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b.: June 13, 1962 in Thessaloniki, Greece

University Education

- 1980 – 1985 Diploma (B. Sc.) in Biology, Aristotle University, Thessaloniki, Greece
1985 – 1987 Master's degree in Microbiology, Department of Microbiology, Stockholm University, Sweden
1987 – 1991 Ph.D degree in Microbiology, Department of Microbiology, Stockholm University, Sweden

Scientific Career

- 1991 – 1994 Post-doctoral fellow, Department of Biochemistry, Stanford University, USA
1995 – 2002 Research group leader, Umeå Centre for Molecular Pathogenesis, Umeå University, Sweden.
2002-present Professor of Developmental Biology, Stockholm University, Stockholm, Sweden
2014-present Professor of Molecular Pneumology, Justus-Liebig University of Giessen, Department of Internal Medicine, Giessen, Germany
2015-present Max-Planck Fellow, Max-Planck Institute for Heart and Lung Research, Bad Nauheim, Germany

Awards and honours

- 1991-1993 EMBO postdoctoral Fellowship
1997-2000 Strategic Science Foundation Junior Investigator Award
2005 Letterstedt's prize for work on epithelial cell migration, Swedish Royal Academy of Science
2007-2010 Göran Gustafsson's Award for research in molecular biology, Swedish Royal Academy of Science
2015-2020 Max-Planck Fellow Award, Max-Planck Institute for Heart and Lung Research