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EDUCATION

May 2008

Ph.D. in Epidemiology

Department of Epidemiology, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of
Public Health, Baltimore, MD, USA

Thesis: "*The association of insulin resistance and inflammation with
sporadic colorectal neoplasia. Risk mediated by colonic epithelial
damage?*"

May 2008

M.H.S. (Master of Health Science) in Biostatistics

Department of Biostatistics, Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of
Public Health, Baltimore, MD, USA

July 2003

M.Sc. in Public Health

Department of Nursing, National and Kapodistrian University of
Athens, Athens, Greece (Grade: Excellent, 9.77 out of 10)

June 2001

Bachelor in Nursing

Department of Nursing, National and Kapodistrian University of
Athens, Athens, Greece (Grade: Excellent, 8.74 out of 10)

RESEARCH / PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- February 2014-
present **Assistant Professor in Epidemiology**
Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, University of Ioannina
School of Medicine, Ioannina, Greece
- August 2014-
present **Research Fellow in Cancer Epidemiology (part-time)**
Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, School of Public
Health, Imperial College London, London, UK
- January 2012-
January 2014 **Lecturer in Epidemiology**
Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, University of Ioannina
School of Medicine, Ioannina, Greece
- March 2012-
December 2014 **Collaborator in Epidemiology**
Hellenic Health Foundation, Athens, Greece
- October 2010-
December 2011 **Research Associate in Epidemiology**
Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, University of Ioannina
School of Medicine, Ioannina, Greece
- September 2008-
September 2010 **Postdoctoral Research Fellow in Cancer Epidemiology**
Cancer Epidemiology Unit, University of Oxford, Oxford, UK
(Mentor: Professor Timothy Key)
- April 2008-
August 2008 **Postdoctoral Research Fellow in Cancer Epidemiology**
Department of Epidemiology, Johns Hopkins School of Public Health,
Baltimore, MD, USA (Mentor: Professor Elizabeth Platz)
- 2005-2008 **Part-time Research Assistant in Epidemiology**
Department of Epidemiology, Johns Hopkins School of Public Health,
Baltimore, MD, USA (Mentor: Professor Elizabeth A. Platz)
- June 2004-
August 2004 **Visiting Research Assistant in Epidemiology**
Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, School of Medicine,
University of Athens, Athens, Greece (Mentor: Professor Antonia
Trichopoulou)
- June 2002-
August 2002 **Visiting Research Assistant in Epidemiology**
Hellenic Center for Infectious Diseases Control, Greek Ministry of
Health, Athens, Greece (Mentor: Professor Ourania Dafni)
- 2001-2003 **Part-time Research Assistant in Epidemiology**
Laboratory of Clinical Epidemiology, Department of Nursing,
University of Athens, Athens, Greece (Mentor: Professor Loukas
Sparos)

RESEARCH GRANT PARTICIPATION

Active

1) World Cancer Research Fund Regular Grant Programme. December 2014 - November 2018.

Tsilidis KK, Principal Investigator

£ 249,905

Comprehensive assessment, validation and causal identification of dietary exposures and cancer risk

The overall goal of this project is to evaluate whether causal associations between dietary variables and cancer risk exist using state-of-the-art epidemiological methods and datasets from large world-wide consortia.

2) Cyprus University of Technology Starting Grant. February 2014 - January 2016.

Tsilidis KK, Co-Principal Investigator (PI: Papatheodorou)

€ 40,000

Critical appraisal of the literature of the association of biomarkers and cancer risk

3) European Union, 7th Framework program-Health-2013-Innovation-1. September 2013 – August 2016

Tsilidis KK, Co-Investigator (PI: Brandi)

€ 7,597,317

CREDITS4HEALTH, Credits-based, people-centric approach for the adoption of healthy lifestyles and balanced Mediterranean diet in the frame of social participation and innovation for health promotion

Completed

1) Hellenic Republic, General Secretary of Research and Technology, Aristeia II. February 2014 - October 2015.

Tsilidis KK, Principal Investigator

€ 294,900

Blood pressure, blood pressure lowering medications and risk of cancer

The overall goal of this project is to evaluate the association between blood pressure/hypertension and anti-hypertensive treatment with risk of cancer.

2) Hellenic Republic, General Secretary of Research and Technology, Aristeia I. October 2012 - September 2015.

Tsilidis KK, Co-Investigator (PI: Stratigos)

€ 344,297

Genetic risk factors of melanoma in a Greek population

3) European Union, 7th Framework program-People-Marie Curie Intra-European Fellowship for Career Development. September 2011 - August 2013.

Tsilidis KK, Coordinator

€ 157,720

The association between type 2 diabetes diagnosis and diabetes medications with risk of cancer

The overall goal of this project is to evaluate the association between type 2 diabetes diagnosis and type 2 diabetes pharmacologic treatment with risk of cancer.

4) Frederik B. Bang Award for student research in Pathobiology. Johns Hopkins School of Public Health. May 2007 - May 2008.

Tsilidis KK, Principal Investigator

\$ 5,000

Measuring colonic inflammation and epithelial damage: a novel histological score and correlated blood, dietary and lifestyle biomarkers

This project measured the extent of inflammation in apparently normal colonic tissue, and evaluated whether C-reactive protein concentrations and other potential blood biomarkers correlate well with this colonic inflammation.

