

**ELENI THEODOROU, PhD MSc SLT**  
**Lecturer of Speech Therapy**  
**Department of Rehabilitation Sciences, School of Health Sciences**  
**Cyprus University of Technology**

Office

15 Vragadinou street  
3041 Limassol  
Cyprus  
Telephone: +35725002327  
Email: eleni.theodorou@cut.ac.cy

Private

3 Vithleem street  
4184 Ipsonas  
Limassol, Cyprus  
Telephone: +35799560815  
Email: etheod.log@gmail.com

---

## EDUCATION

- 2013            PhD. in Linguistics, University of Cyprus, School of Humanities  
                  Dissertation title: **Diagnosing Specific Language Impairment: the case of Cypriot-Greek** (Grade: Excellent) (Supervisor Dr Kleanthes K. Grohmann)
- 2003–2007     MSc Language and Communication Impairment in Children University of Sheffield, School of Communication Sciences
- 2006            MAKATON Regional Tutor for the MAKATON Vocabulary Development Project
- 1997-2001     Bachelor degree in Speech Therapy with honors Highest Technological Educational Institute of Patras, Greece
- 1994-1997     Saint Antonios Lyceum, Limassol (Cyprus): Distinction

## EMPLOYMENT

- 2016-            Cyprus University of Technology, Department of Rehabilitation Sciences,  
*Lecturer of Speech Therapy*
- 2003-2015     Ministry of Education and Culture of Cyprus,  
*Speech and Language Therapist in pre-primary, primary schools and special schools*
- 2014-2015     Cyprus University of Technology, Department of rehabilitation Sciences,  
*Special Scientist*
- 2013-2015     Ministry of Education and Culture Cyprus,  
*Special Education Coordinator*
- 2013–2014     European University Of Cyprus, Department of Speech Therapy,  
*Special Scientist*
- 2002-2003     Ministry of Health of Cyprus, General Hospital of Limassol,  
*Speech Therapist*

## **RESEARCH GRANTS**

1/2017-12/2018 Cyprus University of Technology. Start-up Fund, Language and Communication Impairments in Children: Diagnosis and Intervention

## **AWARDS AND GRANTS**

2014 Prize for the best PhD thesis from the University of Cyprus (27 June)

2011 Personal Research Budget. Full grant to participate in UMinho Summer school in Braga, Portugal (18-22 July)

2010 Personal Research Budget. Full grant to participate in LIMOBIS conference in Aalborg, Denmark (27 September-1 October)

2010 Personal Research Budget. Full grant to participate in EMLAR, Utrecht, Netherland (3-5 February)

7/2009 COST A33 Grant to participate in Summer School in Poznan, Poland (27 July-7 August)

2009 Personal Research Budget. Full grant to participate in conference in Chios, Greece (11-14 June)

3/2009 COST A33 Full grant to participate in Method School in Berlin, Germany (30 March 4 April)

1997-2001 Greek State Scholarship Foundation (IKY): full scholarship

## **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

2015-2018 Substitute management committee (Substitute MC) member in COST Action IS1406 "Enhancing Children's Oral Language Skills Across Europe and Beyond. A Collaboration Focusing on Interventions for Children with Difficulties Learning their First Language (PI: Dr James Law, Duration: June 2015-2018)

2011-2013 Research assistant (RA) in the project "Early Identification and Assessment of Preschool Children with Specific Language Impairment in Cyprus" (Industrial Applied Research Project funding from Cyprus Research Promotion Foundation awarded to Dr Kleanthes Grohmann, Duration: July 2011-September 2012)

2010-2013 Working member in COST Action ISO804 "Language Impairment in a Multilingual Society: Linguistic Patterns and the Road to Assessment" (PI: Dr Sharon Armon Lotem, Duration: June 2009-2013)

2010-2012 Research assistant in the project of Dr. Kleanthes Grohmann 'Generative Childhood-Holistic Investigations of Language Development (Gen-CHILD): Context Domain-Specific Socio-Syntax of First Language Acquisition in Cypriot Greek (Project funding from Cyprus University awarded to Dr Kleanthes Grohmann, Duration: April 2010- March 2012)

