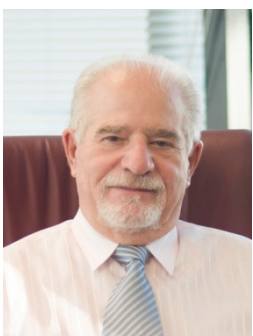
John C. Kyriakides is Co-Managing Partner and works with the Litigation department and is primarily experienced in Corporate and Commercial Disputes, Arbitration, White Collar Crime and Financial Crime. He regularly advises clients and handles litigation with respect to cases involving defective products acting mainly for international producers or manufacturers. He is also heavily involved in cases concerning Breach of Law of Obligations and Torts, Debt Collection, Trademark & Patent cases as well as Distribution & Agency Agreements. In the past few years he has gained vast experience and has advised numerous clients in the gaming and betting industry. Practice Areas: Litigation & Arbitration , White Collar crime, Product Liability, Trademark & Patent cases, Distribution and Agency , Betting & Gaming
Quotes & Awards: John Kyriakides is ranked as a leading lawyer in Chambers & Partners Europe and Chambers & Partners Global.



Litsa Panayotopoulos

CEO
Evia.IP Ltd.

Litsa Panayotopoulos is co-founder and CEO of EVIA Intelligent Performance Ltd. A committed advocate of innovation, she creates opportunities for entrepreneurship in her roles as Vice-President of Intale A.E. Retail Solutions and Papapostolou S.A. Medical Technologies and as Secretary General of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce and President of its Innovation, Education and Entrepreneurship Committee. She regularly participates in international events as a judge, moderator and key-note speaker. She is active in the organizational development of innovative companies alongside CEOs and boards of directors in order to turn their business endeavors into strategic action and profit. In addition to her business activities, she is on the Business Advisory Council of the Athens University International MBA, a Board Member of the NED Club (Non-Executive Directors' Club), the Greek-Serbian Business Council and Citizens Movement (Kinisi Politon). Her extensive career has been built in major international systems and projects in the USA, Canada, Europe, the Middle East and Africa in large multinational companies, Control Data et.al. She developed and managed: Geranos SA (a subsidiary of Commercial Bank of Greece being responsible for the 20 affiliates of the bank); Oracle S.E. Europe, Greece and Cyprus (establishing and managing subsidiaries of Oracle corporation in the region), and OTE Academy, the largest professional training organization in Greece, amongst others. Litsa is a Founding Member and Honorary President of SEN/Junior Achievement Greece, presiding over its leadership in various capacities for 15 years. She has served on boards of major professional associations such as the Hellenic Management



Marios T. Kyriacou

Non Executive Chairman
KPMG

Marios T. Kyriacou, is with KPMG Greece since 1977 and served as Chairman up to March 2019. He is currently Non Executive Chairman. He qualified as a chartered accountant (Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales - ICAEW) in London. He worked in London and in Rome, before coming to Greece. He served on the KPMG European Region Board and the Firm's European Professional Practice and Operations Committees having responsibility for Greece and Cyprus. He was a founding member and the first president of the Association of Certified Auditors and Accountants of Greece (SELE) having the leading role in establishing the independent accounting profession in Greece in 1993. He is also a member of the Institute of Certified Auditors and Accountants (SOEL), where he served in the past as a member of the Professional Practice Board and was the Vice President of the Supervisory Council of SOEL until recently. He is also a member of the Banks Working Party of the FEE (Federation des Experts Comptables Europeens) and the contact member of ICAEW for Greece.

Association (EEDF) where she is an Honorary President and founder of its Hellenic Institute of Information (EIP). Former BoD member of IOBE (Foundation for Economic and Industrial Research), former President and Board Member of ALBA Business University. She holds a BSc and MSc in Computer Science and Management from London University.



Athanasios Papadopoulos

Managing Director
Nautical Carriers Inc.

Athanasios D. Papadopoulos is Principal and Managing Director of Nautical Carriers Inc., a ship management company managing container vessels operating all over the world.

He was President and CEO of Chevellas S.A. (an exclusive distribution company for Chevrolet and Ssang Yong vehicles in Greece) and has served as Member of the Board at Lampsa Hellenic Hotels S.A. (until 2017), a public company listed at the Athens Stock Exchange and as Treasurer and Executive Committee Member of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce. He has received a BS in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst and a Master of Science in the same field from Tufts University, Medford, Massachusetts.