AWARDS / SCHOLARSHIPS

2014	Best reviewer award, Pharmacoepidemiology & Drug Safety
2010	American Association for Cancer Research Scholar-in-Training Award, 9 th Annual International Conference on Frontiers in Cancer Prevention Research
2008	The Jean Coombs Award, Johns Hopkins School of Public Health
2007	The Ruth Freeman Memorial Award, Johns Hopkins School of Public Health
2007	Delta Omega Scholarship, Johns Hopkins School of Public Health
2006	Doctoral Thesis Research Fund, Johns Hopkins School of Public Health
2006	Harvey M. Meyerhoff Fellowship in Cancer Prevention, Johns Hopkins School of Public Health
2004-2007	Graduate studies scholarship, Johns Hopkins School of Public Health, Department of Epidemiology
2003-2004	J. William Fulbright scholarship for graduate studies in the USA
2003-2004	Gerondelis Foundation Award for graduate studies in the USA
2003-2007	Greek State Scholarship Foundation, scholarship for graduate studies in the USA
2003	Greek State Scholarship Foundation, Prize for graduating first from the Master of Public Health program
2002	Fellowship, Netherlands Institute for Health Sciences, Erasmus Summer Program in Epidemiology and Biostatistics
2001-2003	University of Athens, Prize for graduating first from the Bachelor of Nursing program and scholarship for graduate studies in Public

Health

- 2001 First Prize for research, 28th Panhellenic Nursing Conference
- 1999-2001 Greek State Scholarship Foundation, Prizes for excellent academic achievements in undergraduate studies

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Classroom lecturing

- 2015-2016 Lectures (70 hours) in Hygiene and Epidemiology I and II, in Biostatistics and in Health Policy, Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, University of Ioannina School of Medicine
- 2015-2016 Co-leader of the Molecular Epidemiology module for the MSc in Epidemiology at Imperial College London
- 2015-2016 Lectures in Epidemiology & Biostatistics and Molecular Epidemiology at the MSc program of "Basic Sciences", University of Ioannina School of Medicine
- 2014-2016 Faculty in charge for Hygiene and Epidemiology II class
- 2014-2016 Lectures in Epidemiology and Public Health at the MSc program of "Nursing Pathology", University of Ioannina School of Medicine
- 2014-2015 Lectures (72 hours) in Hygiene and Epidemiology I and II, in Biostatistics and in Health Policy, Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, University of Ioannina School of Medicine
- 2013-2014 Lectures (57 hours) in Hygiene and Epidemiology I and II, Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, University of Ioannina School of Medicine
- 2012-2015 Lectures in Research Methodology at the MSc program of "Pain management", University of Ioannina School of Medicine
- 2012-2013 Lectures (65 hours) in Hygiene and Epidemiology I, II and in Biostatistics, Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, University of Ioannina School of Medicine
- 2011-2015 Lectures in Epidemiology and Biostatistics for General Medicine residents, University of Ioannina Hospital
- 2011-2012 Lectures (50 hours) in Hygiene and Epidemiology I and II, Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, University of Ioannina School of Medicine

- 2010-2011 Lectures (30 hours) in Hygiene and Epidemiology I and II, Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, University of Ioannina School of Medicine
- 2003-2008 Teaching Assistant, Johns Hopkins School of Public Health (Courses: Epidemiologic Methods I [lab leader], Methodologic challenges in epidemiologic research, Meta-analysis)
- 2003 Lectures (20 hours) in Research Methodology, Specialty in Surgical Nursing, G. Gennimatas Hospital, Athens, Greece
- 2002 Lectures (6 hours) in Epidemiology and Demography, Intensive program in Health Services Management and Administration and Public Health, Department of Nursing, University of Athens
- 2001-2003 100 laboratory hours of teaching of Epidemiology (43 hours), Biostatistics (35 hours), Prevention of non-communicable and communicable diseases (2 hours) and Community Nursing (20 hours) to undergraduate students, Department of Nursing, University of Athens

Current Advisees

Post-doctoral Fellows

Vasiliki Dimitrakopoulou, 03/2014-present

Doctoral students

Alexandros Tsilis (co-advisor; primary advisor: Kitsos G), 06/2012-present (*“Association of chronic glaucoma with dementia”*)

Ioannis Kassimis, 09/2012-present (*“Association of type II diabetes and metabolic syndrome with risk of prostate cancer”*)

Artemisia Kakourou, 07/2014-present (*“Association of blood pressure and blood pressure lowering drugs with risk of cancer”*)

Nikolaos Papadimitriou, 07/2014-present (*“Estimation of causal associations in risk factors for cancer”*)

Stamatina Manolia, 09/2014-present (*“Disability-adjusted life years for cardiovascular disease, type II diabetes and dementia”*)

Georgios Ntritsos (co-advisor; primary advisor: Evangelou E), 06/2014-present (*“Genetic risk factors for melanoma”*)

Iro Rapti (co-advisor; primary advisor: Ntzani E), 02/2015-present (*“Evaluating therapeutic interventions in the area of organ transplantation”*)

Kawthar Al-Dabhani (co-advisor at Imperial College; primary advisor: Tzoulaki I), 02/2015-present (*“Interplay between vitamin D and metabolic syndrome in colorectal cancer development”*)

