

# CURRICULUM VITAE

## GENERAL INFORMATION

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### **Education**

Agricultural Engineer-Specialized in Land Reclamation and Agricultural Engineering (1980-1987).

PhD in Agricultural Sciences, Agricultural University of Athens.

Thesis Title: The effect of hysteresis on the distribution of liquids (water) in the porous bodies, 1998-2002

### **Professional and Academic status.**

Lecturer, Agricultural University of Athens, (2005-2010)

Assistant Professor, Agricultural University of Athens (2010-2015)

Associate Professor, Agricultural University of Athens (2015-2020)

Professor (2020-Present)

### **Languages**

English

### **Member**

- Geotechnical Chamber of Greece

- Hellenic Society of Agricultural Engineers
- Hellenic Hydrotechnical Association
- Hellenic Soil Science Society
- European Water Resources Association (EWRA)

### Teaching

Teaching and Research in the Department of Natural Resources Development & Agricultural Engineering, Agricultural University of Athens, namely:

**Undergraduate courses:** Soil Physics, Agricultural Hydraulics-Irrigation, Irrigation Systems, Drainage and Drainage Systems, crop response to water.

#### **Postgraduate courses:**

Special topics of Environmental Soil Physics

Special topics in Soil Physics

### Research activities:

- Soil water movement in the unsaturated and saturated zone. Hysteresis in pore water
- Determination and evaluation of soil and substrates hydrological and physical properties
- Irrigation and Drainage in agricultural lands
- Investigation of soil water and solute regime in irrigated agriculture by the use of dielectric devices

### Research Projects:

**TITLE: Validity, limits and possible trends of coastal South Mediterranean traditional groundwater irrigated agriculture.** (*Contract No.8001-CT90-0012 1992*). Collaboration: Agricultural University of Athens, CIHEAM Bari, Bonifica S.p.A. and ENB Ltd. Financed by the C.E.C.

**TITLE: Monitoring of the sea water intrusion in the groundwater aquifers of Argolis Plain.** Financed by the C.E.C. and the Ministry of Agriculture of Greece. Scientific Responsible: Prof. A. Poulouvasilis.

**TITLE: Rational application of irrigation and drainage under Greek conditions.**

Financed by the C.E.C. Scientific Responsible Prof. A. Poulouvasilis.

**TITLE: Understanding the natural and anthropogenic causes of land degradation and desertification in the Mediterranean Basin.** Financed by the C.E.C, Scientific

Responsible: Prof. A. Poulouvasilis.

**TITLE: «A surveillance system for assessing and monitoring of desertification»**

Financed by the C.E.C, Scientific Responsible: Prof. P.Kerkides

**TITLE: «Experimental investigation of the effects of treated municipal waste water use for olive orchards irrigation in Lakonia prefecture»** Scientific Co-ordinator Prof. Kerkides.

**TITLE: «Study of the soil water movement in irrigated agriculture»** Scientific Co-ordinator Prof. P. Kerkides.

**TITLE: «Research and Technological collaboration for the selection and composition of plant residues substrate for roof-tops-Urban Bioroof.»** 2013-2016. Scientific Responsible: As. Prof. P. Nektarios

**TITLE: «Incorporation of perlite in sandy soil as a measure to reduce irrigation water needs of turf grass and Bougainville».** 31/5/2021-31/10/2021. Scientific Responsible: Prof. J. Massas.

### **Publications in Referred International Scientific Journals**

*Soil Science Society of America Journal*

*Vadose zone Journal*

*Transport in Porous Media*

*Soil and Tillage Research*

*Geoderma*

*Australian Journal of Soil Research*

*Archives of Agronomy and Soil Science*

*Water Resources Management*  
*Irrigation and Drainage (I.C.I.D.)*  
*Hydrological Sciences Journal*  
*Journal of Irrigation and Drainage Engineering (ASCE)*  
*Desalination and Water Treatment Journal*  
*Journal of Horticulture & Biotechnology*  
*European Journal of Horticultural science*  
*Scientia Horticulturae*  
*HortScience*  
*HortTechnology*  
*Urban Forestry & Urban Greening*  
*Ecological Engineering Journal*  
*Journal of Environmental Management*  
*Journal of Hydroinformatics*  
*Journal of Plant Nutrition and Soil Science*  
*Agricultural Water Management*  
*Water*  
*Environmental Modeling & Assessment*  
*Land*  
*Geosciences*  
*Soil system*  
*Hydrology*  
*Sensor*  
*European water Journal*  
*Water Utility Journal*  
*Acta Horticulturae*

### **List of Publications in Referred Journals**

1. A. Poulouvasilis and **G. Kargas**, 2000. A note on calculating hysteretic behavior, *Soil Sci. Soc Am. J*, vol.64 (6): 1947-1950.
2. M. Papafotiou, J. Chronopoulos, **G. Kargas**, M. Voreacou, N. Leodaritis, O. Lagogiani, S. Gazi, 2001. Cotton gin trash compost and rice

hulls as growing medium components for ornamentals, *Journal of Horticulture & Biotechnology* vol.76(4): 431-435.