Nicholas Papapolitis

Managing Partner
Papapolitis & Papapolitis

Nicholas Papapolitis is the Managing Partner of Papapolitis & Papapolitis. Nicholas is a member of the Board of Directors of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce and Chair of its Investment and Finance Committee.

He is the Chair of the Corporate Ambassador Program of The Hellenic Initiative (THI) and a member of the New Leaders Steering Committee of THI.

Nicholas was also a member of the Board of Directors of NBG Pangaea REIC and the Intralot Group.

He is consistently recognized as a leading individual in the Greek legal market by international legal directories and widely recognized as an expert in foreign investments.

He started his career at the international law firm Skadden Arps in New York having graduated LL.B (Hons) from University College of London and LL.M (Merit) from the University of London (Queen Mary College).



Panos Papazoglou

CESA Markets Lead / Country Managing Partner
EY

Panos Papazoglou is the Managing Partner in Greece since July 2010. Effective January 2011 he became the CSE South Cluster Leader and effective January 2015 the CSE Markets Leader as well.

Following the CESA integration, effective July 2018, he holds the role of the CESA Accounts Leader. He has served as Head of Assurance in Ernst & Young Romania for two years and focused on the energy and technology sectors. He has also served as CMP and

Head of Assurance in Bulgaria for three years. Panos Papazoglou joined Ernst & Young in 1988 and is based in the Athens office. Panos is a Qualified Accountant in Greece and Romania. He has extensive exposure in the international environment. Managed cross-cultural teams, in a number of sizeable assurance and advisory projects. He has sound management experience and supervisory skills gained over the 28 years of being involved in the accounting and audit profession. His technical experience is a combination of engagements across a wide range of services including financial audits, privatizations, initial public offerings and offerings of shares. He has participated in numerous engagements involving / leading multicultural teams as well. He is a member of the BoD of the American Hellenic Chamber of Commerce, member of the BoD of the Institute of Economic and Industrial Research and also member at the CEO Clubs and Endeavor.



Despina Passaris

Communications Leader SEE & CE
Procter & Gamble

Despina Passaris studied at the Law School of Athens and continued with postgraduate studies in the United Kingdom. She holds a Master of Science in International Relations and European Studies from the London School of

Economics. In 1990, she started her professional career in the Marketing Department of Procter & Gamble Hellas where she held the positions of Assistant Brand Manager and Brand Manager on several Brands in the Feminine Care, Oral Care and Beauty Care Business categories. In 1997 she took over the newly created Brand Public Relations function in P&G Hellas while three years later she assumed additional managerial responsibilities for Corporate Affairs. In 2001 Despina Passaris was appointed External Relations Associate Director leading the External Relations Organization in P&G Hellas. In September 2007, she was appointed External Relations (re-named Communications in 2013) Discipline Leader for Western Europe, and two years later the scope of this role was expanded to include additional global responsibilities.

In July 2014, she was appointed Company Communications Leader for P&G Southeast Europe and Central Europe.

She is married and has two children.



Spyros Poulidas

Chairman & Managing Director
IBM Hellas

Spyros Poulidas is the General Manager of IBM Greece & Cyprus.

He was born in Athens in 1962. He studied Electrical & Computer Engineering at the University of Patras, Greece and holds a Master of Science

Degree in Electrical & Computer Engineering from the University of Massachusetts, USA and a Professional Diploma in Management from The Open University, London UK. He is married and lives in Athens.

He began his professional career in 1988 as a consultant and joined IBM Greece in 1990, as a Systems Engineer. During his career in IBM Greece, he served as Sales Manager for IBM's Unix Servers & Networking Systems, Manager of IBM Mid-range Systems Sales, Manager of IBM Systems & Technology Group, Manager of IBM's Enterprise Client Business and from 2005 to 2010 as Director of IBM Services, Greece and Cyprus. He has been appointed as General

Manager of IBM Greece & Cyprus in January 2011. He is a member of the Senior Leadership Team and Executive Board of IBM South Europe.