MSc students

Evangelia Rintou, 10/2013-present (*“Umbrella review of the literature on psychological interventions for pain management”*)

Past Advisees

Post-doctoral Fellows

Abhijit Sen, 02/2014-09/2014**Alicia Garcia-Anguita**, 06/2014-07/2015

MSc students

Evangelia Ziampra, 2015 (*“Headache in children and adolescents: how is their every day life affected”*)**Simin Zeng**, 2015 (co-advisor at Imperial College; primary advisor: Gunter M) (*“Associations between different insulin regimens and cancer risk among patients with type II diabetes in the UK CPRD”*)

Doctoral Thesis committee

Orestis Panagiotou, PhD, 2014**Loukia Spinelli**, PhD, 2014**Anna Chaimani**, PhD, 2014**Dimitrios Petrakis**, PhD, 2015**Georgios Siontis**, PhD, 2015*Other Formal and Informal Mentoring*

February 2008-May 2008 Student Mentoring Program (student name: Sindhu Lakkur),
The association between obesity and colorectal
adenomatous and hyperplastic polyps, Johns Hopkins
School of Public Health

PUBLICATIONS*Peer-reviewed Scientific Journals*

Total number of peer-reviewed publications	74
First-name author	21
Second-name author	6
Last-name author	7
Mean impact factor (IF) per publication	5.82
Total number of citations (Google scholar)	2248
H-index (Google scholar)	25
Total number of citations (Scopus)	1449
Total number of citations (ISI web of science)	1217

1. **Tsilidis KK**, Papadimitriou N, Capothanassi D, Bamia C, Benetou V, Jenab M, Freisling H, Kee F, Nelen A, O'Doherty MG, Scott A, Soerjomatara I, Tjønneland A, May AM, Quirós JR, Pettersson-Kymmer U, Brenner H, Schöttker B, Ordóñez-Mena JM, Dieffenbach AD, Eriksson S, Bøgeberg Mathiesen E, Njølstad I, Siganos G, Wilsgaard T, Boffetta P, Trichopoulos D, Trichopoulou A. Burden of cancer in a large consortium of prospective cohorts in Europe. JNCI 2016 [accepted]. **[IF: 13.6, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
2. Dimitrakopoulou VI, Travis RC, Shui IM, Mondul A, Albanes D, Virtamo J, Agudo A,

- Boeing H, Bueno-de-Mesquita HB, Gunter M, Johansson M, Khaw K-T, Overvad K, Palli D, Trichopoulou A, Giovannucci E, Hunter DJ, Lindström S, Willett W, Gaziano JM, Stampfer M, Berg C, Berndt SI, Black A, Hoover RN, Kraft P, Key TJ, **Tsilidis KK**. Interactions between genome-wide significant genetic variants and circulating concentrations of 25-hydroxyvitamin D in relation to prostate cancer risk in the NCI Breast and Prostate Cancer Cohort Consortium. *Am J Epidemiol* 2016 [accepted]. **[IF: 5.6, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
3. Murphy N, Cross AJ, Abubakar M, Jenab M, Aleksandrova K, Boutron-Ruault MC, Dossus L, Racine A, Kühn T, Katzke VA, Tjønneland A, Petersen KE, Overvad K, Quirós JR, Jakszyn P, Molina-Montes E, Dorronsoro M, Huerta JM, Barricarte A, Khaw KT, Wareham N, Travis RC, Trichopoulou A, Lagiou P, Trichopoulos D, Masala G, Krogh V, Tumino R, Vineis P, Panico S, Bueno-de-Mesquita HB, Siersema PD, Peeters PH, Ohlsson B, Ericson U, Palmqvist R, Nyström H, Weiderpass E, Skeie G, Freisling H, Kong SY, **Tsilidis K**, Muller DC, Riboli E, Gunter MJ. A Nested Case-Control Study of Metabolically Defined Body Size Phenotypes and Risk of Colorectal Cancer in the European Prospective Investigation into Cancer and Nutrition (EPIC). *PLoS Med.* 2016 Apr 5;13(4):e1001988. **[IF: 14.4, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
 4. Lopez DS, Advani S, **Tsilidis KK**, Wang R, Baillargeon J, Dobs A, Symanski E, Canfield S. Association of Urinary Phthalate Metabolites With Erectile Dysfunction in Racial and Ethnic Groups in the National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey 2001-2004. *Am J Mens Health.* 2016 Apr 1. **[IF: 1.2, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
 5. Hemminki K, Pavlidis N, **Tsilidis KK**, Sundquist K, Ji J. Age-Dependent Metastatic Spread and Survival: Cancer of Unknown Primary as a Model. *Sci Rep.* 2016 Mar 24;6:23725. **[IF: 5.6, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
 6. Merritt MA, Tzoulaki I, van den Brandt PA, Schouten LJ, **Tsilidis KK**, Weiderpass E, Patel CJ, Tjønneland A, Hansen L, Overvad K, His M, Dartois L, Boutron-Ruault MC, Fortner RT, Kaaks R, Aleksandrova K, Boeing H, Trichopoulou A, Lagiou P, Bamia C, Palli D, Krogh V, Tumino R, Ricceri F, Mattiello A, Bueno-de-Mesquita HB, Onland-Moret NC, Peeters PH, Skeie G, Jareid M, Quirós JR, Obón-Santacana M, Sánchez MJ, Chamosa S, Huerta JM, Barricarte A, Dias JA, Sonestedt E, Idahl A, Lundin E, Wareham NJ, Khaw KT, Travis RC, Ferrari P, Riboli E, Gunter MJ. Nutrient-wide association study of 57 foods/nutrients and epithelial ovarian cancer in the European Prospective Investigation into Cancer and Nutrition study and the Netherlands Cohort Study. *Am J Clin Nutr.* 2015 [Epub ahead of print] **[IF: 6.8, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
 7. Aleksandrova K, Bamia C, Drogan D, Lagiou P, Trichopoulou A, Jenab M, Fedirko V, Romieu I, Bueno-de-Mesquita HB, Pischon T, **Tsilidis K**, Overvad K, Tjønneland A, Bouton-Ruault MC, Dossus L, Racine A, Kaaks R, Kühn T, Tsironis C, Papatesta EM, Saitakis G, Palli D, Panico S, Grioni S, Tumino R, Vineis P, Peeters PH, Weiderpass E, Lukic M, Braaten T, Quirós JR, Luján-Barroso L, Sánchez MJ, Chilarque MD, Ardanas E, Dorronsoro M, Nilsson LM, Sund M, Wallström P, Ohlsson B, Bradbury KE, Khaw KT, Wareham N, Stepien M, Duarte-Salles T, Assi N, Murphy N, Gunter MJ, Riboli E, Boeing H, Trichopoulos D. The association of coffee intake with liver cancer risk is mediated by biomarkers of inflammation and hepatocellular injury: data from the European Prospective Investigation into Cancer and Nutrition. *Am J Clin Nutr* 2015 [Epub ahead of print] **[IF: 6.8, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**