- 2006-2007 Research assistant (collection and analysis of toddlers' speech) in the project 'Genetic and Linguistic Factors in the Prognosis of Children with Slow Language Development' (project funding from Cyprus Research Promotion Foundation awarded to Dr Kakia Petinou and Cyprus Institute of Neurology and Genetics, Duration: 2001-2005)
- 2001 Collection and analysis (using CSL) of toddlers' speech for my thesis during my studies in Speech Therapy. The project was about the development of voicing contrasts in stop sounds in Modern Greek and Cypriot Greek. Project coordinator Dr Areti Okalidou, Highest Technological Institute of Patras Greece

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

- Spring 2016 SLT160 Clinical Topics in Speech Therapy(in Greek)  
Technological University of Cyprus, Department of Rehabilitation Sciences
- SLT275 Voice Disorders (in Greek)  
Technological University of Cyprus, Department of Rehabilitation Sciences
- Autumn 2015 SLT250- Fluency Disorders, Stuttering (in Greek)  
Technological University of Cyprus, Department of Rehabilitation Sciences
- Autumn 2014 SLT250- Fluency Disorders, Stuttering (in Greek)  
Technological University of Cyprus, Department of Rehabilitation Sciences
- Spring 2014 LOG 240 - Language disorders in children (in Greek)  
European University of Cyprus, School of Humanities, Department of Speech Therapy (LOG)
- Autumn 2013 LOG 250 - Phonological development and phonological disorders (in Greek)  
European University of Cyprus, School of Humanities, Department of Speech Therapy (LOG)

## **SUPERVISION**

- 2010 Co-supervisor – Bachelor thesis  
Eftixia Petrou, Sotiria Mbitou, Katerina Paschali. A study on narrative ability of Cypriot Greek preschooler children. Technological Institute of Patras, Speech Therapy Department

## CLINICAL WORK

- 9/2013-12/2015 Speech and Language Therapist in pre-primary and primary schools and regional coordinator of special education (Ministry of Education and Culture)
- 9/2005-8/2013 Speech and Language Therapist in pre-primary and primary schools (Ministry of Education and Culture) (Duration: 8 years)
- 9/2003-8/2005 Speech and Language Therapist in Theotokos Foundation (Early Intervention Program- Ministry of Education and Culture) (Duration: 2 years)
- 6/2002-8/2003 Speech and Language Therapist in Limassol's General Hospital (Ministry of Health) (Duration: 1 year, 2 months)
- 3/2001-8/2001 Practical/clinical experience during my studies in Archbishop Makarios Hospital (Duration: 6 months)

## LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

### Journal articles (Peer reviewed)

- Under review Pampoulou Eliada, Theodorou Elena and Petinou Kakia. **Augmentative and Alternative Communication in Cyprus: Preliminary Survey.** *Journal of Child Language Teaching and Therapy.*
- 2016 Theodorou Eleni, Kambanaros Maria and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Diagnosing bilectal children with SLI: Determination of identification accuracy.** *Clinical Linguistics and Phonetics.* 30(12), 925-943.
- 2016 Petinou Kakia and Theodorou Eleni. **Early phonetic development in typically developing children: A longitudinal investigation from Cypriot-Greek child data.** *Clinical Linguistics and Phonetics.* 30(1), 12-28.
- 2015 Varlokosta Spyridoula, Belletti Adriana, Costa João, Friedmann Naama, Gavarró Anna, Grohmann Kleanthes, Teresa Guasti, Maria Tuller, Laurice Andjelkovic, Darinka Argemí, Núria Avram, Larisa, Berends Sanne, Brunetto Valentina, Delage Hélène, Ezeizabarrena Segurola, María-José, Fattal, Iris, Haman, Ewa, van Hout Angeliek, van der Lely Heather, Lobo Maria, Jensen de López Kristine M., Katsos Napoleon, Kologranic Lana, Krstić Nadezda, Kuvac Kraljevic Jelena, Miękisz Aneta, Nerantzini Michaela, Queraltó Clara, Radic Zeljana, Ruiz Sílvia, Sauerland Uli, Sevcenco Anca, Smoczyńska Magdalena, Theodorou Eleni, Veenstra, Alma, Weston John, Yachini Maya, Yatsushiro Kazuko. **A Cross Linguistic Study of the Acquisition of Clitic and Pronoun Production.** *Language Acquisition.* 1-35.
- 2015 Theodorou Eleni and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Object clitics in Cypriot Greek children with SLI.** *Lingua.* 161, 144-158.
- 2013 Theodorou Eleni, Maria Kambanaros and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Specific Language Impairment: Diagnostic Issues.** *Language Variation.* 13(2), 217-236

