



Dr. Kokotsakis Ioannis,
Cardiothoracic Surgeon, **MD, PhD, FETCS**

EDUCATION AND SPECIALIZATION

UNDERGRADUATE

- 1976, Kalpaka High School, Athens
- 1976-1982, Medical School, University of Athens, Very Good
- Medical license 1693/18-01-1983

POSTGRADUATE

- 4/1986-5/1991, Resident Surgeon, First Department of Surgery, University of Athens, "Laikon" General Hospital of Athens (Director: Professor P. Balas)
- 1991, Medical Specialty in General Surgery
- 1990, ECFMG
- 7/1991-6/1992, "Clinical Fellow in Surgical Oncology" **Dept. of Surgery, University of Texas, M.D.Anderson Cancer Center, Houston-Texas** (Chairman: **Prof. C.Balch**) (Scholar of the ALEXANDER S. ONASSIS public benefit foundation 9/1991-6/1992)
- 1992, FLEX USA
- 7/1992-6/1995, "Clinical Fellow in Cardiovascular Surgery" **Texas**

Heart Institute, Houston-Texas (Chairman: **Denton A. Cooley**, Surgeon-in-Chief)

- 1994, PhD Doctor of Medicine, University of Athens, Very Well
- 1995, State of **Washington-Licence** as Physician and Surgeon

Active

- 1996, Medical specialty in Thoracic Surgery
- 11/2002, Fellow European Board of Thoracic and Cardiovascular Surgeons-FETCS
- 4/2006, GMC Full Registration as a Medical Practitioner with Specialist Registration in General Surgery and Thoracic Surgery (GMC reference number 6142596)

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

- 11/1995-09/1996, Associate Cardiovascular Surgeon, “Spring Branch Medical Center”, Houston-Texas, USA (Chairman: Demitrio G. Boulafendis, Surgeon-in-Chief)
- 10/1996-02/1999, Attending Cardiothoracic Surgeon, Hygeia Hospital
- 03/1999, Attending Cardiothoracic Surgeon, 2nd Cardiac Surgery department of “Evangelismos” Athens Hospital
- 12/2006, Honorary Contract of collaboration with Cardiothoracic surgery dept. St.Mary’s NHS Hospital Trust
- 28/08/2013, Promotion to the rank of Director according to Y10a/75926/28-2013 decision of Ministry of Health
- 08/03/2023, Chief of Cardiac Surgery dept. “Evangelismos” Athens Hospital, according to 10/02/2847/8513

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Laiko Hospital, Athens Greece (1986-1991)

General surgery cases:	186
Vascular surgery cases:	60
Total	246

M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, Houston-Texas, USA (1991-1992)

Oncology surgery cases:	24
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Texas Heart Institute, Houston-Texas, USA (1992-1995)

Adult Cardiac surgery cases:	697
Pediatric Cardiac surgery cases:	136
Thoracic surgery cases:	206
Vascular surgery cases:	426
Total	1.604

Spring Branch Medical Center, Houston-Texas, USA (1995-1996)

Adult Cardiac surgery cases:	515
Thoracic surgery cases:	133
Vascular surgery cases:	145
Total	793

“Hygeia”, Athens Greece (1996-1999)

Adult Cardiac surgery cases:	340
Thoracic surgery cases:	22
Vascular surgery cases:	53
Total	415

“Evangelismos” Hospital, Athens Greece (1999-2025)

Adult Cardiac surgery cases:	2.909
Thoracic & Vascular surgery cases:	505
Total	3.414

Complex aortic cases in other institutions 31

Total number of cases 6.527

SCIENTIFIC WORK

Doctoral Thesis

Participation in medical book chapters: 14 Publications in Hellenic journals: 59 Publications in International journals: 114

Oral Presentations in Hellenic congresses: 184 Oral Presentations in International congresses: 41

CHAIRMAN OR GUEST SPEAKER

International & Hellenic congresses: 64

Total number of Citations 1.577

(Citation overview: 69 cited documents)

Document h-index: 20

Document i10-index: 40

AREAS OF PARTICULAR INTEREST

A. Aortic Surgery

- Brain, Spinal cord and Organ Protection
- Use of Multi-Branch Synthetic Grafts
- Hybrid Aortic Procedures
- Congenital Aortic Anomalies

B. Aortic, Mitral, Tricuspid valve repair

C. Use of arterial crafts on CABG

D. Congenital heart surgery in Adults

E. HOCM surgery

MEMBER OF MEDICAL SOCIETIES

I. International	II. Hellenic
1. International Union of Angiology	1. <i>Athens Medical Association</i>
2. U.T. M.D. Anderson Associates	2. Hellenic Surgical Society
3. Denton A. Cooley Cardiovascular Surgical Society	3. Hellenic Society of Cardiothoracic Surgery
4. State of Washington License as Physician and Surgeon.	4. Hellenic Cardiology Society
5. European Association of Cardiothoracic Surgery	5. Hellenic Heart Failure Association
6. Society of Thoracic Surgeons	6. Hellenic Association of Cardiothoracic & Vascular Anesthesia
	7. Scientific Society of Evangelismos Hospital

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