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1. Education

Ph.D.—Economics

April 2002 - June 2008

UNIVERSITY OF ESSEX, Colchester, UK

Thesis Title: The Taxation of Mobile Workers

Advisor: Professor Eric Smith

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University of Kent

M.Sc.—**Economics** (with **Distinction**)

October 2000 - October 2001

UNIVERSITY OF ESSEX, Colchester, UK

M.Sc. Dissertation Title: Welfare Loss from Monopolistic Pricing in Greek Industry

Advisor: Dr. George Symeonidis

B.Sc.—Economics (Grade Point Average 7.17/10) October 1996 - July 2000

NATIONAL & KAPODISTRIAN UNIVERSITY OF ATHENS, Athens, Greece

2. Teaching and Research Interests

- 1. Public Economics
- 2. Labor Economics
- 3. Spatial Econometrics
- 4. Industrial Organization
- 5. Auditing

3. Employment History

Assistant Professor March 2016 to present

Department of Economics

UNIVERSITY OF PIRAEUS, Piraeus, Greece

Lecturer July 2014 to February 2016

Department of Economics

UNIVERSITY OF PIRAEUS, Piraeus, Greece

Assistant Professor of Economics September 2011 to June 2014

College of Business Administration

ABU DHABI UNIVERSITY, Abu Dhabi, UAE

Visiting Lecturer April 2009 to September 2010

April 2011 to July 2011

Department of Economics

UNIVERSITY OF PIRAEUS, Piraeus, Greece

Teaching Assistant November 2010 to April 2011

Department of Business Administration

TECHNOLOGICAL EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTE (TEI) OF PIRAEUS, Piraeus, Greece

Research Associate November 2008 to September 2009

Department of Economics

NATIONAL & KAPODISTRIAN UNIVERSITY OF ATHENS, Athens, Greece

Teaching Assistant October 2001 to February 2002

Computing Laboratory

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4. Research Activities

A. Publications

a) Papers Published or Accepted for Publication in Refereed Journals/Book Chapters

- [1] Christopoulos, K., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Premature mortality in the US: A convergence study', *Social Science & Medicine*, https://doi.org/10.1016/j.socscimed.2020.113141 (forthcoming).
- [2] **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Michelacakis, N., 'Location decisions and welfare under spatial price discrimination', *Managerial and Decision Economics*, https://doi.org/10.1002/mde.3166 (forthcoming).

- [3] **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Polemis, M., 'One list to fit them all: What do we learn from journal ranking?', *Finance Research Letters*, vol. 35, 2020, 101278 (lead article).
- [4] **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Polemis, M., 'The equity implications of e-commerce: A note', *Managerial and Decision Economics*, vol. 40, no. 5, 2019, pp. 515-519.
- [5] **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Spillovers of tax audits in Greek tourist destinations', *Annals of Tourism Research*, vol. 76, 2019, pp. 334-337.
- [6] Alexiadis, S., **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Nijkamp, P., 'A note on unemployment and health convergence in space: Evidence from US States', *Applied Spatial Analysis and Policy*, vol. 12, no. 3, 2019, pp. 719-728.
- [7] Stamatopoulos, I., Hadjidema, S., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Explaining corporate effective tax rates: Evidence from Greece', *Economic Analysis and Policy*, vol. 62, 2019, pp. 236-254.
- [8] **Eleftheriou, K.**, Nijkamp, P., and Polemis, M., 'Asymmetric price adjustments in US gasoline markets: Impacts of spatial dependence on the 'rockets and feathers' hypothesis', *Regional Studies*, vol. 53, no. 5, 2019, pp. 667-680.
- [9] **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Sambracos, E., 'Tourism–growth nexus and spatial spillovers: Evidence from Greece', *Tourism Economics*, vol. 25, no. 2, 2019, pp. 297-302.
- [10] Polemis, M., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'To regulate or to deregulate? The role of downstream competition in upstream monopoly vertically linked markets', *Bulletin of Economic Research*, vol. 70, no. 1, 2018, pp. 51-63.
- [11] Stamatopoulos, I., Hadjidema, S., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Corporate income tax compliance costs and their determinants: Evidence from Greece', In: J. Hasseldine (ed) *Advances in Taxation*, vol. 24, Emerald Publishing Limited, 2017, pp. 233-270.
- [12] Fotis, P., Polemis, M., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Unilateral effects of partial acquisitions: Consistent calculation of GUPPI under horizontal merger guidelines within the EU', *Economia e Politica Industriale*, vol. 44, 2017, pp. 315-325.
- [13] **Eleftheriou, K.**, Michelacakis, N., and Papavassiliou, V., 'Addendum to Eleftheriou and Michelacakis (2016)', *Economics Letters*, vol. 148, 2016, pp.53-54.
- [14] **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Michelacakis, N., 'A comment on 'Vertical mergers and downstream spatial competition with different product varieties', *Economics Letters*, vol. 143, 2016, pp.84-86.
- [15] **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Iyanna, S., 'Editorial Special Issue on Sustainable Production and Consumption in the UAE', *Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews*, vol. 55, 2016, pp. 1164-1165.
- [16] Klumpes, P., Komarev, I., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'The pricing of audit and non-audit services in a regulated environment: A longitudinal study of the UK life insurance industry', *Accounting and Business Research*, vol. 46, no. 3, 2016, pp. 278-302.
- [17] Al Nuaimi, S., Chowdhury, H., **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Katsioloudes, M., 'Participative decision-making and job satisfaction for teachers in the UAE', *International Journal of Educational Management*, vol. 29, no. 5, 2015, p.. 645-665.
- [18] Psillaki, M., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Trade credit, bank credit and flight to quality: Evidence from French SMEs', *Journal of Small Business Management*, vol. 53, no. 4, 2015, pp. 1219-1240.