- 2013 Theodorou Eleni and Kleanthes Grohmann. **The acquisition of relative clauses in Cypriot Greek: Production and comprehension.** *Diacrítica*. 26.1, 271-300
- 2013 Maria Kambanaros, Kleanthes Grohmann, Michalis Michaelidis and Eleni Theodorou. **Comparing multilingual children with SLI to their bilingual peers: Evidence from object and action picture naming.** *International Journal of Multilingualism*. 10(1), 60-81
- 2013 Maria Kambanaros, Kleanthes Grohmann, Michalis Michaelidis and Eleni Theodorou. **On the nature of verb-noun dissociations in bilingual SLI: A psycholinguistic perspective from Greek.** *Bilingualism: Language and Cognition*. First View, 1-20. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1017/S1366728913000035>
- 2012 Areti Okalidou, Kakia Petinou, Eleni Theodorou and Eleni Karasimou. **Development of voice onset time in standard-Greek and Cypriot-Greek-speaking preschoolers.** *Clinical Linguistics and Phonetics*. 24 (7), 503-519

#### Conference volumes (Peer reviewed)

- In press Theodorou Eleni, Pampoulou Eliada and Petinou K. Provision of Augmentative and Alternative Communication services to people with disabilities. Proceedings of 14<sup>th</sup> Pancyprian Conference of Cyprus Pedagogical Association, Nicosia, Cyprus.
- 2016 Kambanaros, Maria, Loukia Taxitari, Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes K. Grohmann. **Structural Language Deficits in a Child with DiGeorge Syndrome: Evidence from Greek.** In Eleni Babatsouli & David Ingram (eds.), Proceedings of the International Symposium on Monolingual and Bilingual Speech 2015, 112-124.
- 2015 Kambanaros, Maria, Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes K. Grohmann. **A case study on lexical and morphosyntactic skills in multilingual autism.** In Hélène Delage & Stéphanie Durrlemann (eds.), *Langage et cognition dans l'autisme chez l'enfant*. Paris: Editions De Boeck-Solal, 71-74.
- 2015 Maria Kambanaros, Loukia Taxitari, Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohman. **Structural language deficits in a child with DiGeorge Syndrome: Evidence from Greek.** In Eleni Babatsouli & David Ingram (eds.), Proceedings of the International Symposium on Monolingual and Bilingual Speech 2015, 112- 124. [<http://ismbs.eu/publications>]
- 2015 Theodorou Eleni and Kleanthes K. Grohmann. **Object clitic placement for the diagnosis of SLI in Cypriot Greek.** In Cornelia Hamann & Esther Ruigendijk (eds.), *Language Acquisition and Development (GALA 2013)*[working title]. Newcastle-upon Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 218-231.
- 2014 Kleanthes K. Grohmann, Maria Kambanaros, Eleni Theodorou and Michalis Michaelides. **Can vocabulary size predict narrative abilities in children with SLI.** In Nikolaos Lavidas, Areti Sougari, Thomai Alexiou, Vicky Papachristou, & Eirini Kelmali (eds.), Selected Papers from the 20<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Theoretical and Applied Linguistics — Thessaloniki, 1-3 April 2011. Thessaloniki: Monochromia

- 2013 Eleni Theodorou, Maria Kambanaros and Kleanthis Grohmann. Issues in the diagnosis of SLI in Cypriot Greek bilingual children. In Mark Jansen, Brian D. Joseph, Angela rally and Mettin Bagiatick (eds), Proceedings of the 5<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Modern Greek Dialects and Linguistic Theory, 463-474, Patra.
- 2013 Grohmann Kleanthes, Eleni Theodorou and Antri Kanikli. **Relative clauses acquisition in Cypriot-Greek: comprehension and production.** In Stavroula Stavrakaki, Polyxeni Konstantinopoulou & Marina Lalioti (eds.), *Advances in Language Acquisition*. Newcastle-upon-Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 90-99
- 2012 Theodorou Eleni. **Narratives in Cypriot Greek children with SLI.** In Kleanthes K. Grohmann, Elena Shelkovaya & Dionysios Zoumbalides (eds.), *Linguists of Tomorrow: Selected Papers from the 1st Cyprus Postgraduate Conference in Theoretical and Applied Linguistics*. Newcastle-upon-Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing, 205-231
- 2012 Kleanthes Grohmann, Eleni Theodorou, Natalia Pavlou, Evelina Leivada, Elena Papadopoulou and Silvia Martinez-Ferreiro. **The development of object clitic placement in Cypriot Greek and the Romance connection.** In Sandrine Ferre, Philippe Prevost, Laurie Tuller and Rasha Zebib (eds.), *The Romance Turn*. Newcastle-upon-Tyne: Cambridge Scholars Publishing
- 2010 Maria Kambanaros, Kleanthes K. Grohmann and Eleni Theodorou. **Action and object naming in mono- and bilingual children with Specific Language Impairment.** *Proceedings of ISCA Tutorial and Research Workshop on Experimental Linguistics 2010 — 25-27 August 2010, Athens, Greece.* Athens: ISCA and the University of Athens, 73-76
- 2010 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Narratives in Cypriot Greek mono- and bilingual children with SLI.** *Proceedings of ISCA Tutorial and Research Workshop on Experimental Linguistics 2010 — 25-27 August 2010, Athens, Greece.* Athens: ISCA and the University of Athens, 185-188