3. M. Papafotiou, V. Asimakopoulou, P. Kouvari, I. Kovaou, M. Phsyhalou, I. Lytra and **G. Kargas**, 2001. Cotton Gin Trash Compost as Growing Medium Ingredient for the Production of Pot Ornamentals, *European Journal of Horticultural science formerly Gartenbauwissenschaft*, Vol. 66 (5): 229-232.

4. M. Papafotiou, M. Phsyhalou, **G. Kargas**, I. Chatzipavlidis and J. Chronopoulos, 2004. Olive – mill compost as growing medium component for the production of poinsettia, *Scientia Horticulturae*, Vol 102 (2): 167-175.

5. **G. Kargas** and P. Kerkides, 2005. Hysteretic  $\Theta(S)$  curve prediction: Comparison of two models, *Transport in Porous Media*, 59(1): 97-113.

6. M. Papafotiou, **G. Kargas**, I. Lytra, 2005. Olive-mill waste compost as a growth medium component for foliage potted plants, *HortScience*, vol. 40(6): 1746-1750.

7. P. Kerkides, **G. Kargas** and I. Argyrokastritis, 2006. The effect of different methods used for hysteretic  $K(H)$  determination on the infiltration simulations, *Irrigation and Drainage*, 55: 403-418.

8. **G. Kargas**, P. Kerkides and A. Poulouvasilis, 2007. A new method for calculating hysteretic  $K(S)$  relationship, *Transport in Porous Media* 68(2): 175-185.

9. A. Poulouvasilis, **G. Kargas** and P. Kerkides 2008. Comments on the paper “Application of the “proportionate partitioning” method suggested by Poulouvasilis and Kargas (2000) for determination of the domain distribution function” by Mualem and Beriozkin (2008), *Transport in Porous Media* 75: 223-226.

10. **G. Kargas** and P. Kerkides, 2008. Water content determination in mineral and organic porous media by ML2 THETA PROBE, *Irrigation and Drainage*, 57: 435-449.
11. **G. Kargas** and P. Kerkides, 2009. Discussion of “Soil water content and salinity determination using different dielectric methods in saline gypsiferous soil” by Bouksila et. al. *Hydrological Sciences Journal* 54 (1): 210-212.
12. **G. Kargas** and P. Kerkides, 2009. Performance of the THETA PROBE ML2 in the presence of nonuniform soil water profiles. *Soil and Tillage Research* 103(2): 425-432.
13. I. Argyrokastritis, **G. Kargas** and P. Kerkides, 2009. Simulation of soil moisture profiles using K(h) from coupling experimental retention curves and one-step outflow data. *Water Resour. Management* 23: 3255-3266.
14. **G. Kargas** and P. Kerkides, 2010. Evaluation of a dielectric sensor for measurement of soil water electrical conductivity. *Journal of Irrigation and Drainage Engineering* (ASCE) 136 (8):553-558
15. **G. Kargas** and P. Kerkides, 2011. A contribution to the study of the phenomenon of horizontal infiltration. *Water Resour. Management* 25:1131-1141.
16. **G. Kargas**, P. Kerkides, M. Seyfried, A. Sgoumbopoulou, 2011 Wet Sensor Performance in Organic and Inorganic Porous Media with heterogeneous moisture distribution. *Soil Sci. Soc Am. J.* 75:1244-1252.
17. **G. Kargas**, P. Kerkides, A. Poulouvassilis, 2012. Infiltration of rain water in semi-arid areas under three land surface treatments. *Soil and Tillage Research*, 120:15-24