8. Bešević J, Gunter MJ, Fortner RT, **Tsilidis KK**, Weiderpass E, Charlotte Onland-Moret N, Dossus L, Tjønneland A, Hansen L, Overvad K, Mesrine S, Baglietto L, Clavel-Chapelon F, Kaaks R, Aleksandrova K, Boeing H, Trichopoulou A, Lagiou P, Bamia C, Masala G, Agnoli C, Tumino R, Ricceri F, Panico S, Bueno-de-Mesquita HA, Peeters PH, Jareid M, Ramón Quirós J, Duell EJ, Sánchez MJ, Larrañaga N, Chirlaque MD, Barricarte A, Dias JA, Sonestedt E, Idahl A, Lundin E, Wareham NJ, Khaw KT, Travis RC, Rinaldi S, Romieu I, Riboli E, Merritt MA. Reproductive factors and epithelial ovarian cancer survival in the EPIC cohort study. *Br J Cancer* 2015; [Epub ahead of print] **[IF: 4.8, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
9. Garcia-Angueta A, Kakourou A, **Tsilidis KK**. Biomarkers of Inflammation and Immune Function and Risk of Colorectal Cancer. *Curr Colorectal Cancer Rep* 2015;11:250-258. **[IF: NR, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
10. Sen A, **Tsilidis KK**, Allen NE, Rinaldi S, Appleby PN, Almquist M, Schmidt JA, Dahm CC, Overvad K, Tjønneland A, Rostgaard-Hansen AL, Clavel-Chapelon F, Baglietto L, Boutron-Ruault MC, Kühn T, Katze VA, Boeing H, Trichopoulou A, Tsironis C, Lagiou P, Palli D, Pala V, Panico S, Tumino R, Vineis P, Bueno-de-Mesquita HA, Peeters PH, Hjartåker A, Lund E, Weiderpass E, Quirós JR, Agudo A, Sánchez MJ, Arriola L, Gavrila D, Gurra AB, Tosovic A, Hennings J, Sandström M, Romieu I, Ferrari P, Zamora-Ros R, Khaw KT, Wareham NJ, Riboli E, Gunter M, Franceschi S. Baseline and lifetime alcohol consumption and risk of differentiated thyroid carcinoma in the EPIC study. *Br J Cancer* 2015;13:840-847. **[IF: 4.8, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
11. Kakourou A, Koutsioumpa C, Lopez DS, Hoffman-Bolton J, Bradwin G, Rifai N, Helzlsouer KJ, Platz EA, **Tsilidis KK**. Interleukin-6 and risk of colorectal cancer: results from the CLUE II cohort and a meta-analysis of prospective studies. *Cancer Causes Control* 2015;26:1449-1460. **[IF: 2.7, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
12. Zamora-Ros R, Rinaldi S, **Tsilidis KK**, Weiderpass E, Boutron-Ruault MC, Rostgaard-Hansen AL, Tjønneland A, Clavel-Chapelon F, Mesrine S, Katzke VA, Kühn T, Förster J, Boeing H, Trichopoulou A, Lagiou P, Klinaki E, Masala G, Sieri S, Ricceri F, Tumino R, Mattiello A, Peeters PH, Bueno-de-Mesquita HB, Engeset D, Skeie G, Argüelles M, Agudo A, Sánchez MJ, Chirlaque MD, Barricarte A, Chamosa S, Almquist M, Tosovic A, Hennings J, Sandström M, Schmidt JA, Khaw KT, Wareham NJ, Cross AJ, Slimani N, Byrnes G, Romieu I, Riboli E, Franceschi S. Energy and macronutrient intake and risk of differentiated thyroid carcinoma in the European Prospective Investigation into Cancer and Nutrition study. *Int J Cancer* 2015 [Epub ahead of print]. **[IF: 5.0, Citations per Google scholar: 2]**
13. Berndt SI, Wang Z, Yeager M, Alavanja MC, Albanes D, Amundadottir L, Andriole G, Beane Freeman L, Campa D, Cancel-Tassin G, Canzian F, Cornu JN, Cussenot O, Diver WR, Gapstur SM, Grönberg H, Haiman CA, Henderson B, Hutchinson A, Hunter DJ, Key TJ, Kolb S, Koutros S, Kraft P, Le Marchand L, Lindström S, Machiela MJ, Ostrander EA, Riboli E, Schumacher F, Siddiq A, Stanford JL, Stevens VL, Travis RC, **Tsilidis KK**, Virtamo J, Weinstein S, Wilkond F, Xu J, Lilly Zheng S, Yu K, Wheeler W, Zhang H; African Ancestry Prostate Cancer GWAS Consortium, Sampson J, Black A, Jacobs K, Hoover RN, Tucker M, Chanock SJ. Two susceptibility loci identified for prostate cancer aggressiveness. *Nat Commun* 2015;6:6889. **[IF: 10.7, Citations per Google scholar: 5]**