## LIST OF PRESENTATIONS

### Oral Presentations (Peer reviewed International Conferences)

- 8/2016 Eleni Theodrou, Maria Kambanaros and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Evaluation of morphosyntactic abilities of Greek Cypriot children using a sentence repetition task.** 30<sup>th</sup> Conference of International Association of Logopedics and Phoniatics. City West hotel conference and events, Saggart Co Dublin, Ireland.
- 8/2016 Maria Kambanaros, Loukia Taxitari, Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohmann. **When nonverbal IQ and vocabulary remain the same over time but morphosyntactic abilities improve: evidence from DiGeorge Syndrome.** 30<sup>th</sup> Conference of International Association of Logopedics and Phoniatics. City West hotel conference and events, Saggart Co Dublin, Ireland.
- 5/2016 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Examining the syntactic abilities of Greek Cypriot children with (S)LI using narratives.** Language Disorders in Greek 6. Technological Institute of Patras, Patra, Greece.

- 5/2015 Eleni Theodorou, Maria Kampanaros and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Sentence repetition as a tool of SLI identification: the case of Cypriot Greek.** European CPLOL Congress: Open the doors to communication. Palazzo Degli Affari, Florence, Italy
- 4/2015 Eleni Theodorou, Maria Kampanaros and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Measuring Working Memory in SLI using Sentence Repetition.** 22<sup>nd</sup> International Symposium of Theoretical and Applied Linguistics. Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 5/2014 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohmann. **The contribution of sentence repetition task in SLI identification.** Language Disorders in Greek 5. Cyprus University of Technology, Limassol, Cyprus
- 5/2014 Dina Kosta, Eleni Theodorou, Jill Neophytou and Maria Lazarou. **Using MAKATON to communicate: a single case study.** Language Disorders in Greek 5. Cyprus University of Technology, Limassol, Cyprus
- 9/2013 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Object Clitics in Bilectal Children and (Other) Diagnostic Tools for SLI in Cypriot Greek.** Generative Approaches to Language Acquisition (GALA 2013), University of Oldenburg, Germany
- 9/2012 Kleanthes Grohmann and Eleni Theodorou. **Acquisition of Relative Clauses in Cypriot Greek-Speaking Children with SLI.** Language Disorders in Greek 4. Technological Educational Institute of Patras, Greece
- 9/2012 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Issues in the diagnosis of SLI in Greek Cypriot bilectal children.** *Modern Greek Dialect and Linguistic Theory 5.* University of Ghent, Belgium
- 5/2012 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Object clitics in Cypriot Greek children with SLI.** *CYCLIA Workshop in the Acquisition of Clitics*, Nicosia, Cyprus
- 9/2011 Kleanthes Grohmann, Eleni Theodorou and Antri Kanikli. **Relative clauses acquisition in Cypriot-Greek: Comprehension and production.** *Generative Approaches to Language Acquisition 2011.* Thessaloniki, Greece
- 4/2011 Kleanthes K. Grohmann, Maria Kambanaros and Eleni Theodorou. **Can vocabulary size predict narrative abilities in children with SLI.** *20th International Symposium on Theoretical and Applied Linguistics.* Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 11/2010 with Angeliek van Hout, Natalia Gagarina, Wolfgang Dressler et al. (32 co-authors in total). **Learning to understand Aspect across language.** *Boston University Conference on Language Development.* Boston University, USA
- 10/2010 Maria Kambanaros, Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes K. Grohmann. **Profiling (Specific) Language Impairment in multilingual children: Preliminary evidence from Cyprus.** *Multilingual Individuals and Multilingual Societies.* University of Hamburg, Germany
- 10/2010 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes K. Grohmann. **Narratives in Cypriot Greek mono- and bilingual children with SLI.** *Language Impairment in Monolingual and Bilingual Society.* AaB Conference/Energi Nord Arena, Aalborg, Denmark

