

## Dr. Ioannis Ignatiadis

**Medical Studies-Academical titles:** Dr Ioannis Ignatiadis , born in 1960-Greece , graduated Medical School of “Aristoteleion University” of Thessaloniki-Greece in 1987 and he obtained the title of a fully qualified Orthopedic Surgeon in Athens in 1995. Dr Ignatiadis was nominated Doctor in Medical Sciences of Ioannina University/Medical School in June 2016, while he past his PhD Thesis in December 2015 with grade excellent. Dr Ignatiadis field of interest is Hand and upper limb Microsugery.

**Current position:** ATHENS MEDICAL CENTER/PSYCHICO CLINIC since May 2012 as Head of Reconstructive limb microsurgery Dept.

### **Professional Experience:**

Between 1999 and 2011 held the position of Consultant Orthopedic Hand surgeon at the dept of Hand-upper limb and Microsurgery of KAT Hospital-Athens-Greece, the single such a strict specialized and called department in Greece. This dept covers the 2/3 of the Greek population concerning the hand grave trauma, nerve and small vessels injuries, limb replantations - revascularizations. Between 1997 and 1999 he worked as consultant Orthopedic surgeon at the Orthopedic clinic of the Chania hospital, Crete.

**Fellowships in hand Microsurgery:** between 1994 and 1997 Dr Ignatiadis was trained in Hand surgery-microsurgical techniques in :

- 1)Hand and microsurgery clinic-KAT Hospital-Athens as a last year resident and fellow (1,5 year).
- 2)Institut de la main, Clinique Jounenet, Paris-France (6 months)
- 3)Pulvertaft Hand Center, The Royal Derbyshire Infirmary-NHS Trust-Derby-UK (3 months),
- 4)Peripheral nerves injuries and congenital hand unit, The Royal Orthopedic Hospital, Stanmore. London, UK (1 month).
- 5)Hand Surgery Clinic, Salhrenska University Hospital, Goteborg, Sweden (3 months).

**Experimental training & Research:** Dr Ignatiadis has performed experimental protocols and participated in research projects at the following labs:

- a) Th. Garophalides (Athens University) 3 months of basic microsurgical techniques
- b) Ecole de Chirurgie, Assistance des hopiteaux de Paris, France, Advanced Microsurgical techniques in the rats (9 months 1996).
- c) Lundberg-Musculoskeletal research lab, regarding refractometry measurements of the cadaveric muscular fibers, Gotenburg , Sweeden (3 months in 2000)
- d) Experimental microsurgical lab-second Surgical Clinic, Iuliu Hatieganu University and
- e) ELPEN –PHARMA Co, Experimental research Unit, Athens, Greece, had took place experimental protocols regarding the bridging of a 10mm short nerve defect of the rabbits sciatic nerve using diverse types of epineural flaps. These protocols constitutes an experimental project which was awarded by the Hellenic Society for reconstructive microsurgery (year 2000).

Dr Ignatiadis has participated in a lot of international meetings in Orthopaedics, Hand Surgery and Microsurgery and he published many articles in the field of upper limb microsurgery.

He organized or participated in International flaps dissection-courses as lecturer-trainer.

Dr Ignatiadis has also performed epidemiological inquiries, published a lot of articles in medical journals (24 published in Medline) and written a book (published in 2005) about the musicians' upper limb pathology.