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## POSITIONS AND EDUCATION

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- 2023-present** Director, Division of Basic Medical Sciences I, School of Medicine, University of Patras
- 2020-present** Board member, Institute of Cellular Therapies, University of Patras
- 2019-present** Head, Department of Biochemistry, School of Medicine, University of Patras
- 2019-2023** Director, MSc Program in Biomedical Sciences, School of Medicine, University of Patras
- 2018-2019** Fulbright Visiting Scholar, NIDDK-NIH, Bethesda, USA (host: Dr Jinwei Zhang)
- 2014** Full Professor of Biochemistry, School of Medicine, University of Patras
- 2009-2014** Associate Professor of Biochemistry, School of Medicine, University of Patras
- 2007** Assistant Professor of Biochemistry (tenured), Department of Biochemistry and Biotechnology, University of Thessaly
- 2002-2007** Assistant Professor of Biochemistry (tenure-track), Department of Biochemistry and Biotechnology, University of Thessaly
- 2002** Teaching Assistant Professor (one semester), Department of Biochemistry and Biotechnology, University of Thessaly
- 1998-2001** Postdoctoral Research Associate, Yale University, Department of Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry, New Haven, CT, U.S.A., (Adviser: Prof. Dieter Söll).
- 1998** (April-October): Postdoctoral Research Associate, Department of Biochemistry, School of Medicine, University of Patras
- 1996-1998** Mandatory Military Service (21 months, Hellenic Air Force)
- 1996** PhD, Department of Biochemistry, School of Medicine, University of Patras  
*Thesis title:* Studies on Ribonuclease P from the slime mold *Dictyostelium discoideum* (Adviser: Prof. Denis Drainas)
- 1991** BSc in Biology, Department of Biology, School of Natural Sciences, University of Patras (4 years degree including degree research thesis)

Languages: Greek (mother tongue), English (Excellent), Italian (Moderate level).

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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RNA Biology: Study of RNA-mediated gene expression regulation and the role of various noncoding RNAs (tRNAs, piRNAs, vtRNAs, YRNAs, ribozymes, etc) and ncRNA:protein RNP complexes as tools and targets in diseases employing cutting-edge tools and techniques which combine genome editing, transcriptomics and specialized NGS workflows, imaging, functional and structural genomics, and bioinformatics. Special interest includes the functional genomics analysis and biochemical characterization of parologue genes and their involvement in RNA:RNA or RNA:protein interactions to regulate gene expression, as well as their role in RNA-dependent deregulation of transcription, translation and their signaling pathways, in diseases. As part of collaborative work my group has developed protocols for exosome isolation and analysis for detection of RNA-based biomarkers, SELEX-based development of aptamers for Surface Plasmon Resonance (SPR) biosensors and the rational design and screening of RNA-specific antibiotics and novel inhibitors.

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91. Danielides G., Lygeros S., Kyriakopoulos G., Tsapardoni F., Grafanaki K., **Stathopoulos C.**, Naxakis S. and Danielides V. (2024) Serum and tissue periostin expression in rhinosinusitis with nasal polyps. *Submitted*.
92. Giarimoglou N., Kouvela A., Papakyriakou A., Zhang J., Stamatopoulou V. and **Stathopoulos C.** (2024) Screening and evaluation of T-box riboswitch specific inhibitors that target stem I. *Submitted*.
93. Kouvela A., Giarimoglou N., Zhang J., Stamatopoulou V. and **Stathopoulos C.** (2024) Selective elimination of proteinogenic tRNAs in *S. aureus* affects cell-wall formation. *Submitted*.
94. Kyriakopoulos G., Androna I., Stamatakis V., Grafanaki K., **Stathopoulos C.** and Rassias G. (2024) Synthesis and biological evaluation of novel selective mTORC1 and mTORC2 inhibitors. *Submitted*.
95. Kyriakopoulos G., Alexiou A., Stamatakis V., Grafanaki K. and **Stathopoulos C.** (2024) Differential eIF3 signaling in resistant and sensitive melanoma cell lines. *Submitted*.
96. Stavropoulos A., Stamatopoulou V., Pavlos E., Manioudaki M., **Stathopoulos C.** and Xilouri M. (2023) TGF $\beta$  pathway represses hepatic ribosome biogenesis and protein synthesis through regulation of p70s6k-s6rp proteins. *Submitted*.
97. Skeparnias I., Shaukat A.N., Anastasaki D., Zhang J. and **Stathopoulos C.** (2024) Ablation of PNLD1 in neuronal stem cells reveals role in deadenylation-mediated control of mRNA transcription and translation regulation. *In preparation*.
98. Shaukat A.N., Dondeti M., Kaliatsi E.G., Skeparnias I., Zhang J., Vourekas A. and **Stathopoulos C.** (2024) Maturation of vault RNAs by a parologue of RNase Z. *In preparation*.
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## BOOK CHAPTERS