18. **G. Kargas** and K. Soulis, 2012. Performance Analysis and Calibration of a New Low Cost Capacitance Soil Moisture Sensor 2012. *Journal of Irrigation and Drainage Engineering* (ASCE)138(7):632-641.
19. **G. Kargas**, P. Kerkides, 2012. Comparison of two models in predicting pore water electrical conductivity in different porous media 2012. *Geoderma* 189-190:563-576.
20. **G. Kargas**, N. Ntoulas and P. Nektarios, 2013. Moisture Content Measurements of Green Roof Substrates Using Two Dielectric Sensors. *HortTechnology* 23 (2):177-186.
21. Kotsiris G., P. Nektarios, N. Ntoulas and **G. Kargas**, 2013. An adaptive approach to intensive green roofs in the Mediterranean climatic region. *Urban Forestry & Urban Greening* 12(3):380-392.
22. M. Papafotiou, N. Pergialioti, E.A. Papanastassatos, L. Tassoula, I., **Kargas G.**, Massas I., 2013. Effect of substrate type and depth and irrigation frequency on growth of semiwoody Mediterranean species in green roofs, *ISHS Acta Horticulturae*, Volume 990, pp. 481-486.
23. **G. Kargas**, Bourazanis G. and Kerkides P. 2013. Could Dielectric Devices Replace Laborious Methodologies in Determining Soil Salinity. *Irrigation and Drainage Sys. Eng.* 2:110. doi:10.4172/2168-9768.1000110.
24. **G. Kargas**, N. Ntoulas, and P. Nektarios, 2013. Soil texture and salinity effects on calibration of TDR300 dielectric moisture sensor. *Soil Research* 51(4):330-340.
25. M. Papafotiou, N. Pergialioti, L. Tassoula, I. Massas and **G. Kargas**, 2013. Growth of native aromatic xerophytes in an extensive Mediterranean green roof, as affected by substrate type and depth, and irrigation frequency. *HortScience* 48(10) 1327-1333.

26. **G. Kargas** and K. Soulis, 2014. Discussion of "Calibration of the 10HS Soil Moisture Sensor for Southwest Florida Agricultural Soils" by David Spelman, Kristoph-Dietrich Kinzli, Tanya Kunberger. *Journal of Irrigation and Drainage Engineering* DOI: 10.1061/(ASCE)IR.1943-4774.0000647.
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28. **G. Kargas**, P. Kerkides and M.S. Seyfried. 2014. Response of Three Soil Water Sensors to Variable Solution Electrical Conductivity in Different Soils. *Vadose zone Journal* doi:10.2136/vzj2013.09.0169 September 2014, v.13.
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30. Mpourazanis G., Londra P. **Kargas G.**, Argyrokastritis I., Kerkides P. 2015. Evaluation of porous medium hydraulic properties using experimental methods and RETC code. *Archives of Agronomy and Soil Science* 62(8):1147-1157.
31. **G. Kargas**, Kerkides P., Sotirakoglou K., Poulouvassilis A. 2016. Temporal variability of surface soil hydraulic properties under various tillage systems. *Soil and Tillage Research* 158:22-31.
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35. Soulis K. X., N. Ntoulas, P. A. Nektarios, **G. Kargas**. 2017. Green roof runoff reduction under different substrate depths and vegetation covers: the effect of initial substrate moisture conditions and total rainfall depth. *ISHS Acta Horticulturae*, 1189: 541-544. <https://doi.org/10.17660/ActaHortic.2017.1189.108>.
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37. **G. Kargas**, P. Mougiou, A. Petsetidi and P. Kerkides. 2017. Soil water electrical conductivity determination based on the salinity index concept. *European Water Journal*, 59:343-349.
38. **G. Kargas**, Popescou P., Kaliontzis N., Marougas D., Kerkides P. 2017. Estimation of the Electrical Conductivity of Saturated Paste Extract using a dielectric sensor. *Journal of Irrigation and Drainage Engineering*. ([https://doi.org/10.1061/\(ASCE\)IR.1943-4774.0001156](https://doi.org/10.1061/(ASCE)IR.1943-4774.0001156)).
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linear model using a dielectric sensor. *Journal of Irrigation and Drainage Engineering* 143(8):04017030.

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42. Londra P. and **Kargas G.** 2018. Evaluation of hydrodynamic characteristics of porous media from one step outflow experiments using RETC code. *Journal of Hydroinformatics* 20(3):699-707.

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48. **G. Kargas**, Londra P., Anastasatou M., Aand N. Moustakas. 2020. The effect of soil iron on the estimation of soil water content using dielectric sensors. *Water* 2020 12(2) DOI 10.3390/w12020598
49. **G. Kargas**, Londra P. and Sgoubopoulou A. 2020. Comparison of Soil EC Values from Methods Based on 1:1 and 1:5 Soil to Water Ratios and EC<sub>e</sub> from Saturated Paste Extract Based Method. *Water* 2020, 12(4) DOI 10.3390/w12041010
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51. **G. Kargas** and P. A. Londra. 2020. Comparison of Two-Parameter Vertical Ponded Infiltration Equations. *Environmental Modeling & Assessment*, [doi.org/10.1007/s10666-020-09727-5](https://doi.org/10.1007/s10666-020-09727-5).
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(EC<sub>1:5</sub>) to soil saturated paste extract electrical conductivity (EC<sub>e</sub>).  
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