14. Lopez DS, Wang R, **Tsilidis KK**, Zhu H, Daniel CR, Sinha A, Canfield S. Role of Caffeine Intake on Erectile Dysfunction in US Men: Results from NHANES 2001-2004. *PLoS One* 2015;10:e0123547. **[IF: 3.5, Citations per Google scholar: 1]**
15. Shui IM, Mondul AM, Lindström S, **Tsilidis KK**, Travis RC, Gerke T, Albanes D, Mucci LA, Giovannucci E, Kraft P; for the Breast and Prostate Cancer Cohort Consortium Group. Circulating vitamin D, vitamin D-related genetic variation, and risk of fatal prostate cancer in the National Cancer Institute Breast and Prostate Cancer Cohort Consortium. *Cancer* 2015;121:1949-1956. **[IF: 4.9, Citations per Google scholar: 2]**
16. **Tsilidis KK**, Ioannidis JP. Authors' reply to editorial linked to their umbrella review of meta-analyses of observational studies on type 2 diabetes and cancer. *BMJ* 2015;350:h711. **[IF: 16.3, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
17. Merritt MA, Tzoulaki I, Tworoger SS, De Vivo I, Hankinson SE, Fernandes J, **Tsilidis KK**, Weiderpass E, Tjønneland A, Petersen KE, Dahm CC, Overvad K, Dossus L, Boutron-Ruault MC, Fagherazzi G, Fortner RT, Kaaks R, Aleksandrova K, Boeing H, Trichopoulou A, Bamia C, Trichopoulos D, Palli D, Grioni S, Tumino R, Sacerdote C, Mattiello A, Bueno-de-Mesquita HB, Onland-Moret NC, Peeters PH, Gram IT, Skeie G, Quirós JR, Duell EJ, Sánchez MJ, Salmerón D, Barricarte A, Chamosa S, Ericson U, Sonestedt E, Nilsson LM, Idahl A, Khaw KT, Wareham N, Travis RC, Rinaldi S, Romieu I, Patel CJ, Riboli E, Gunter MJ. Investigation of dietary factors and endometrial cancer risk using a nutrient-wide association study approach in the EPIC and Nurses' Health Study (NHS) and NHSII. *Cancer Epidemiol Biomarkers Prev* 2015;24:466-71. **[IF: 4.3, Citations per Google scholar: 5]**
18. Nimptsch K, Aleksandrova K, Boeing H, Janke J, Lee YA, Jenab M, Kong SY, **Tsilidis KK**, Weiderpass E, Bueno-De-Mesquita BH, Siersema PD, Jansen EH, Trichopoulou A, Tjønneland A, Olsen A, Wu C, Overvad K, Boutron-Ruault MC, Racine A, Freisling H, Katzke V, Kaaks R, Lagiou P, Trichopoulos D, Severi G, Naccarati A, Mattiello A, Palli D, Grioni S, Tumino R, Peeters PH, Ljuslinder I, Nyström H, Brändstedt J, Sánchez MJ, Gurreea AB, Bonet CB, Chirlaque MD, Dorronsoro M, Quirós JR, Travis RC, Khaw KT, Wareham N, Riboli E, Gunter MJ, Pischon T. Plasma fetuin-A concentration, genetic variation in the AHSB gene and risk of colorectal cancer. *Int J Cancer* 2015;137:911-920. **[IF: 5.0, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
19. **Tsilidis KK**, Kasimis JC, Lopez DS, Ntzani EE, Ioannidis JP. Type 2 diabetes and cancer: umbrella review of meta-analyses of observational studies. *BMJ* 2015;350:g7607. **[IF: 16.3, Citations per Google scholar: 14]**
20. Mondul AM, Shui IM, Yu K, Weinstein SJ, **Tsilidis KK**, Joshi AD, Agudo A, Berg CD, Black A, Buring JE, Chasman DI, Gaudet MM, Haiman C, Hankinson SE, Henderson BE, Hoover RN, Hunter DJ, Khaw KT, Kühn T, Kvaskoff M, LeMarchand L, Lindstrom S, McCullough M, Overvad K, Peeters PH, Riboli E, Ridker PM, Stram DO, Sund M, Trichopoulos D, Tumino R, Weiderpass E, Willett WC, Kraft P, Ziegler RG, Albanes D. Vitamin D-associated genetic variation and risk of breast cancer in the Breast and Prostate Cancer Cohort Consortium (BPC3). *Cancer Epidemiol Biomarkers Prev* 2014;24:627-30. **[IF: 4.3, Citations per Google scholar: 4]**