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## PARTICIPATION IN CONFERENCES

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National: 139

International: 82 Detailed lists can be provided upon request.

## HONORS - AWARDS - FELLOWSHIPS

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- 2023 Award, "P. Kanellopoulos" University of Patras for best scientific publication  
2022 Commendation, 72<sup>nd</sup> HSBMB Conference for oral presentation  
2022 Award, "P. Kanellopoulos" University of Patras for best scientific publication  
2021 Commendation, 71<sup>st</sup> HSBMB Conference for oral presentation  
2021 Award, 47<sup>th</sup> Pan-Hellenic Medical Conference for oral presentation  
2020 Award, 70<sup>th</sup> HSBMB Conference for oral presentation  
2020 Award, 70<sup>th</sup> HSBMB Conference for poster presentation  
2019 Award, 8<sup>th</sup> Mikrobiokosmos Conference for oral presentation  
2018 Fellowship, Fulbright Foundation Visiting Scholar, NIDDK-NIH, USA  
2018 Award, 27<sup>th</sup> tRNA Conference for poster presentation  
2017 Award, 68<sup>th</sup> HSBMB Conference for oral presentation  
2014 Award, 25<sup>th</sup> tRNA Conference for poster presentation  
2014 Award, 2<sup>nd</sup> YSF-HSBMB for oral presentation  
2011 Award, 5<sup>th</sup> Mikrobiokosmos Conference for oral presentation  
2010 Commendation, 61<sup>st</sup> HSBMB Conference for poster presentation  
2008 Award, "Bodossaki Foundation" 33<sup>rd</sup> FEBS – 11<sup>th</sup> IUBMB Congress for poster presentation  
2007 Award, "G. Noulis" Hellenic Arthroscopic Society for oral presentation  
2006 Award, 62<sup>nd</sup> Hellenic Society of Orthopedics and Trauma Conference for oral presentation  
2006 Award, 58<sup>th</sup> HSBMB Conference for oral presentation  
2005 Commendation, 57<sup>th</sup> HSBMB Conference for oral presentation  
1994 NATO Travel Award, Spetses International Summer School of Molecular and Cellular Biology  
1991 Fellowship, Hellenic General Secretariat of Research and Technology for PhD candidates

## INVITED LECTURES (Total >80)

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Selected from the last 5 years

- 2024 29<sup>th</sup> tRNA Conference, Kanazawa, Japan  
2023 StAARS Conference, CNRS and University of Strasbourg, France  
2023 Department of Chemistry, University of Athens, Greece  
2023 LCMB-NIDDK, NIH, Bethesda MD, USA  
2022 28<sup>th</sup> tRNA Conference, OSU, Columbus OH, USA  
2022 LMB-Noncoding RNA and RNP section, NIDDK, NIH, Bethesda MD, USA  
2021 2<sup>nd</sup> Conference on rarer diseases and orphan drugs, Athens, Greece  
2021 9<sup>th</sup> WHBA International Summer School, Greece  
2021 Departments of Biochemistry and Biology, School of Medicine, University of Ioannina, Greece  
2020 EU-CardiORNA COST Action CA17129 Zagreb, Croatia (online)  
2019 BRFAA – Biomedical Research Foundation Academy of Athens, Greece  
2019 Hellenic Society of Biological Sciences, Katerini, Greece  
2019 RNA Club Intramural Program NIH, Bethesda MD, USA  
2019 LCMB-NIDDK, NIH, Bethesda MD, USA  
2018 Center for Translational Research, Temple University, Philadelphia PA, USA  
2018 Dept of Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry, Yale University, New Haven CT, USA