- 8/2010 Kleanthes K. Grohmann, Eleni Theodorou, Natalia Pavlou, Evelina Leivada and Lena Papadopoulou. **The acquisition of object clitics in Cypriot Greek and the Romance connection.** *Romance Turn 4*. Croix Montoire Conference Center, Tours, France
- 8/2010 Maria Kambanaros, Kleanthes Grohmann and Eleni Theodorou. **Object and action naming patterns in children with SLI and WFD: A new linguistic perspective from Cypriot Greek.** *28<sup>th</sup> World congress of International Association of Logopedics and Phoniatics*. Athenaeum Intercontinental Hotel, Athens
- 8/2010 Maria Kambanaros, Kleanthes K. Grohmann and Eleni Theodorou. **Action and object naming in mono- and bilingual children with Specific Language Impairment.** *International Speech Communication Association (ISCA): Tutorial and Research Workshop on Experimental Linguistics (ExLing 2010)*. The Training Centre of the National Bank of Greece, Athens
- 6/2010 Eleni Theodorou. **Assesing narratives in Cypriot Greek children with SLI.** *Language Disorders in Greek 3*. European University Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus
- 5/2010 Eleni Theodorou. **Narratives in Cypriot Greek children with SLI.** *Linguists of Tomorrow: 1<sup>st</sup> International Postgraduate Conference in Linguistics*. University of Cyprus, Cyprus
- 11/2009 Maria Kambanaros, Kleahtes Grohmann and Eleni Theodorou. **Patterns of naming objects and actions in monolingual and bilingual Cypriot Greek children, with SLI and WFDs.** *3<sup>rd</sup> International Symposium on Communication Disorders in Multilingual Population*, Agros, Cyprus
- 5/2009 Eleni Theodorou. **Acquisition of object clitics in Cypriot-Greek.** *Generative Approaches to Contrastive Linguistics*. Nicosia, Cyprus
- 9/2001 Areti Okalidou, Kakia Petinou, Eleni Theodorou and Eleni Karasimou. **Development of voicing contrasts in stop sounds in Modern Greek and Cypriot Greek children.** *5<sup>e</sup> Colloque Internationale de Linguistique Grecque*, Paris, France

#### **Poster Presentations (Peer reviewed International Conferences)**

- 8/2016 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohmann. **An exploration of syntactic abilities of Greek Cypriot children with (S)LI using narratives.** 30<sup>th</sup> Conference of International Association of Logopedics and Phoniatics. City West hotel conference and events, Saggart Co Dublin, Ireland.
- 7/2015 Eleni Theodorou, Maria Kambanaros and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Sentence Repetition as a Tool for Measuring Working Memory in SLI.** *Bilingualism and Specific Language Impairment 2015*. Tours, France
- 9/2012 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Object Clitics in Cypriot Greek Children with SLI.** *Language Disorders in Greek 4*. Technological Educational Institute of Patras, Greece
- 9/2012 Maria Kambanaros, Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Lexical and Morphosyntactic Skills in Multilingual Autism: A Case Study from Cyprus.** *Language Disorders in Greek 4*. Technological Educational Institute of Patras, Greece



