

Curriculum Vitae

Name Alexandros E. Beris, MD

Date of birth March 29, 1948

Place of birth Salamina, Attiki, Greece

Marital Status Married, father of two children

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Languages English, German

University Education

1966 - 1972 Medical School, University of Athens, Greece

Military service

10.1972 - 10.1973 Medical officer in the Hellenic Navy, Battleship "Aetos"

11.1973 - 6.1975 Medical officer in the Hellenic Navy, Naval Hospital of Salamina

Postgraduate Education

8.1975 - 9.1976 Intern, Orthopaedic Department, General Hospital of Patras, Greece

3.1977 - 6.1977 Visiting Physician, Orthopaedic Department, St. Elisabeth Krankenhaus, Saarlouis Saar, Germany, Director: Prof H. Hess

8.1977 - 6.1980 Resident in Orthopaedics, University of Athens, Medical School, Orthopaedic Department, Director: Prof G. Hartofilakidis

7.1980 License of Orthopaedic Surgery

8.1980-7.1982 Fellowship in Paediatric Orthopaedics (2 years), Orthopaedic Department, "Agia Sofia" Paediatric Hospital, Athens, Greece, Director: Dr. A. Morakis

3.1983 University of Athens, Greece, Doctoral Theses approved and rated "Excellent" on "*Bridging Arterial gaps with microvenous grafts*" (*Experimental Study*)

6.1986 - 6.1987 Fellow in Microsurgery Research, Orthopaedic Department, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina, USA, Director: Prof. James R. Urbaniak

Academic Degrees

Dec 2000 - 2015 Professor, University of Ioannina, School of Medicine, Department of Orthopaedic Surgery

1996 - 2002 Associate Professor, University of Ioannina, School of Medicine, Department of Orthopaedic Surgery

1988-1996 Assistant Professor, University of Ioannina, School of Medicine, Department of Orthopaedic Surgery

1983-1988 Lecturer, University of Ioannina, School of Medicine, Department of Orthopaedic Surgery

8.1982-1983 Scientific Associate, University of Ioannina, School of Medicine, Department of Orthopaedic Surgery

8.1979 - 7.1982 Scientific Associate, Microsurgical Service, "Th. Garofalidis" Research Center, Director: Ass. Professor P.N. Soucacos, University of Athens, Greece

Academic Positions

2004-2006 Chief & Chairman Orthopaedic Department Ioannina University Medical School

2006-2010 Chief & Chairman "Stavros Niarchos" Rehabilitation Center, Ioannina

2010-2015 Chief & Chairman Orthopaedic Department Ioannina University Medical School

Membership in Scientific Societies

Hellenic Association of Orthopaedic Surgery and Traumatology (HAOST) (President 2006)	1982
Hellenic Society of Hand Surgery (Founding Member)	1984
International Microsurgical Society	1986
Duke Hand Club	1987
Piedmont Orthopaedic Society	1987
Hellenic Bone Metabolism Study Society (Founding Member)	1988
Hellenic Society of Reconstructive Microsurgery (Founding Member)	1990
Hellenic Society of Reconstructive Microsurgery (President)	1993
College of Greek Orthopaedic Surgeons	1993
Paediatric Orthopaedics Society of HAOST (President 2004)	1993
Hellenic Society of Hand Surgery (President)	1998
International Cartilage Repair Society	1998
European Society of Surgery of the Knee and Arthroscopy	1999
American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons (International Member)	2001

Organizing Committee of International Congresses

- 11th Congress of the International Microsurgical Society, Rhodes, Greece June 21-27, 1992
- 14th International Microsurgery Society Meeting and 4th Congress of the European Federation of Societies of Microsurgery. Corfu, Greece, Aug 25-29, 1998
- Combined Meeting of Romania Hand and Microsurgery Societies. Iasi, Romania, May 9-13, 2000
- FESSH Meeting 26-29 August 2007, Athens Greece
- Co-Chairman in 4th WSRM August 2007, Athens, Greece

Member of Editorial Boards

1997-2007 Editorial Board of “Microsurgery” journal

Organizer of National Congresses

1st through 30th yearly Microsurgical Seminars (1985 – 2015)
1st through 46th Training Weeks in Microsurgery (1999- 2015)
Annual Combined Meetings, Hellenic Society for Reconstructive Microsurgery and Hellenic Society for Surgery of the Hand (1991, 1992, 1997, 1998, 1999)
Hellenic Pediatric Orthopaedics Society Congresses (2000, 2002)
Annual Combined Meeting, Hellenic Society for Reconstructive Microsurgery and Hellenic Society for Surgery of the Hand, Cyprus Orthopaedic Society (1993)

Teaching

1982-2015 “Orthopaedics”, 4th year medical students, University of Ioannina, Medical School
1985 -2015 “Microsurgery”, 4th year medical students, University of Ioannina, Medical School
1982 - 2015 “Paediatric Orthopaedics”, “Upper extremity surgery”, “Spine Surgery”, “Trauma”, “Hand Surgery and Microsurgery” Residents & Post-Graduates, Department of Orthopaedics, University of Ioannina, Medical School
1985 – 2015 1st through 30^h yearly Microsurgical Seminars

1999- 2015	1 st through 46 th Training Weeks in Microsurgery
2003-2015	President of the organizing committee of the Annual Seminar on Surgical Anatomy of the Hand (with Workshop)
2010-2015	President of the organizing committee of the Annual Seminar on Surgical Anatomy of Foot & Ankle

Visiting Professor

- October 23-25, 1999, UnfallKrankenhaus Berlin, Free University Berlin, Department of Hand, Replantation and Microsurgery
- October 25 – 26, 1999, Klinik Für Handchirurgie bad Neustadt, Chefarzt Prof. Dr. Med. Ulrich Lanz
- April 8-10 2002, Orthopaedic Department, University of Timisoara “Victor Babes”, Romania, Director: Prof Dan Poenaru
- March 2004, University Pittsburgh University Department of Hand and Microsurgery, Prof. Dean Sotereanos

Honorary Title

“Doctor Honoris Causa” University of Timsoara, April 2002

National Delegate

Since 2010 national delegate of Greece in FESSH and EFSM

Research

1979-1982: University of Athens, Greece, “Th. Garofalidis” Research Center

1986-1987: Duke University, Orthopaedic Department, Research Center, North Carolina USA

1988-2015: Director of the Microsurgery Research Lab, University of Ioannina, Greece

Main Activities:

1. Training surgeons in microsurgical techniques
2. Development of a functional protocol for the rat sciatic nerve using a combination of the Sciatic Functional Index (SFI) with the de Medinatzeli method, electromyography and histometry
3. Development of a new device for targeting the necrotic lesion in the avascular necrosis of the femoral head (the “Ioannina aiming device”) using CAM-CAD technology.
4. Experimental end to side neurorraphy
5. MICRO:A cross-border microsurgery center of excellence for the promotion of research, training and education in microsurgery and surgery of the hand with the use of virtual reality and simulation

Participation in 43 Doctoral Theses Committees

180 Lectures as Invited Speaker

245 Scientific Presentations in National and International Congresses

159 International publications

17 Book chapters

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