

## **SHORT C. V.**

### **Meletios A. Dimopoulos, MD**

Meletios A. Dimopoulos, MD is Professor and Chairman of the Department of Clinical Therapeutics at the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens School of Medicine, Athens, Greece. He has been elected Vice Dean of the Medical School for the academic years 2007-2011 and Dean for the academic years 2011-2015. In February 2015 he was elected Rector of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens for a 4 year term.

He obtained his medical degree from the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens in 1985, completed a residency in internal medicine at the Royal Victoria Hospital, McGill University, Montreal, Canada and a fellowship in hematology/oncology at the University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, Houston, Texas, USA. Dr. Dimopoulos is a member of numerous scientific societies and has authored more than 830 publications (February 2017) in peer-reviewed journals, as well as numerous abstracts and several textbook chapters primarily focusing on plasma cell dyscrasias and genitourinary and gynecologic cancers. He has more than 32000 citations and his h-index is 85 (ISI-Web of Science). He is a journal reviewer for several journals including *New England Journal of Medicine*, *Blood*, *Journal of Clinical Oncology*, *Haematologica*, *Leukemia*, *Cancer*, *European Journal of Haematology*, *Leukemia and Lymphoma* etc. Dr. Dimopoulos was Associate Editor of the *European Journal of Internal Medicine* (2001-2007), is an Associate Editor of *Current Hematologic Malignancy Reports* and is an Editorial Board Member of the *Journal of Clinical Oncology* (2005-2008), of *Haematologica*, of *Leukemia and Lymphoma*, of *Clinical Lymphoma and Myeloma*, of *Expert Review of Hematology* and of *Blood Advances*. Dr. Dimopoulos serves on the Scientific Advisory Boards of the International Myeloma Foundation, of the International Waldenstrom's Macroglobulinemia Foundation and he is a member of the Board of the European Myeloma Network. Dr. Dimopoulos organized the XI<sup>th</sup> International Myeloma Workshop and the IV<sup>th</sup> International Workshop on Waldenstrom's Macroglobulinemia (Kos Island, Greece June 2007). In March 2013 Dr. Dimopoulos was elected as a member of the Board of the International Myeloma Society. He is a

recipient of the Robert A. Kyle Award for outstanding contributions to Waldenstrom's macroglobulinemia.

## CURRICULUM VITAE

NAME: Meletios - Athanassios Dimopoulos, MD

PRESENT TITLE: Professor  
Department of Clinical Therapeutics  
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BIRTH DATE /  
PLACE: July 24, 1961  
Paris, France

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MARITAL STATUS: Married

LICENSURES: 1986 Athens, Greece  
1991 Texas, U.S.

SPECIALITY BOARDS: Internal Medicine (1991 Athens, Greece)  
Amer. Board of Internal Med. (9/16/92)  
Amer. Board of Medical Oncology (2/8/94)  
Hematology (1994 Athens, Greece)  
Medical Oncology (2001 Athens, Greece)

EDUCATION: 1973 to 1979 Varvakios Model School of  
Athens

University 1979 to 1985 National and Kapodistrian

of Athens, School of Medicine

POSTGRADUATE TRAINING:	1985 to 1987 Intern 251 Hellenic Airforce and V.A. General Hospital, Athens - Greece
	1987 to 1989 Resident Royal Victoria Hospital McGill University Montreal, Canada
	1989 to 1992 Fellow The University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer
Center	
	January 1993 to June 1993 Junior Faculty Associate The University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer
Center	
	July 1993 to August 1994 Assistant Internist and Assistant Professor Department of Hematology The University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer
Center	
	August 1994 to August 1999 Assistant Professor Department of Clinical Therapeutics University of Athens School of Medicine
	August 1994 to August 1999 Adjunct Assistant Professor of Medicine The University of Texas M.D. Anderson Cancer
Center	
	August 1999 to December 2002 Associate Professor Department of Clinical Therapeutics University of Athens School of Medicine
	December 2002 to present Professor of Therapeutics Department of Clinical Therapeutics

University of Athens  
School of Medicine

September 2005 to present	Chairman of Department of Clinical Therapeutics University of Athens School of Medicine
September 2007 to August 2011	Vice-Dean of The Medical School
September 2011 to February 2015	Dean of the Medical School
February 2015 to present	Rector of the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens

#### MEMBERSHIP IN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES:

American Medical Association  
American College of Physician  
American Society of Hematology  
American Society of Clinical Oncology  
American Society of Blood and Bone  
Marrow Transplantation  
European Society for Medical Oncology  
European Hematology Association

#### Doctoral Thesis

«Epidemiology of the prostate cancer in Greece». Presented to the General Assembly of the Medical School, Athens University (July 14, 1988).

#### Awards

Recipient of the “Robert A. Kyle, Award for outstanding contributions to Waldenstrom’s Macroglobulinemia” (May 2003)

#### Member in Editorial Boards

European Journal of Internal Medicine (Associate Editor: 2001-2007)  
Haematologica  
Journal of Clinical Oncology (2005-2008)  
Current Hematologic Malignancy Reports (Associate Editor)  
Leukemia and Lymphoma  
Clinical Lymphoma and Myeloma  
Expert Review of Hematology

#### Member of Scientific Advisory Boards

International Myeloma Foundation  
International Waldenstrom's Macroglobulinemia Foundation  
European Myeloma Network  
International Myeloma Society

Invited Speaker in Educational Sessions

American Society of Hematology  
European Hematology Association  
European Society of Medical Oncology

Chairman in Scientific Sessions

American Society of Hematology  
European Hematology Association  
European Society of Medical Oncology

Chairman of Congresses

XIth International Myeloma Workshop  
IVrth International Workshop on Waldenstrom's Macroglobulinemia

ESMO Educational Committee

Faculty Member for Hematologic malignancy (2007-2011)

Major Scientific Contributions

- Identification of prognostic factors in multiple myeloma, solitary plasmacytoma and Waldentrom's macroglobulinemia
- Development of new treatments in Waldenstrom's macroglobulinemia: nucleoside analogues, thalidomide, rituximab, bortezomib
- Development of new treatments in multiple myeloma: principal investigator of a trial that led to approval of lenalidomide and dexamethasone for relapsed/refractory myeloma by FDA and EMEA

Publications (as per February 2017)

Approximately 830 publications in peer-reviewed Journals primarily regarding plasma cell dyscrasias, genitourinary and gynecologic cancers.

ISI-Web of Science

More than 32000 citations, H-index:85

Scopus

More than 38000 citations, H-index: 94