<b>2018</b>	Dept of Microbiology and RNA Center, Ohio State University, Columbus OH, USA
<b>2018</b>	27 <sup>th</sup> tRNA Conference, Strasbourg, France

## RESEARCH GRANTS

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<b>1991-1993</b>	GSRT-PENED	Research Fellow
<b>1995-1997</b>	GSRT-PENED	Member of research team
<b>1997-1998</b>	GSRT-YPER	Member of research team
<b>1998</b>	U. Patras	Member of research team
<b>2002-2004</b>	HERAKLEITOS-I	Collaborating group
<b>2003-2005</b>	GSRT-EGID Grant	PI
<b>2003-2004</b>	Univ. of Thessaly	Collaborating group
<b>2004-2007</b>	PYTHAGORAS Grant	Collaborating group
<b>2005-2006</b>	Univ. of Thessaly	PI
<b>2006-2007</b>	HSSOT	PI
<b>2008-2009</b>	ESCMID	Collaborating group
<b>2009-2011</b>	FP7-BM0609	Collaborating group
<b>2010-2012</b>	U. Patras	PI
<b>2011-2012</b>	HSSOT	Collaborating group
<b>2011-2013</b>	GSRT-ARISTEIA I	PI
<b>2016-2018</b>	Fondation Santé	PI
<b>2016-2017</b>	IKY-SIEMENS	PI and postdoc supervisor
<b>2017-2020</b>	HFRI-ELIDEK-PhD	PI and PhD supervisor
<b>2018-2022</b>	GSRT-Research Infrastructures	Collaborating group
<b>2019-2021</b>	GSRT-Young Researchers Groups	PI and scientific advisor of the team
<b>2019-2022</b>	GSRT-CEI	Collaborating group
<b>2020-2023</b>	Horizons 2020-CA 17129	Collaborating group
<b>2020-2023</b>	HFRI-ELIDEK-I	PI
<b>2021-2023</b>	GILEAD Sciences	Collaborating group
<b>2023-2024</b>	AGILENT Technologies	PI

## COLLABORATIONS

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Dr Jinwei Zhang, NIDDK-NIH, Bethesda MD, USA

Prof. Hubert Becker, University of Strasbourg, IMGM, UMR7156, Strasbourg, France

Dr Astrid Haase, NIDDK-NIH, Bethesda MD, USA

Dr Glenn Merlino, CCR-NCI, Bethesda MD, USA

Prof. Michael Ibba, Schmid College of Science and Technology, Chapman University, Orange CA, USA

Prof. Dieter Söll, Department of Molecular Biophysics and Biochemistry, Yale University, New Haven, CT, USA

## ACADEMIC SERVICE

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### *Current administrative duties at the University of Patras*

2023	Director, Sector of Basic Medical Sciences I, School of Medicine, University of Patras
2021	Member of the collaboration committee with Johns Hopkins Medical School
2020	Board member, Institute of Cellular Therapies
2021	Advisory committee member of the MSc Program in Precision Medicine, AUTH
2020	Member of the University of Patras international rankings committee
2020	Member of the University of Patras “Karatheodori” Research Grants committee
2019	Head, Department of Biochemistry, School of Medicine, University of Patras
2019	Director, Unit for Special Biochemical Analyses, School of Medicine, University of Patras
2019	Member of the examinations board committee, School of Medicine, University of Patras
2016	Member of the University of Patras Analytical Core Facility committee
2015	Member of the inter-departmental committee for the MSc Program in Chemical Biology
2015	Member of the University of Patras committee for the units of external service provision
2015	Member of the MSc Program in Biomedical Sciences steering committee
2013	Member of the University of Patras quality assurance committee (Chair 2013-2023)
2010	Member of the international relations and ERASMUS+ committee
2009	Member of the inter-departmental committee for the MSc Program in Medical Physics

