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SUMMARY

Resourceful engineer with a strong aptitude for hands-on mechanical troubleshooting, custom fabrication, and electro-mechanical DIY repairs. Experienced in GIS, storytelling, multimedia production & independently managing long expeditions & technical/creative projects.

LANGUAGES

- Greek (Native)
- English (C, FCE 1988)

EDUCATION

AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY OF ATHENS

MSc Agricultural Engineer (2003)

EXPERIENCE

AI DATA QUALITY SPECIALIST

[RWS Group](#)

May 2026 - current

- Evaluate and annotate multilingual data for AI systems, including language identification, transcription validation, and quality control.
- Entity reference verification for large social media platforms ensuring AI model accuracy under tight quality control standards.

MECHANICAL TECH & FABRICATOR/DIGITAL CREATOR

WWW.ORESTISTRIPS.COM

2011 - current

- Mechanical expertise, highlighted by the full assembly of a *custom adventure motorcycle* on my own after disassembling two donor bikes, combining various spares and applying the required custom fabrication.
- Problem Solving, from routine motorcycle maintenance to DIY repairs and last minute change of plans due to unpredictable conditions.
- Content Editing & Proofreading in travel narratives and opinion pieces (Greek & English), ensuring grammatical precision and consistent style across all platforms.
- End-to-end production of digital content including video editing (Capcut, DaVinci Resolve, GoPro Player) and music composition/recording/sound processing (Nuendo, Cubase, Waveform).
- Planning, execution & documentation of complex self-supported overland expeditions, covering over 500,000 km across three continents (Europe, Asia Minor, Africa), 100% accident free.
- Geospatial Storytelling integrating G.I.S. principles to create interactive maps and route visualizations for a global audience.

SKILLS

- **Mechanical Troubleshooting & Fabrication**
- **Content Editing & Proofreading**
- **GIS software & Mapping**
- **Multimedia Software**
- **MS Office**
- **A&B Driving License** (1992 - Accident Free)
- **Soft Skills:**
Analytical Thinking,
Autonomous Problem Solving,
Independent Resourcefulness,
Collaborative Mindset.

G.I.S. CONSULTANT

OTE group

Sep 2006 — May 2010

- Consulting and managerial support of the G.I.S. Department of O.T.E.
- Supervision and maintenance of geo-database.
- Planning and conducting of the implementation of OTE's countrywide G.I.S. Network. (SMALLWORLD software).

G.I.S. DIGITISING

CREATIVE IMAGE Ltd

Feb 2006 — Mar 2006

- Editing and updating the road network for vehicle navigation systems. (ARC-GIS software).

G.I.S. PHOTO INTERPRETATION & DIGITISING

ANAPTIKSI

Jul 2005 — Sep 2005

- Photo interpretation of satellite images.
- Digitising land parcels for the Greek Ministry of Agriculture (AUTOCAD MAP and ARC-VIEW software).

G.I.S. DIGITISING

DIGITAL INFO SOLUTIONS

Apr 2005 — Jun 2005

- Road network digitising for vehicle navigation systems (ARC-VIEW software).

G.I.S. PHOTO INTERPRETATION & DIGITISING

HELLENIC PHOTOGRAMMETRIC Ltd

Apr 2004 — Jul 2004

- Photo interpretation of satellite images.
- Digitising and topographic validation of land entities for the Greek Ministry of Agriculture (ARC-INFO software).

G.I.S. INTERNSHIP

MARATHON DATA SYSTEMS

Feb 2004

- Practice on ARC GIS and Spatial/3D Analyst extensions.

G.I.S. CARTOGRAPHY & DIGITISING
AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY OF ATHENS

May 2003 — Jul 2003

- Photo interpretation of satellite images.
- Digitising land parcels for the Greek Ministry of Agriculture (AUTOCAD MAP and ARC-VIEW software).

COURSES

«Introduction to Wind Energy»

[ALISON](#), 4h, 2026

«UAS Remote Pilot open category A1/A3»

[E.A.S.A.](#), 4h, 2026

«Artificial Intelligence Fundamentals»

[IBM SkillsBuild](#), 10h, 2026

«Broadband Wireless Networks (WIMAX)»

[OTEacademy](#), 30h, 2010

«Introduction in theory and practice of Fiber Cables»

[OTEacademy](#), 30h, 2009

«Urban and suburban Networks (fiber and copper)»

[OTEacademy](#), 60h, 2009

«Design and management of geo-databases in ARC-GIS &
ARCVIEW»

[EUROERGASIAKI](#), 350h, 2004

«Geographic Information Systems (G.I.S.) - Applications in
ARC-INFO, ARC-VIEW»

[AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY OF ATHENS](#), 50h, 2003