21. Papatheodorou SI, **Tsilidis KK**, Evangelou E, Ioannidis JP. Application of credibility ceilings probes the robustness of meta-analyses of biomarkers and cancer risk. *J Clin Epidemiol* 2015;68:163-74. **[IF: 5.5, Citations per Google scholar: 1]**
22. Tsilis AG, **Tsilidis KK**, Pelidou SH, Kitsos G. Systematic review of the association between Alzheimer's disease and chronic glaucoma. *Clin Ophthalmol* 2014;8:2095-104. **[IF: NR, Citations per Google scholar: 3]**
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24. Lopez DS, Peskoe SB, **Tsilidis KK**, Hoffman-Bolton J, Helzlsouer KJ, Isaacs WB, Smith MW, Platz EA. Association of variants in genes related to the immune response and obesity with BPH in CLUE II. *Prostate Cancer Prostatic Dis* 2014;17:353-8. **[IF: 2.8, Citations per Google scholar: 0]**
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2. Capothanasi D, **Tsilidis KK**. Metformin and risk of cancer. 4th Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 22-24, 2013, Athens, Greece.
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2. Kakourou A, Koutsoumpa C, Platz EA, **Tsilidis KK**. Interleukin-6 concentrations and risk of colorectal cancer. 5th Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 21-23, 2014, Thessaloniki, Greece.
3. Dimitrakopoulou V, Travis R, Shui I, Mondul A, Albanes D, Kraft P, Key T, **Tsilidis KK**. Interactions between genome-wide significant genetic variants and circulating concentrations of 25-hydroxyvitamin D in relation to prostate cancer risk in the NCI Breast and Prostate Cancer Cohort Consortium. 5th Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 21-23, 2014, Thessaloniki, Greece.
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13. Tolika F, Sourtzi P, Tagaris G, **Tsilidis KK**, Velonakis E. Risk factors of Parkinson's disease. 2nd Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 25-27, 2011, Larissa, Greece.

14. **Tsilidis KK**, Allen NE, Key TJ, et al. Menopausal hormone therapy and risk of ovarian cancer in the European Prospective Investigation into Cancer and Nutrition. 9th Annual American Association for Cancer Research International Conference: Frontiers in Cancer Prevention Research, November 7-10, 2010, Philadelphia, PA [Scholar-in-Training award].
15. Shinohara RT, Frangakis CE, Platz EA, **Tsilidis KK**. Estimating effects by combining instrumental variables with case-control designs: the role of principal stratification. Causal Inference: State-of-the-art, March 16-18, 2009, University of Cambridge, Cambridge, UK.
16. Gurel B, Valdman A, Cappelli L, **Tsilidis KK**, Hicks J, De Marzo AM, Drake CG, Meeker AK. Prostate atrophy, but not prostate carcinoma, is characterized by a relative infiltration of Tregs. 98th Annual Meeting of the United States and Canadian Academy of Pathology, March 7-13, 2009, Boston, MA.
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19. **Tsilidis KK**, Rohrmann S, Zhang L, Nelson WG, Brown T, De Marzo A, Platz EA, for the Hormone Demonstration Working Group. Inter-relation of serum sex steroid hormones and C-reactive protein in men. 97th Annual American Association for Cancer Research Meeting. April 1-5, 2006, Washington, DC.
20. **Tsilidis KK**, Helzlsouer KJ, Brancati FL, Pollak MN, Rifai N, Platz EA. Association of obesity, insulin resistance, and other features of the metabolic syndrome with colorectal adenoma in CLUE II. 4th Annual American Association for Cancer Research International Conference: Frontiers in Cancer Prevention Research, October 30-November 2, 2005, Baltimore, Maryland.
21. A. Kalokerinou, A. Lambrou, **K. Tsilidis**, P. Sourtzi. The social profile of refugees and immigrants users of health care services in Greece. 12th Biennial Conference of the Workgroup of European Nurses Researchers, 5-8 October 2004, Lisbon, Portugal.
22. A. Kalokerinou, **K. Tsilidis**, A. Lamprou, P. Sourtzi. Development of a recording system for nursing needs of immigrants and refugees in Greece. The International Council of Nurses. Building excellence through evidence, 27-29 June 2003, Geneva, Switzerland.
23. **K. Tsilidis**. Diagnostic Research. 30th Panhellenic Nursing Conference, 19-22 May 2003, Alexandroupolis, Greece.
24. A. Fili, K. Petsios, A. Mixti, T. Tsaousis, M. Ntafla, **K. Tsilidis**. Nursing students and Bioethics. 30th Panhellenic Nursing Conference, 19-22 May 2003, Alexandroupolis, Greece.