### *Ad hoc reviewer and committee member for research funding and academic organizations*

2024	DFG-Research Grants Germany
2024	Czech Research Council Research Grants
2023	Israeli Research Fund
2023	Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation
2023	Hellenic General Secretariat for Research and Technology
2022	Austrian Research Fund
2022	Hellenic General Secretariat for Research and Technology
2022	Research Promotion Foundation of Cyprus
2021-2023	Member, RNA biology expert for COVID19 surveillance, National Organization for Medicines
2021	Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation
2021	European Union, e-COST HORIZON 2020
2020	European Union, Innovative Medicines Initiative (IMI) 2020
2019	State Scholarships Foundation (IKY)
2019	Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation
2019	Hellenic General Secretariat for Research and Technology
2019	Research Promotion Foundation of Cyprus
2018	Israeli Research Fund
2017	European Research Council (ERC) Starting Grants
2017	Research Promotion Foundation of Cyprus
2017	Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation
2017	Hellenic General Secretariat for Research and Technology
2017	State Scholarships Foundation (IKY)
2016	State Scholarships Foundation (IKY)
2011	Hellenic General Secretariat for Research and Technology
2010	Hellenic General Secretariat for Research and Technology
2009	Hellenic Ministry of Education
2005-2009	Member, Central commission for university entrance national examinations

*Chair and scientific/organizing committee member of international conferences*

<b>2026</b>	30 <sup>th</sup> tRNA Conference, Sept, Athens, Greece - Co-Chair
<b>2024</b>	29 <sup>th</sup> tRNA Conference, Nov 18-22, Kanazawa, Japan - Scientific committee member
<b>2022</b>	28 <sup>th</sup> tRNA Conference, June 12-16, Columbus, OH, USA - Scientific committee member
<b>2018</b>	27 <sup>th</sup> tRNA Conference, Sept 23-27, Strasbourg, France - Scientific committee member
<b>2016</b>	26 <sup>th</sup> tRNA Conference, Sept 4-8, Jesou, Korea - Scientific committee member
<b>2014</b>	25 <sup>th</sup> tRNA Conference, Sept 21-25, Kyllini, Greece - Co-Chair
<b>2008</b>	33 <sup>rd</sup> FEBS-11 <sup>th</sup> IUBMB Congress, June 28-July 7, Athens, Greece - Organizing committee member

*Scientific/organizing committee member of national conferences and workshops*

<b>2023</b>	10 <sup>th</sup> Mikrobiokosmos Conference, Sep 17-19, Larissa - Scientific committee member
<b>2022</b>	72 <sup>th</sup> HSBMB Conference, Dec 2-4, Patras - Organizing committee member
<b>2021</b>	9 <sup>th</sup> Mikrobiokosmos Conference, Dec 16-18, Athens - Organizing committee member
<b>2019</b>	8 <sup>th</sup> Mikrobiokosmos Conference, Apr 18-20, Patras - Organizing committee member
<b>2012-present</b>	RNA biology - Regulation of gene expression sessions organizer during the HSBMB Conferences
<b>2012</b>	5 <sup>th</sup> HSB Conference, Oct 18-22, Patras - Organizing committee member
<b>2010</b>	Workshop “Novel antibiotic compounds”, July 2, Patras - Organizing committee member
<b>2004</b>	56 <sup>th</sup> HSBMB Conference, Nov 25-27, Larissa- Organizing committee member

*Editorial duties - Research Networks - Consultancy*

<b>2024-present</b>	Advisory board member, <i>FEBS Letters</i>
<b>2023-present</b>	Editorial board member, <i>Frontiers in Genetics</i>
<b>2021-present</b>	Editorial board member, <i>Antibiotics</i>
<b>2019-present</b>	Editorial board member, <i>International Journal of Molecular Sciences</i>
<b>2014</b>	EU FP7 COST Action BM0906 “Regulatory RNAs in bacterial pathogenicity: new targets for alternative therapies”
<b>2020</b>	EU HORIZONS 2020 COST Action CA17129 “EU-CardioRNA-Catalyzing transcriptomics research in cardiovascular disease”
<b>2018-2022</b>	National Research Infrastructure INSPIRED (Structural Biology)
<b>2018-present</b>	InSybio Ltd – Advisory scientific board member