He is member of the Board of Directors and the Chairman of the Information Technologies and Communications (ICT) Committee of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce. He is also the Special Secretary of the Association of Greek IT Enterprises (SEPE) Board of Directors and serves as member to various Information Technology related boards and committees.



John D. Saracakis

Chairman
Saracakis Brothers S.A.

John D. Saracakis is Chairman of Saracakis Group of Companies. He is a Member of the Executive Committee of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce since 2013.

John D. Saracakis holds a BSc in Business Administration from Babson College, USA and has graduated from the Advanced Management Program of Harvard Business School. After his studies at Babson College he joined the Saracakis Group of Companies where he has taken up various responsibilities. Since 2013 he is Chairman of the Board of Directors.

From 2013 to 2019 he was elected for two terms as Chairman of the Hellenic-Swedish Chamber of Commerce. He is also Vice President of the Association of Motor Vehicle Importers-Representatives, and member of the Board of Directors of various business associations and charity organizations.

John is married and father of two boys.



Ioannis F. Stavropoulos

Managing Partner
Stavropoulos & Partners Law Office

Ioannis F. Stavropoulos, LL.M., was admitted to Athens Bar, 1986. Admitted to Supreme Court of Greece in 1997. Managing Partner and Founder of the law firm Stavropoulos & Partners. The client base of the firm consists mainly of

multinational companies including a number with American origin such as Coca-Cola, Philip Morris, Pfizer and Du Pont.

He studied at the Law School of the University of Athens (LL.B., 1983) and the University of Kent, U.K. (LL.M., 1985). As a tax consultant or tax attorney with great experience and expertise in tax law matters, he has dealt with numerous cases concerning application of double taxation treaties, transfer pricing and the EU direct taxation and VAT legislation. A number of his cases constitute leading jurisprudence published in Greek and international legal and tax journals. He has participated in legislative and scientific committees either as an expert or representing various organizations. In 2012-2013 he participated, as an expert, in the tax reform committee in the Ministry of Finance which produced the current tax codes.

As a business lawyer, he has taken part in major merger and acquisition projects, domestic and international share and asset transactions as well as anti-trust cases. He has published articles on various tax issues and has participated as speaker in numerous seminars. He participates in the Taxation Committee of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce as well as in tax and legal committees of various Federations and Chambers.



Andreas Stylianopoulos

CEO
Navigator Travel & Tourist Services Ltd.

Andreas Stylianopoulos was born in Athens and studied in Switzerland's Hosta Glion Ecole hôtelière where he graduated with a Master's degree in Hotel Management and Tourism. He began his career working with cruise lines in both Athens and Miami, holding

various hotel management and executive positions.

He now owns and operates Navigator Travel & Tourist Services Ltd, one of Greece's largest travel and tourism organizations. With a history exceeding half a century, his company is also a seasoned cruise specialist with worldwide experience in premium shore excursions and passenger handling. It has established a long standing relationship of trust with the cruise industry and is the officially appointed Sales and Marketing representative for Royal Caribbean International, Celebrity Cruises and Azamara Club Cruises in Greece, Cyprus, Bulgaria, Slovakia and FYROM.

Andreas Stylianopoulos serves on the Board of Directors of both the Association of Greek Tourism Enterprises (SETE) and Marketing Greece. He is a member of the Tourism Committee of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce and his company is a Member of IATA, SETE, HATTA and the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce.



Antonis Tsiboukis

General Manager Greece, Cyprus, Malta
Cisco Systems Hellas

Antonis Tsiboukis has been appointed General Manager of Cisco in Greece, Cyprus, Portugal & Malta. Prior to this position he was, for two years, the Operations Director responsible for the Borderless Networks Architecture across the Mediterranean Geography.

He has been with Cisco since January 1998, where initially joined as an Account Manager for Enterprise and Public Sector and has held management positions for the Enterprise, Public Sector and Service Provider teams since 2001. Before joining Cisco, Antonis Tsiboukis worked for Algosystems S.A., a major Greek Systems Integrator, managing the Enterprise and Service Provider business for the company since 1994.

Antonis Tsiboukis is a graduate of an Electrical & Electronic Engineering Bachelor's Degree and holds an MSc Degree in Microelectronics and Information Engineering by Liverpool Polytechnic in the UK.