- [19] Alexiadis, S., **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Nijkamp, P., 'Intraregional income convergence: Cross section and time series evidence from the USA', In: K. Kourtit, P. Nijkamp, and R. Stimson (eds) *Applied Regional Growth and Innovation Models*, Springer-Verlag, Berlin, 2014, pp. 217-240.
- [20] Alexiadis, S., **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Nijkamp, P., 'Technology adoption within a search model: Evidence from OECD countries', *Economic Modelling*, vol. 33, 2013, pp. 137-148.
- [21] Alexiadis, S., **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Nijkamp, P., 'Regional inequalities and the impact of "matching technology" on the arrival rate of employment offers: A theoretical and empirical analysis', *Papers in Regional Science*, vol. 92, no. 2, 2013, pp. 285-304.
- [22] **Eleftheriou, K.**, Athanasiou, G., and Kougoulis, P., 'Labour market, obesity and public policy considerations', *Economics Bulletin*, vol. 33, no. 1, 2013, pp. 783-793.
- [23] Hadjidema, S., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'A search theoretic approach on environmental taxation under productive differentials: A note', *International Advances in Economic Research*, vol. 19, no. 2, 2013, pp. 153-166.
- [24] Hadjidema, S., **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Alexiadis, S., 'Punishing Erysichthon: A survey on the employment double-dividend effects of environmental taxation', In: S. Sunderasan (ed) *Externality: Economics, Management and Outcomes*, Nova Publishers, New York, 2012, pp. 67-80.
- [25] Alexiadis, S., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'A note on the relation between inter-regional inequality and economic efficiency: Evidence from the US States', *Regional Science Policy & Practice*, vol. 3, no. 1, 2011, pp. 37-44.
- [26] **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Efficiency and specialization: A search theoretic approach', *Economic Modelling*, vol. 28, no. 1-2, 2011, pp. 229-238.
- [27] Alexiadis, S., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'A note on the morphology of regional unemployment in Greece', *Economics Bulletin*, vol. 30, no. 4, 2010, pp. 2779-2786.
- [28] **Eleftheriou, K.**, Athanasiou, G., and Petrakis, P., 'Wages and higher education participation', *Journal of Research in Educational Sciences*, vol. 1, no. 1, 2010, pp. 22-31.
- [29] Petrakis, P., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Informal financing of small medium enterprise sector: The case of Greece', *Journal of Service Science and Management*, vol. 2, no. 4, 2009, pp. 378-383.
- [30] **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Modelling the effects of corporate taxation in the underground economy', *eJournal of Tax Research*, vol. 6, no. 2, 2008, pp. 169-194.
- [31] **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Matching, specialties and wage inequality', *Economics Bulletin*, vol. 10, no. 11, 2008, pp.1-12.

b) Papers Submitted for Publication in Refereed Journals

[32] **K. Eleftheriou**, I. Komarev, P. Klumpes, 'Regulating the market for audit services: A game theoretic approach'.