- 7/2012 Eleni Theodorou, Maria Kambanaros and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Diagnostic issues for bilectal children with SLI: The case of Cypriot Greek.** Specific Language Impairment — diagnosis, prognosis, intervention, Warsaw, Poland
- 7/2011 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohmann. **The acquisition of relative clauses in Cypriot Greek: Production and comprehension.** *UMinho Summer School of Linguistics 2011 on Neuro and Psycholinguistics Approaches to Language Processing.* University of Minho, Braga, Portugal
- 10/2010 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes K. Grohmann. **Narratives in Cypriot Greek mono- and bilingual children with SLI.** *COST Action IS0804 Meeting.* Flamingo Beach Hotel, Larnaca, Cyprus
- 10/2010 Kleanthes K. Grohmann, Eleni Theodorou, Natalia Pavlou and Evelina Leivada. **Object clitics in typically-developing and language-impaired Cypriot Greek children.** *COST Action IS0804 Meeting.* Flamingo Beach Hotel, Larnaca, Cyprus
- 8/2010 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes K. Grohmann. **Narratives in Cypriot Greek mono- and bilingual children with SLI.** *International Speech Communication Association (ISCA): Tutorial and Research Workshop on Experimental Linguistics (ExLing 2010).* The Training Centre of the National Bank of Greece, Athens, Greece
- 1/2010 Kleanthes Grohmann, Eleni Theodorou, Natalia Pavlou and Evelina Livada. **Object clitics in typically-developing and language impaired Cypriot Greek children.** *Let the Children Speak: Learning of Critical Language Skills across 25 Languages,* Wellcome Collection, London, UK
- 1/2010 Maria Kambanaros, Kleanthes Grohmann and Eleni Theodorou. **Lexical access in Cypriot Greek SLI.** *Let the Children Speak: Learning of Critical Language Skills across 25 Languages.* Wellcome Collection, London, UK
- 6/2009 Eleni Theodorou. **Phonetic development of toddlers. A longitudinal study.** *Modern Greek Dialects and Linguistic Theory 4.* Chios, Greece

### Invited Talks

- 2016 Eleni Theodorou. **Language acquisition: what is expected and what is not.** University of Central Lancashire, Pyla Cyprus
- 2015 Eleni Theodorou. **Speech and phonological abilities.** Pedagogical Institute of Cyprus, Seminars for teachers, Limassol, Cyprus (in Greek) (9 September)
- 2014 Eleni Theodorou. **Phonological analysis.** Pedagogical Institute of Cyprus, Seminars for teachers, Nicosia and Limassol, Cyprus (in Greek) (8, 9 and 10 September)
- 2014 Eleni Theodorou and Maria Lazarou. **Early communication abilities: baby signing.** Early intervention 2, Alma, Technological University of Cyprus, Limassol, Cyprus (11 June)
- 2014 Eleni Theodorou. **Investigating the Specific Language Impairment in Cypriot Greek.** Lectures in language disorders, School of Humanities, European University of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus (13 March)

- 2013 Eleni Theodorou. **The child develops language late. Is this SLI?** Workshop for pediatricians, Ajax Hotel, Limassol, Cyprus (in Greek) (31 October)
- 2013 Eleni Theodorou and Koula Tantele. **Diagnosing Specific Language Impairment.** Pedagogical Institute of Cyprus, Seminars for teachers, Nicosia and Limassol, Cyprus (in Greek) (3 and 4 September)
- 2013 Eleni Theodorou. **A child with SLI.** European Day of Speech and Language Therapy. Association of Speech and Language Pathologists. Culture Center: Bank of Cyprus. Limassol, Cyprus (in Greek) (8 March)
- 2013 Eleni Theodorou. **A child with SLI.** European Day of Speech and Language Therapy. Association of Speech and Language Pathologists. Dimosiographiki estia. Nicosia, Cyprus (in Greek) (6 March)

### Seminars and Workshops

- 2016 Dina Kosta and Eleni Theodorou. **The use of MAKATON system for inclusion: the case of special education unit.** 1<sup>st</sup> Panhellenic Symposium of MAKATON, Fresh hotel, Athens, Greece (10 April)
- 2016 Maria Lazarou and Eleni Theodorou. **Case Study: Using MAKATON to enhance oral language abilities.** 1<sup>st</sup> Panhellenic Symposium of MAKATON. Fresh hotel, Athens, Greece (10 April)
- 2013 Eleni Theodorou, Ntina Kosta and Jill Neophitou. **MAKATON: A system of alternative and augmentative communication.** Sxoli Tiflon. Nicosia (in Greek) (2 March)
- 2011 Eleni Theodorou, Jill Neophitou & Dina Kosta. **MAKATON System: Workshop and foundation.** Theotokos foundations, Cleopatra hotel, Nicosia (in Greek) (13-15 May)
- 2011 Eleni Theodorou. **Specific Language Impairment: Diagnosis and treatment approaches.** 1st Round of Professional Training Meeting. Association of Speech and Language Pathologists, Limassol (in Greek) (7 April)
- 2009 Eleni Theodorou, Jill Neophitou & Dina Kosta. **MAKATON system: Workshop and foundation.** Limassol (in Greek) (8-10 May)
- 2009 Eleni Theodorou, Jill Neophitou & Dina Kosta. **MAKATON system: Workshop.** Theotokos Foundation, Kanika hotel, Limassol (in Greek) (February)
- 2008 Eleni Theodorou, Jill Neophitou and Dina Kosta. **MAKATON system: Workshop and foundation.** Theotokos Foundation, Cleopatra hotel, Nicosia (in Greek) (8-10 February)
- 11/2007 Eleni Theodorou. **A kindergarten for all children.** Seminar for pre – primary educators, Ipsonas pre-primary school, Limassol (in Greek) (November)
- 2007 Eleni Theodorou. **The phonetic system of Cypriot Greek dialect-language.** Two seminars for Speech therapists who are employed in pre-primary and primary education, Paphos/ Limassol (in Greek) (January and March)