25. I. Zaxos, P. Galanis, N. Petroglou, **K. Tsilidis**, A. Tzabaras, E. Aneblabis, L. Sparos. Quantitative evaluation of qualitative expressions. 29th Panhellenic Medical Conference, 20-24 May 2003, Athens, Greece.
26. N. Varvaresou, M. Kapha, R. Mosxopoulou, A. Tatsi, **K. Tsilidis**, H. Mprokalaki. Relationship between the type of urine catheter and the occurrence of urine tract infections. 4th Panhellenic Conference of Nursing students. 13-15 December 2002, Athens, Greece.
27. A. Kalokerinou, F. Tolika, A. Lamprou, K. Mellou, **K. Tsilidis**, P. Sourtzi. Health Care Services for Refugees in Greece. 29th Panhellenic Nursing Conference, 13-16 May 2002, Ioannina, Greece.
28. **K. Tsilidis**. Cut-off point, ROC curve. 3rd Panhellenic Conference of Nursing students. 7-9 December 2001, Athens, Greece.
29. K. Tsaras, A. Lamprou, K. Mellou, N. Petroglou, **K. Tsilidis**. Agreement between two methods of clinical measurement. 3rd Panhellenic Conference of Nursing students. 7-9 December 2001, Athens, Greece.
30. T. Anastasiou, B. Ntouna, G. Karabasilis, D. Sakellariou, **K. Tsilidis**, K. Tsaras. Agreement in measuring HbA₂ between the “Helena” method and the high performance liquid chromatography. 12th Panhellenic Hematological Conference. 22-25 November 2001, Athens, Greece.
31. D. Papamichail, F. Tolika, **K. Tsilidis**, E. Evangellou. Outcome Determinants after Renal Transplantation in young patients. 28th Panhellenic Nursing Conference. 3-5 May 2001, Limnos, Greece (1st prize of scientific research).
32. A. Kalokerinou, E. Patiraki, S. Anthoussi, B. Apostolara, J. Karagiannis, E. Laiou, A. Lamprou, K. Mellou, D. Papamichail, F. Tolika, **K. Tsilidis**. Theories of Transcultural Nursing. 28th Panhellenic Nursing Conference. 3-5 May 2001, Limnos, Greece.
33. **K. Tsilidis**, D. Papamichail, F. Tolika. Outcome Determinants after Renal Transplantation in young patients. 2nd Panhellenic Conference of Nursing Students. 8-10 December 2000, Athens, Greece.
34. S. Anthoussi, B. Apostolara, D. Papamichail, F. Tolika, **K. Tsilidis**. The application of Transcultural Nursing in every-day nursing practice. 2nd Panhellenic Conference of Nursing Students. 8-10 December 2000, Athens, Greece.
35. F. Tolika, **K. Tsilidis**. The relationship between the nurse and the young patients with End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD). 1st Panhellenic Conference of Nursing Students. 3-5 December 1999, Athens, Greece.
36. X. Karabiti, B. Konstantakopoulou, K. Petsios, A. Pournara, **K. Tsilidis**, K. Fakinou. Problem Based Learning (PBL). 1st Panhellenic Conference of Nursing Students. 3-5 December 1999, Athens, Greece.

INVITED SEMINARS/PRESENTATIONS

- 2015 Common biases in the biomedical literature. Department of Ophthalmology, University of Ioannina School of Medicine, November 2, Ioannina, Greece.
- 2015 Recent Developments of Mendelian Randomization (MR) Methodology with an Application to the Association of Vitamin D Concentrations and Risk of Five Cancers. The Cyprus International Institute for Environmental and Public Health, Cyprus University of Technology, May 26, Limassol, Cyprus.
- 2015 Recent Developments of Mendelian Randomization (MR) Methodology with an Application to the Association of Vitamin D Concentrations and Risk of Five Cancers. Department of Epidemiology and Biostatistics, The School of Public Health, Imperial College London, March 3, London, United Kingdom.
- 2015 Evaluating the biomedical literature. Department of Ophthalmology, University of Ioannina School of Medicine, May 11, Ioannina, Greece
- 2015 Years of life lost due to premature mortality and disability because of cancer. CHANCES Dissemination Workshop. Healthy Ageing: definition, risk factors and implications for public health. January 23, 2015, Athens, Greece.
- 2014 Workshop: Genetic Epidemiology, 5th Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 21 - 23, 2014, Thessaloniki, Greece.
- 2014 Overview of three years research on diabetes type II and cancer risk, Stanford Prevention Research Center, Stanford University School of Medicine, April 3, 2014, Stanford, CA, USA
- 2014 Does metformin reduce cancer risk? School of Public Health, Imperial College London, March 18, 2014, London, UK
- 2013 Association of interleukin-6 and risk of colorectal cancer, Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, University of Ioannina School of Medicine, Ioannina, Greece
- 2013 Disability-adjusted life years for cancer in the CHANCES consortium, 4th Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 22-24, 2013, Athens, Greece.
- 2012 Evaluation of excess significance in meta-analyses of 98 biomarker associations with cancer risk, 3rd Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 30 - December 2, 2012, Athens, Greece.