*Ad-hoc reviewer for scientific journals*

*Antibiotics, Archives of Biochemistry and Biophysics, Biochimica et Biophysica Acta Molecular Cell Research, Biochimica et Biophysica Acta Proteins and Proteomics, Biochemistry, Biomolecules, BMC Medical Genomics, Biotechnology journal, Cancer Letters, Cancers, Current Oncology, Cells, Cell Death and Differentiation, Cellular and Molecular Life Sciences, Clinica Chemica Acta, Clinical and Experimental Pharmacology and Physiology, Croatica Chemica Acta, Current Cancer Drug Targets, Current Medicinal Chemistry, Epigenomics, Experimental Dermatology, FEBS Letters, Frontiers in Genetics, Gene, Genes, Genes and Diseases, Genomics, Human Genomics, Immunobiology, International Journal of Molecular Sciences, International Journal of Oncology, Journal of Antimicrobial Chemotherapy, Journal of Biological Chemistry, Journal of Chemotherapy, Journal of Medical Research, Journal of Molecular Biology, Journal of Neurological Sciences, Life, Life Sciences, Molecular Biology and Evolution, Molecular Biology Reports, Molecular and Clinical Oncology, Molecular Medicine Reports, Molecular Microbiology, Molecular Therapy-Nucleic Acids, Nucleic Acids Research, Non-coding RNA, Oncology Letters, PLoS One, Protein and Peptide Letters, Protein Expression and Purification, RNA, RNA Biology,*

*Scientific Associations*

<b>2023</b>	Society for RNA therapeutics
<b>2018</b>	European Peptide Society
<b>2008</b>	European Society of Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases
<b>2007</b>	Hellenic Scientific Society Mikrobiokosmos (FEMS Member)
<b>2002</b>	RNA Society
<b>2002</b>	Hellenic Society of Biological Sciences
<b>1996</b>	Hellenic Society of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (FEBS Member)

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

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*Teaching at undergraduate level*

<b>2009-present</b>	Biochemistry I, Biochemistry II, Biochemistry III and Clinical Biochemistry, School of Medicine, University of Patras, Greece
<b>2002-2009</b>	Biochemistry I, Biochemistry II, Regulation of Metabolism, Enzymology and Analytical Biochemistry, Department of Biochemistry and Biotechnology, University of Thessaly, Greece
<b>2001-2002</b>	Enzymology and Microbiology, Department of Biochemistry and Biotechnology, University of Thessaly, Greece

*Teaching at postgraduate level*

<b>2021-present</b>	MSc Program in Precision Medicine-Translational Research, AUTH, Greece
<b>2015-present</b>	MSc Program in Chemical Biology-Medical Chemistry, University of Patras, Greece
<b>2015-present</b>	MSc Program in Medical Physics, University of Patras, Greece
<b>2015-2020</b>	MSc Program in Public Health, University of Patras, Greece
<b>2012-present</b>	MSc Program in Life Sciences Informatics, University of Patras, Greece
<b>2010-2012</b>	MSc Program in Molecular Genetics, University of Strasbourg, France (Erasmus)
<b>2008-2009</b>	MSc Program in Biotechnology, University of Thessaly, Greece
<b>2008-2009</b>	MSc Program in Applications of Molecular Biology, University of Thessaly, Greece
<b>2003-2018</b>	MSc Program in Microbial Biotechnology, NKUA, Athens, Greece
<b>2003-present</b>	MSc Program in Biomedical Sciences, University of Patras, Greece

*Supervisor of undergraduate, MSc and PhD students and postdocs*

<b>1998-2001</b>	<b>2</b> Master Students, Yale University, USA
<b>2002-2009</b>	<b>2</b> PhD students, University of Thessaly, Greece
	<b>2</b> MSc students, University of Thessaly, Greece
	<b>20</b> Undergraduate diploma research students, University of Thessaly, Greece
<b>2009-present</b>	<b>3</b> Postdoctoral Researchers ( <b>1</b> IKY-Siemens Fellow), University of Patras, Greece
	<b>12</b> PhD students ( <b>10</b> completed including <b>2</b> ongoing), University of Patras, Greece
	<b>30</b> MSc students ( <b>26</b> completed- <b>4</b> ongoing), University of Patras, Greece
	<b>37</b> Undergraduate diploma research students, University of Patras, Greece

*MSc advisory committee member:* **18** students

*PhD advisory committee member:* **28** students

*PhD defence examination committee member:* **21** students including **5** at the University of Strasbourg, France and **1** at the University of Barcelona, Spain