## Other Oral Presentations

- 10/2015 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohamnn. **Syntactic structures of typically developing children and children with SLI in narratives.** Workshop on linguistic and sociolinguistic perspectives on new speakers in multilingual Europe. University of Central Lancashire, Pyla, Cyprus.
- 1/2012 Kleanthes Grohmann, Maria Kambanaros, Eleni Theodorou and Michalis Michaelides. **Vocabulary size as a possible predictor of narrative abilities and the role of Bi-X.** University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada
- 10/2010 Eleni Theodorou and Kleanthes Grohmann. **Administrating the Bus Story Test to Cypriot Greek mono- and bilingual children with SLI.** COST Action ISO0804 Meeting, Larnaka, Cyprus
- 11/2009 Kleanthes Grohmann and Eleni Theodorou. **Narratives in Cypriot: First results from administrating the Renfrew Bus Story to Cypriot Greek speaking mono- and bilingual children with SLI.** COST Action ISO0804 Meeting, University of Amsterdam, Netherland
- 11/2009 Eleni Theodorou. **Clinical markers for SLI children across languages.** Cyprus Acquisition Team Meeting, Nicosia, Cyprus
- 5/2009 Eleni Theodorou. **Neurology & neuroanatomy of language.** Cyprus Acquisition Team Meeting, University of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus
- 2/2009 Eleni Theodorou. **Phonetic development of toddlers.** Cyprus Acquisition Team Meeting, University of Cyprus Nicosia, Cyprus
- 11/2008 Eleni Theodorou. **Specific Language Impairment in Greek: State-of-the-art research overview.** Linguistic discussion group, University of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus

## SEMINARS, CONFERENCES AND COURSES ATTENDED (selected)

- 2014 Boston Diagnostic Battery: Greek adaptation, Association of Speech and Language Pathologists, Nicosia, Cyprus (29 May)
- 2014 Modern trends for assessment and rehabilitation of Aphasia, Association of Speech and Language Pathologists, Nicosia, Cyprus (29 May)
- 2012 Hanen Workshop, Warsaw, Poland (8 July)
- 2012 Specific Language Impairment — diagnosis, prognosis, intervention, Warsaw, Poland (5-8 July)
- 2012 Clicker's Applications, Cyprus Ministry of Education and Culture, Limassol, Cyprus (March)
- 2011 Pediatric Functional Optometry and Clinical Applications, Orizontas, Limassol, Cyprus (December)
- 2011 Working with students: A supervision seminar, European University of Cyprus, Nicosia (6 November)

