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John Yfantopoulos is Professor of Health Economics at the University of Athens, and Ex President of the National Centre for Social Research. He received his Doctor of Philosophy in Health Economics from the University of York, York, UK. Professor Yfantopoulos has extensive teaching and research experience in Health Economics in Europe and the USA. He was the Co-Chair of the 11th European Congress of the International Society of Pharmacoeconomics and Outcome Research (ISPOR). He has conducted comparative research based on large European multicultural studies for the European Commission-Eurostat, the World Health Organization, the International Labor Office and the World Bank. He has been a member of the Standing Committee for Social Science in the European Science Foundation. ESF. In 2005 in the evaluation of the Greek research centers from an international peer review committee, he received the highest grade (excellent (5)) for his scientific work, commitment to international collaboration and research networking.

Recent activities in a number of Eastern European countries include studies in the evaluation of economic efficiency and implementing effective Social Protection and Health reforms. Professor Yfantopoulos has acted as co-author in the ‘Social Situation Reports’ published by the European Commission and the Eurostat. He has published 30 books, as well as more than 280 articles in international journals such as: Socio-economic Planning, European Journal of Health Economics, Journal of Nursing Management, Journal of Health Management, International Journal of Health Technology Assessment, International Journal of Dentistry, Journal Health Quality of Life Outcomes, Journal of Population Economics, Public Health Nutrition, Value in Health, Social Science and Medicine. He is the Editor-in-Chief of the Greek Review of Social Research and a member of the editorial boards of several other journals such Health Economic Review.

Among his publications include: “Health Related Quality of Life” (Ed. Vol I and II 2002), “Blood Donor ship and the challenge of Aids in Greece”, (1993,) “Social Protection for Dependency in Old Age,” (2001) “Dimensions of Poverty in Greece” Vol. I and II (1999), “The Social Protection of Doctors” (2002), “Health Economics Theory and Policy” (2006), “The Economics of Health Reforms” (2007), “Health Economics Management and Policy” (2008), “Statistics in Social Research” (2009), Economic and Social Dimensions of the Welfare State” (2010) “Access to New Pharmaceutical Therapies” (2011).

His work has been translated in English, French, German, Spanish, Russian, Romanian, Turkish and Azeric.

Selected Publications:

{1979} “The Economics of Health Status and Health Care Planning. A Theoretical and Empirical Analysis with Reference to Greece” **Doctor of Philosophy Thesis. York University, England. Pages: 372**

{1980} “Medical and Paramedical Education with respect to Primary Health Care in Greece” **Edited by Varakis C and Yfantopoulos J. Proceeding of a Greek National Seminar organized by O.E.C.D –CERI.**

{1994} “Report on the Organization and Management of Health Services in Greece”. **Eds.Sissouras A. Yfantopoulos J. Ministry of Health, Welfare and Social Security.**

{2002} “Disability and Social Exclusion in the European Union. Time to Change tools to change”. **Under the Auspices of the European Disability Forum. The European Commission**

{2005} “The Economics of Health Reform” **Fourth World Conference on Health Economics. University of Athens (Editor) (Forthcoming)**

{2011} 27th Scientific Plenary Meeting of the EuroQol Group. Edited by John Yfantopoulos University of Athens and the EQ-5D Group

{2013} Social and Economic Dimensions of Climate Change in Greece **Ed. Zerefos Ch. Kapros G Papandreou A, Yfantopoulos J Bank of Greece**