- [33] S. Alexiadis, **K. Eleftheriou**, P. Nijkamp, 'Long-term dynamics of regional income inequalities: An alternative approach'.
- [34] K. Christopoulos, **K. Eleftheriou**, 'The fiscal impact of health care expenditure: Evidence from the OECD countries'.
- [35] K. Christopoulos, **K. Eleftheriou**, 'The role of teleworking and e-commerce in the dispersion of COVID-19 in Europe'.
- [36] C. Alexakis, **K. Eleftheriou**, P. Patsoulis, 'COVID-19 containment measures and stock market returns. An international spatial econometrics investigation'.
- [37] C. Alexakis, M. Dowling, **K. Eleftheriou**, M. Polemis, 'The anatomy of computational economics research: A machine learning approach'.
- [38] S. Chanis, **K. Eleftheriou**, S. Hadjidema, V. Katavelis, 'Tell me who your co-worker is and I will tell you how much you earn: Human capital spillovers in the Greek health sector'.
- [39] **K. Eleftheriou**, P. Patsoulis, M. Polemis, 'Convergence among academic journals in accounting: A note'.

c) Research in Progress

- [40] 'Tax evasion and the Laffer curve: Estimates for OECD countries' (with C. Christou and S. Hadjidema).
- [41] 'Corporate tax evasion and search: A refinement of the Laffer curve' (with S. Hadjidema).
- [42] 'Trade credit decisions and inter-firm effects' (with D. Margaritis, M. Psillaki and I. Komarev).

B. Conference Presentations

- [1] **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Polemis, M., 'Specialization, matching intensity and income inequality of sellers', Society for Economic Measurement 4th Annual Symposium, July 2017, MIT, Cambridge, Massachusetts, USA.
- [2] **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Michelacakis, N., 'Spatial price discrimination and privatization on vertically related markets', The 9th annual conference of the Israeli chapter of the Game Theory Society, June 2017, Haifa, Israel.
- [3] **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Michelacakis, N., 'Spatial price discrimination and privatization on vertically related markets', Oligo Workshop 2017, June 2017, Moscow, Russia.
- [4] Polemis, M., and **Eleftheriou**, K., 'To regulate or to deregulate? The role of downstream competition in upstream monopoly vertically linked markets', XXX Jornadas de Economía Industrial Conference, September 2015, Alicante, Spain.
- [5] Klumpes, P., Komerev, I., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Corporate governance effectiveness and the pricing of audit services: A longitudinal study of the UK life insurance industry', 36th European Accounting Association Annual Congress, May 2013, Paris, France.

- [6] **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Athanasiou, G., 'Labour market, obesity and public policy considerations', 74th International Atlantic Economic Conference, October 2012, Montreal, Canada.
- [7] Alexiadis, S., **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Nijkamp, P., 'Regional inequality and human capital quality: Examining the impact of technology on the arrival rate of employment offers', International Tinbergen Institute Workshop on Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Regional Development, May 2011, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.
- [8] Christou C., **Eleftheriou, K.**, and Hadjidema, S., 'Tax evasion and the Laffer curve: Estimates for OECD countries', 71st International Atlantic Economic Conference, March 2011, Athens, Greece.
- [9] Hadjidema, S., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Environmental taxation under productive differentials: An efficiency analysis', 69th International Atlantic Economic Conference, March 2010, Prague, Czech Republic.
- [10] Hadjidema, S., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Does optimal pollution tax increase unemployment? A theoretical approach', 1st Pan-Hellenic Conference in Applied Economics, University of Thessaly, November 2009, Volos, Greece.
- [11] Hadjidema, S., and **Eleftheriou, K.**, 'Environmental taxes and unemployment: A theoretical approach', 2nd International Conference of Hellenic Sociological Society, November 2009, Athens, Greece.

5. Scholarly Activities

Guest Editor, Special Issue on Sustainable Production and Consumption in the UAE, Renewable & Sustainable Energy Reviews (Elsevier).

Refereeing for: Economic Inquiry, Journal of Economics, Mathematical Social Sciences, Economic Modelling, Papers in Regional Science, Renewable & Sustainable Energy Reviews, Computational Economics, Electronic Commerce Research, International Journal of Diplomacy and Economy, SPOUDAI – Journal of Economics and Business, Telematics and Informatics, Advances in Taxation, International Journal of Human Resource Management, Environmental Science and Pollution Research, Energy Research Letters.

6. Languages

Greek (native), English (fluent)

7. Software

Windows, Microsoft Office, Internet Explorer, Mathcad, E-Views, Stata, Scientific Word, Matlab, Mathematica, WinQSB