Βιογραφικό Σωτηρία Θεοδωροπούλου

Η Σωτηρία Θεοδωροπούλου ξεκίνησε τη συνεργασία της με το τμήμα Κοινωνικής και Εκπαιδευτικής Πολιτικής του Πανεπιστημίου Πελοποννήσου το 2022, με μεταπτυχιακές διαλέξεις που εστιάζουν στο σημείο τομής της κλιματική αλλαγής με τις κοινωνικές πολιτικές. Εργάζεται από το 2010 στο European Trade Union Institute (ETUI) των Βρυξελλών ως κύρια ερευνήτρια ενώ από το 2018 είναι και επικεφαλής της ερευνητικής μονάδας που ασχολείται με τις Ευρωπαϊκές οικονομικές και κοινωνικές πολιτικές και της πολιτικές απασχόλησης. Η έρευνα και οι δημοσιεύσεις της επικεντρώνονται στις επιπτώσεις της κοινωνικό-οικονομικής διακυβέρνησης της Ευρωπαϊκής Ενωσης στις εθνικές μακροοικονομικές, εργασιακές και κοινωνικές πολιτικές και επιδόσεις (συμπεριλαμβάνομένης της περίπτωσης της Ελλάδας). Τα τελευταία χρόνια ασχολείται με τη κοινωνικο-οικολογική διάσταση της Ευρωπαϊκής Πράσινης Συμφωνίας και τις αλληλεπιδράσεις της κλιματικής αλλαγής με τις κοινωνικές πολιτικές. Εργάζεται τακτικά ως εξωτερική εμπειρογνώμων της Ευρωπαϊκής Οικονομικής και Κοινωνικής Επιτροπής (ΕΟΚΕ) σε θέματα οικονομικής πολιτικής.

Η Σωτηρία εκπόνησε τη διδακτορική της διατριβή στο πεδίο της Ευρωπαϊκής Πολιτικής Οικονομίας στο European Institute του London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE). Πριν από την ένταξή της στο ETUI, εργάστηκε ως αναλύτρια οικονομικής πολιτικής στο Ευρωπαϊκό Κέντρο Πολιτικής στις Βρυξέλλες, ερευνήτρια στο πρόγραμμα Οικονομία της Γνώσης του Work Foundation και ως εξωτερικός συνεργάτης (associate fellow) στο Ευρωπαϊκό πρόγραμμα του Chatham House στο Λονδίνο. Από το 2006 ως το 2008, ήταν ερευνήτρια σε ομάδα αριστείας Marie Curie στο Trinity College του Δουβλίνου, διεξάγοντας έρευνα στην πολιτική οικονομία της παγκοσμιοποίησης, της αποβιομηχάνισης και της ανόδου του τομέα των υπηρεσιών. Δίδαξε για αρκετά χρόνια Οικονομικά της ΕΕ και δημόσια πολιτική στο LSE, στα King's και Birkbeck College του Λονδίνου και στο Πανεπιστήμιο Αθηνών.

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Sotiria Theodoropoulou began her association with the department of Social and Education Policy of the University of Peloponnese in 2022, where she contributes at the postgraduate level with lectures on the intersection between climate change and social policies. She has been working since 2010 at the European Trade Union Institute (ETUI) in Brussels as a senior researcher, while in 2018 she became the head of the research unit European economic, employment and social policies. Her research and publications focus on the implications of the EU socio-economic governance on national macroeconomic, labor and social policies and performance (including the case of Greece). In recent years, she has been exploring the socio-ecological dimension of the Green Deal and the intersection between climate change and social policies. She is regularly invited to advise as an external expert on opinions by the European Economic and Social Committee (EESC) on economic policy issues.

Sotiria earned her PhD in the field of European Political Economy from the European Institute of the London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE). Before joining the ETUI, she had worked as an economic policy analyst at the European Policy Centre in Brussels, a researcher at the Knowledge Economy program of the Work Foundation, and as an associate fellow at the European program of Chatham House in London. Between 2006 and 2008, she was a Research Fellow in a Marie Curie Excellence Team at Trinity College Dublin, conducting research on the political economy of globalisation, deindustrialisation and the rise of the service sector. She taught for several years Economics of the EU, and Public Policy at the LSE, King's and Birkbeck College London and the University of Athens.

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