

## **ATHINA KOTZAMPASI, Professor of Civil Law**

Professor Athina Kotzampasi graduated from the Law Faculty of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, having received a scholarship from the National Scholarships Foundation. She was appointed attorney at the First Instance Court of Thessaloniki (1980). She obtained her Postgraduate Diploma with honors from the Law Faculty of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (1982). She attended Postgraduate seminars in Heidelberg (1983-1984) and in Feiburg, Germany (1996) under the supervision of Professor Rainer Frank (President of the International Association of Family Law). She obtained her Ph.D from the Law Faculty of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (1991). She was elected and appointed lecturer of Civil Law at the Law Faculty of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (1994) and serves as a professor at the same Faculty since 2013 (Assistant Professor of Civil Law at the Law Faculty of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (2002), Associate Professor of Civil Law at the same Faculty (2008) and full Professor (2013).

She has been and she is a member of several Legal Associations, ENAS (Association of Greek Civilists), Legal Association of Northern Greece, Medical Law and Bioethics Association- founding member, International Association of Family and she is also a member in various social and political organisations in the area of child protection, domestic violence and gender equality.

### **Participation in Research Projects:**

- 1984 Participation in research program funded by General Secretary of Research and Technology on "The judicial regulation of parental responsibility"
- 1985 Head of the Research Program on "Family relationships Greek / seeing Muslims' funded by KETHI
- 2003/08 Participation in the Interdisciplinary Research Project: "Gender and Equality" (Institutional Plan)
- 2004 Participation in Research Program (Pythagoras II) on the topic: "Multiculturalism and Family Relations in the EU" on comparative family law problems in the single EU legal space.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **I. BOOKS**

1. The nature and the function of marital cohabitation, 1992 (Ph.D)
2. Succession between spouses (2007)

### **II. Published Articles (indicatively)**

- Parental responsibility: Tensions and conflicts between parents and child as illustrated in court decision in Greece, in Honoraris Agallopoulou, (p.799-806).
- Der Schutz der Persönlichkeit der Ehegatten und der Eltern gegenüber Dritten im griechischen Zivilrecht, in Honoraris Manoledakis (p. 797-804)
- and many other articles (25) written in Greek.