- 2012 Workshop: Genetic Epidemiology, 3rd Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 30 - December 2, 2012, Athens, Greece.
- 2012 Graduate education in Public Health at the Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology of the University of Ioannina, 3rd Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 30 - December 2, 2012, Athens, Greece.
- 2012 Association between serum sex steroid hormones and inflammatory biomarkers in US men, Target Meeting's 2nd World Cardiovascular, Diabetes, and Obesity Online Conference, September 11-14, 2012
- 2011 EU-funded research activities of the Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology at the University of Ioannina. 2nd Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 25-27, 2011, Larissa, Greece.
- 2010 Menopausal hormone therapy and risk of colorectal, ovarian and endometrial cancer in EPIC, Department of Hygiene and Epidemiology, University of Ioannina School of Medicine, Ioannina, Greece
- 2008 Basic statistics for clinical studies, Department of Urology, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD
- 2008 The association of insulin resistance and inflammation with colorectal neoplasia, Division of Epidemiology, Public Health and Primary Care, Faculty of Medicine, Imperial College, London, UK
- 2008 The association of insulin resistance and inflammation with colorectal neoplasia, Cancer Epidemiology Unit, University of Oxford, Oxford, UK
- 2007 Basic statistics for basic biology, Department of Urology, Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, Baltimore, MD
- 2002 Epidemiologic study design, Hellenic National Graduate Nurses Association, Athens, Greece
- 2002 Nursing aspects in Cancer Prevention, Hellenic Cancer Society, Athens, Greece

MEMBER OF SCIENTIFIC COMMUNITIES

- 2014-present National Committee on Nutritional Policy, Hellenic Republic, Ministry of Health
- 2006-present American Association for Cancer Research

2004-present Society for Epidemiologic Research
2001-present Hellenic Society for Nursing studies
2001-present Hellenic Nurses Association

EDITORIAL ACTIVITIES

Editor

American Journal of Cancer Epidemiology and Prevention (2012-present; Senior Editorial Board)
Biomed Research International (2013-present; Editorial board, Epidemiology subject area)
International Journal of Molecular Epidemiology and Genetics (2013-present; Editorial board)

Journal reviewer

Acta Diabetologica
Advances in Cancer Research and Treatment
American Journal of Epidemiology
American Journal of Gastroenterology
Asian Journal of Andrology
Biomed Research International
BMC Cancer
BMC Cardiovascular Disorders
BMC Endocrine Disorders
BMC Gastroenterology
BMC Medical Research Methodology
BMC Medicine
Breast
British Journal of Cancer
Cancer Causes and Control
Cancer Epidemiology
Cancer Epidemiology Biomarkers and Prevention
Cancer Informatics
Cancer Research
Cancer Treatment Reviews
Carcinogenesis
Clinical Chemistry
Diabetic Medicine
Diabetologia
Endocrine-Related Cancer
European Journal of Clinical Investigation
European Journal of Epidemiology
Expert Review of Anticancer Therapy
Future Oncology
Journal of the American Aging Association
Journal of the American Medical Association
Journal of General Internal Medicine
Journal of Medical Genetics
Journal of the National Cancer Institute
Journal of Women's Health

International Journal of Cancer
International Journal of Epidemiology
Lancet Oncology
Medicine
Molecular Diagnosis and Therapy
Oncotarget
Pharmacoepidemiology & Drug Safety (Best reviewer 2014)
Plos One
Public Health Nutrition
Scientific Reports
SpringerPlus
Thyroid
Women & Health

Ad hoc review of proposals

2010 World Cancer Research Fund, regular program (1 application)
2012 Prostate Cancer UK (1 application)
2012 World Cancer Research Fund, Continuous Update Project RFA (2 applications)
2013 World Cancer Research Fund, regular program (1 application)
2014 Czech Science Foundation, standard program (1 application)
2015 Medical Research Council-UK, Methodology research panel (1 application)
2015 Czech Health Research Council, standard program (1 application)

Organizing/Scientific committee of conferences

1. Member of the Scientific Committee of 5th Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 21-23, 2014, Thessaloniki, Greece.
2. Member of the Scientific Committee of the High Level Conference on "Nutrition and Physical Activity from Childhood to Old Age: challenges and opportunities", February 25-26, 2014, Athens, Greece.
3. Member of the Organizing and Scientific Committee of 4th Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 22-24, 2013, Athens, Greece.
4. Member of the Organizing and Scientific Committee of 3rd Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 30- December 2, 2012, Athens, Greece.
5. Member of the Organizing Committee of 2nd Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 25-27, 2011, Larissa, Greece.
6. Volunteer for the 4th Annual American Association for Cancer Research International Conference: Frontiers in Cancer Prevention Research, October 30-November 2, 2005, Baltimore, Maryland.
7. President of the Organizing Committee of the 2nd Panhellenic Conference of the Nursing Students. Athens, 8-10 December 2000.

8. Member of the Organizing and the Scientific Committee of 1st Panhellenic Conference of the Nursing Students. Athens, 3-5 December 1999.

Chairperson of roundtables in conferences

1. Translational research in cancer epidemiology. 4th Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 22-24, 2013, Athens, Greece.

2. Evidence synthesis at the clinical and molecular level. 1st Pan-Hellenic Conference of the Forum of Public Health and Social Medicine, November 25-27, Athens, Greece.

Other

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CONTINUING EDUCATION

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ACADEMIC SERVICE

1. Elected member of the Student Assembly at the University of Athens (Department of Nursing) for the academic years 2001-2003.

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