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Lawyer (1990), managing partner at MKLegal law firm, Chairman of the Scientific Committee of the Tax Academy of the European Public Law Organisation (EPLO), Independent Member of the Interamerican Group Boards (Achmea Group), former Deputy Minister of Finance of the Hellenic Republic (2012-2015), former KPMG Partner in Charge of Legal Tax and Bookkeeping (2007-2012) and Visiting Assistant Professor at the Athens University of Economics and Business, Business Administration Department (2008-2011 and 2015-2017) and Accounting and Finance Department (2016).

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He worked as a lawyer and tax counsel to corporations and cooperated with consulting companies Deloitte (until 1995) and KPMG (until 2001). He was a founding member and then partner of the KPMG Law Firm "C. Papacostopoulos & Associates" Independent Member of the KPMG International Legal and Tax Network until 2005 and subsequently provided services to companies until the end of 2006 when he returned to KPMG where he worked until 2012. He was then appointed Deputy Finance Minister introducing the new Income Tax Code (2013), the first Code of Tax

Procedure (2013), the innovative Greek Accounting Code (2014) and e-government in tax administration. After his term as Deputy Minister of Finance (June 2012 - January 2015) he returned to business with a new law firm as a lawyer - consultant to Greek and multinational businesses. He has participated in consulting projects involving large investments and companies' restructuring in Greece and has published several articles in international taxation journals. He has large experience in the banking sector and has worked as advisor in many mergers and acquisitions between financial institutions.