
Speakers



Nikolaos Bakatselos
President
American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce

Nikolaos Bakatselos is the President & CEO of Pyramis Metallourgia A.E. and Pyramis Deutschland GmbH. 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 AEX and a Member of the Board of Directors of Egnatia Bank Securities S.A. 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 from 2006 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 CERTH, Trustee of Anatolia College, Member of the Board and

Member of the Steering Committee of SVE and Honorary Consul of Belgium of Northern Greece. After being a Member of the Board of Directors of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce for several years, in June 2010 he was elected Vice President of AmCham Greece and President of the Northern Greece Committee and since June 2019 he is the President of AmCham Greece. In October 2019 he was elected President of HEDNO by the General Assembly of HEDNO. He holds a B.A. in Sociology from the University of Reading and a MSc in Shipping, Trade and Finance from City University Business School.



Dr. Thomas Hudson
Senior Vice President, R&D and Chief Scientific Officer
AbbVie

Thomas Hudson, M.D., SVP, R&D and CSO, AbbVie, leads the company's R&D organization and a global team of scientists who work across therapeutic areas to identify potential new treatments for a variety of diseases. Dr. Hudson leads R&D strategy for the company as well as providing leadership for the many scientific partnerships AbbVie pursues. Dr. Hudson joined AbbVie in 2016, overseeing oncology discovery and early development before assuming responsibilities for the entire discovery organization as Vice President, Discovery. Prior to joining AbbVie, Dr. Hudson was the President and Scientific Director of the Ontario Institute for Cancer Research where he led the institute's work in translational research for the

prevention, detection, diagnosis, and treatment of cancer. A Canadian genome scientist, Dr. Hudson was a pioneer in mapping the human genome and is internationally renowned for his work in genomics, human genome variation and genetic diseases. Dr. Hudson has co-authored more than 300 peer-reviewed scientific publications.



Vasiliki Angouridi
Managing Editor
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Vasiliki Angouridi is the Managing Editor for News4Health.gr. She has been working as a journalist in Greek media since 1999. Over the past 11 years she has been reporting on the demanding health sector in Greece, a sector that came under the spotlight during the challenging period of the memorandum years. A believer in constant learning and acquiring new experiences, she was always fascinated by the scientific advances of humanity. Therefore, the attraction to health and pharmaceutical research and innovation was inevitable. She has, also, a keen professional interest on the policies and strategies that support,

advancement and affect life-changing innovations, not only in Greece but on a European and global stage. She has had the opportunity to talk with key policy-makers both on Greek and European level, scientists researching ways to improve on the human condition and global business leaders dedicated to promoting scientific developments that better peoples' lives.



Pakis Papademetriou
Manager, Corporate Quality
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Pakis Papademetriou has been serving Quality and Sustainability since 1994. He received a Bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering and Master's degree in Industrial Engineering, both from the University of Illinois at Chicago. He is certified in Business Sustainability Management from the University of Cambridge (CISL). Since he joined Athens International Airport in 1999, he has been engaged in the development and application of diverse management systems focusing on quality, sustainability, and corporate administration. Currently, he holds the position of Manager, Corporate Quality reporting to the CFO. He is Chair of the Corporate Responsibility Committee of the American-Hellenic Chamber of Commerce and member of the Steering

Committee of the UN Global Compact Network Hellas.