- 2011 Generative Approaches to Language Acquisition (GALA), Aristotle University, Thessaloniki Greece (6-8 September)
- 2011 UMinho Summer School of Linguistics, Neuro-and Psycholinguistic Approaches to Language Processing, Braga, Portugal (18-22 July)
- 2011 Statistics Bootcamp-R for linguists, University of Cyprus, Nicosia (6- 9 June)
- 2010 Language Impairment in Mono- and Bilingual Society, Alboorg University, Aalborg, Denmark (29 September-1 October)
- 2010 PhD course: Children's Language Development (typical, non-typical, bilingual, literacy development and related areas), Aalborg University, Human Centered Communication and Informatics, Aalborg, Denmark (27- 28 September)
- 2010 Language Disorders in Greek 3, European University of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus (12-13 June)
- 2010 1st International Postgraduate Conference in Linguistics. University of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus (7- 8 May)
- 2010 Introduction in Sensory Integration, Aneliksi, Limassol, Cyprus (27-28 February)
- 2010 Experimental Methods in Language Research, Utrecht, Netherland (3-5 February)
- 2009 3rd International Symposium on Communication Disorders in Multilingual Populations, Association of Speech and Language Pathologists, Agros, Cyprus (6- 8 November)
- 2009 16th Central European Summer School in Generative Grammar and the COST A33 Training School, Poznan, Poland (27 July-7 August)
- 2009 Modern Greek Dialects and Linguistic Theory 4 Conference, University of Patras, Chios, Greece (11-14 June)
- 5/2009 Generative Approaches to Contrastive Linguistics 3, Aristotle University of Greece, Thessaloniki, Greece
- 2009 COST Training School in Language Acquisition Methods, Berlin, Germany (30 March-4 April)
- 2008 METAPHON. Developmental data and improvement of phonological awareness, Association of Speech and Language Pathologists, Nicosia, Cyprus (12-14 April)
- 2007 Pediatric Dysphagia: Decision making with complex patients, Technological Institute of Patras, Athens, Greece (7-9 September)
- 2006-2007 Stand on my Feet, Pedagogical Institute of Cyprus, Limassol, Cyprus
- 2006 Language Disorders in Adults, Assessment diagnosis and intervention in aphasia (December)
- 2006 Assessment and treatment of swallowing disorders, Panhellenic Association of Logopedics, Athens, Greece (4-5 November)
- 2006 A three-part treatment plan for muscle based therapy, Association of Speech and Language Pathologists, Nicosia, Cyprus (October)

- 2006 Eating Disorders: Children who do not want, cannot and do not eat, Association of Speech and Language Pathologists, Nicosia, Cyprus (March)
- 2005 Vertiefungskurs Basale Stimulation (May)
- 2005 Picture Exchange Communication System: PECS, Pyramid Educational Consultants GR, Nicosia, Cyprus (19-20 March)
- 2001-2005 Four-year classes of Sign Language, Cyprus Ministry of Culture and Education, Limassol, Cyprus
- 2004-2005 One year class Research and SPSS, Pedagogical Institute of Cyprus, Limassol, Cyprus
- 2004 Applied Behavior Analysis / Verbal Behavior Workshop, Cyprus Association of Autistic Children, Larnaka, Cyprus (4-5 December)
- 2004 Diagnosis of Learning and Adaptation Difficulties, Institute of Personal-Family, and Professional Development, Limassol, Cyprus (January)
- 2003 Basale Stimulation, Theotokos Foundation, Limassol, Cyprus (6- 10 October)
- 2003 Three days course on Dyslexia, D. Mavrommati, Athens, Greece (April)
- 2002 Theories about phonological development: their application in clinical intervention for phonological disorders in children language Association of Speech and Language Pathologists, Nicosia, Cyprus (7 December)
- 2001 Playtherapy, To Politechno, Chalandri, Greece (3-4 November)
- 2000 Myofunctional Disorders, Myofunctional Therapy, Center for the Diagnosis and Treatment of Speech Disorders, Thessaloniki, Greece (2-3 June)

## **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES**

Reviewer Clinical Linguistics and Phonetics  
for

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- Since 2013 Cyprus Linguistic Society
- 2012-2015 Representative of Cypriot Association of Registered Speech and Language Pathologist in Special Education Committee of Ministry of Education and Culture
- Since 2010 Scientific committee of Cypriot Association of Registered Speech and Language Pathologists
- Since 2009 Cyprus Acquisition Team
- Since 2005 Pancyprian Organization of Greek Teachers
- Since 2004 Greek Association of Speech Pathologist and Speech Therapists (SELLE)
- Since 2002 Cypriot Association of Registered Speech and Language Pathologists

## **LANGUAGES**

**Greek** (native)

**English** (fluent)

**Sign language** (fluent)

**French** (basic conversation, good reading comprehension)

## **REFEREES**

### **Prof. Kleanthes Grohamnn**

University of Cyprus

Department of English Studies

75 Kallipoleos, P.O. Box 20537

1678 Nicosia, Cyprus

Phone: +357 – 22895194

Email: kleanthi@ucy.ac.cy

### **Prof. Ianthi Tsimpli**

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

School of English

Faculty of Philosophy

54124 Thessaloniki, Greece

Email: imt@enl.auth.gr

### **Prof. Areti Okalidou**

University of Macedonia

Department of Education and

Social Policy

Egnatia 156

54006 Thessaloniki, Greece

Phone: 2310-891358

Email: okalidou@uom.gr