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## FIFTH ECADOC SUMMER SCHOOL IN CAREER GUIDANCE AND COUNSELLING

ATHENS, GREECE – JUNE 11 – 15, 2018

We are happy to announce that the fifth ECADOC Summer School in 2018 will be hosted by the Laboratory of Career Guidance and Counselling “Michael Kassotakis” of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens in Greece.

In times when people’s lives are becoming increasingly dynamic, researchers and practitioners engaged in Counselling and Career Guidance need to challenge, adapt and develop their understandings, methods and services accordingly. Moreover, they must reflect their own and collective standpoints in discourses on these issues, which are also influenced by diverse political agendas and normative ideologies.

Through this course, PhD candidates can broaden and deepen their knowledge and skills in career counselling and guidance, contemporary issues of career counselling, advanced qualitative and quantitative research methods, etc. PhD candidates will be exposed to learning situations where they will be challenged to perceive and reflect on different aspects of career guidance and counselling. Counselling and Guidance experts from all over the world will collaborate with PhD candidates to help them advance in their own careers. Additionally, the doctoral researchers will have the chance to present their own work and discuss it with their colleagues from various countries and cultural backgrounds.

The main aim is to help them advance in their career not only by expanding their knowledge and skills, but also by creating a broad academic community among PhD candidates and future academics in the field of counselling and guidance not only in Europe but worldwide.

### **Important dates:**

- Early Registration (recommended): February 15, 2018
- Registration Deadline: March 30, 2018
- Summer School: June 11-15, 2018

### **Who can take part?**

**Doctoral researchers / PhD candidates from all over the world** who are conducting research in the broad area of career guidance and counselling. We explicitly invite researchers with various backgrounds in terms of discipline, methodology, age and status within the PhD research process.



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### **What is the fee for participating in the Summer School?**

There is no fee for participation thanks to the Laboratory of Career Guidance and Counselling “Michael Kassotakis” of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens who is the host of the ECADOC Summer School for 2018, and its collaborating partner the European University Cyprus.

### **How can you finance your participation?**

We encourage participants from Europe to access Erasmus+ mobility funding, which usually covers actual travel costs, your accommodation and a proportion of your subsistence. Although the funding application is relatively straightforward, we will offer any support you might need to have all the necessary information you need to apply for Erasmus+ funding via your home university.

### **What will we do in this week?**

Our belief is that a summer school brings together the best of academic work and academic life. The summer school programme blends presentation and discussion of your own research with peer and faculty. You’ll have the chance to meet researchers from different backgrounds with diverse experience, listen to interesting inputs around the theme of the summer school, work with different research methods, and learn about the practical challenges of being a researcher. Please find reports from previous summer schools at <http://larios.psy.unipd.it/ecadoc/>

### **Where can you find more information?**

Please find the call for applications on the ECADOC website (<http://larios.psy.unipd.it/ecadoc/>) and on the Laboratory of Career Guidance and Counselling “Michael Kassotakis” of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens website (<http://ergastirio-eps.ppp.uoa.gr/>).

Here you will also find information and regular updates regarding sources of financial support and organizational details. Applications should be submitted until March 30, 2018. Please follow the instructions in the call for applications.

### **Additional questions?**

If you have further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us by sending an email to this year’s host: [nikdrosos4@gmail.com](mailto:nikdrosos4@gmail.com)

### **Looking forward to seeing you in Athens!**

On behalf of the Organizing Committee,  
Dr Nikos Drosos



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