

## **ACADEMIC CURRICULUM VITAE-GARETH ALUN OWENS (Date of Birth 21-2-64)**

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### **UNIVERSITY DEGREES**

- 1982-1985** B.A. (Hons.) in Classics and Ancient History 2:1  
Department of Greek&Latin - University College London, London University, UK.
- 1985-1986** M.A. in Greek Literature and Archaeology  
Department of Greek&Latin - University College London, London University, UK.
- 1986-1991** M.Phil. - Thesis «From Linear A to Linear B: A Diachronic Study of the Scripts of Late Minoan Crete». Department of Archaeology - University College London, London University, UK. Research was undertaken, part-time, in London (1986-88) and in Heraklion Museum (1988-91) with assistance from University of Crete, UCL, IKY and BSA.
- 1991-1994** (Please See Below for Academic Positions held at Universities of London and Crete)
- 1994-2004** Ph.D. «A Tentative Approach to the Minoan Language» An Inter-Disciplinary Study. 2001-2004, Department of Linguistics, University of Athens (EKPA).

### **ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

- 1991-1992** Lecturer in Mycenaean Linear B, Classics and Archaeology at the Institute of Classical Studies, Institute of Archaeology and University College London (1 Year Post) London University. Michael Ventris Award for Mycenaean Studies, awarded by the Architectural Association and Institute of Classical Studies.
- 1992-1994** «Council of Europe» Post-Doctoral Fellowship awarded by the Hellenic Ministry of Education and State Scholarship Foundation (IKY) for «A Study of Minoan Linear A» at University of Crete and Heraklion Archaeological Museum.

### **ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS**

**1994-2008** European Union “Socrates/Erasmus” Programme in the International Office of the Technological Educational Institute of Heraklion (International Academic Affairs, Public Relations, European Programmes) Lecturer, History of Crete. TEI of Heraklion, Crete, Greece/Hellas.

#### **2008-2014**

European Union Lifelong Learning Programme “LLP-Erasmus” Institutional Co-ordinator of the International Relations Office, T.E.I. of Crete and Lecturer, History of Crete, TEI of CRETE, Greece/Hellas.

#### **2014-2019**

ERASMUS+ Institutional Co-ordinator, Associate Head of the International Relations Office. Lecturer, An Introduction to the History of Crete&Hellas, Modern Greek (A1&2), TEI of CRETE, Greece/Hellas. European Union ERASMUS+ Ambassador for Higher Education.

#### **2019-2020**

ERASMUS+ Institutional Co-ordinator, Head of the International Relations Office. Erasmus University Teacher, An Introduction to the History of Crete&Hellas, Modern Greek (A1&2), Academic English (C1&2) Hellenic Mediterranean University, HMU, CRETE. European Union ERASMUS+ Ambassador for Higher Education.

#### **2020-2021**

ERASMUS+ Institutional Co-ordinator, Head of the International Relations Office. Erasmus University Teacher, An Introduction to the History of Crete&Hellas, Modern Greek (A1&2), Academic English (C1&2), An Introduction to Philosophy, Past, Present & Future, HMU, ATHENA (Advanced Technology Higher Education Network Alliance) European University, CRETE, GREECE/HELLAS. European Union ERASMUS+ Ambassador for Higher Education.

### **PUBLICATIONS (5 BOOKS AND 50 ARTICLES-PLEASE SEE BIBLIOGRAPHY)**

- 1) ΔΑΙΔΑΛΙΚΑ - ΓΡΑΦΕΣ ΚΑΙ ΓΛΩΣΣΕΣ ΤΗΣ ΜΙΝΩΙΚΗΣ ΚΑΙ ΜΥΚΗΝΑΪΚΗΣ ΚΡΗΤΗΣ (1996)
  - 2) KRITIKA DAIDALIKA-EVIDENCE FOR THE MINOAN LANGUAGE: STUDIES HOOKER (1997)
  - 3) EVIDENCE FOR INDO-EUROPEAN LANGUAGE IN THE MINOAN DOCUMENTS DOSOMO (2005)
  - 4) ΣΤΟΙΧΕΙΑ ΓΙΑ ΤΗ ΜΙΝΩΙΚΗ ΓΛΩΣΣΑ – ΠΑΛΙΜΨΗΣΤΟ (2006)
  - 5) LABYRINTH - COLLECTED WORKS ΛΑΒΥΡΙΝΘΟΣ ΣΥΛΛΟΓΗ ΔΗΜΟΣΙΕΥΜΑΤΩΝ (2007)
- 50+ academic articles published and 50+ journalistic articles in Crete and Athens in Modern Greek (1990-2020).

### **LANGUAGES**

Modern Greek\* Diploma of Proficiency awarded by the National & Kapodistrian University of Athens.  
French, Italian, Spanish.

### **EXCAVATION EXPERIENCE**

Fishbourne Roman Palace and Brandon Camp Celtic Hillfort and Roman Fort (IofA, UCL, UK).  
Knossos Minoan Palace (Heraklion Museum) and Atsipadhes Peak Sanctuary (BSA) Crete. Hellas

### **OTHER EXPERIENCE 1988-2020**

While on Crete for over 30 years I have assisted the B.B.C. and British Consulate, taught Cambridge Proficiency English at a School of Foreign Languages, and have done Academic Translations for the University of Crete, Heraklion Archaeological Museum and for other Museums on Crete. I also carried out Military Service as a “Hoplite” in the Hellenic Army (Rethymno and Heraklion on Crete, 1994) upon receiving Hellenic Citizenship.

**GARETH ALUN OWENS –10/12/2020 - HERAKLION - CRETE – HELLAS**