

Curriculum Vitae

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Studies

- 1990 PhD in Computational Methods - Finite Element Methods
Department of Mathematics and Statistics Brunel University, London, UK
- 1986 MSc in Numerical Analysis
Department of Mathematics and Statistics Brunel University, London, UK
- 1984 BSc in Mathematics
Aristotelean University of Thessaloniki, Greece

Professional Experience

- 2019 – today: Professor
Department of Environmental Sciences, University of Thessaly, Greece
- 2004 – 2018 Associate Professor
Department of Mechanical Engineering, Technological Educational
Institution of Thessaly, Greece
- 2003 – 2003 Lecturer
General Department, School of Engineering, University of Patras, Greece
- 1993 – 2002 Assistant Professor (Adjunct)
University of Thessaly, Greece
- 1991 – 1992 Military service
Department of Aeronautics, Applied Technology & Development Center
(KETA), Hellenic Air Force
- 1990 – 1991 Research Fellow
Brunel Institute of Computational Mathematics (BICOM), London, UK
- 1986-1991 Scholarship holder
Materials and Structures Department, Royal Aerospace Establishment
(RAE), UK

Teaching Courses

- Mathematics I, II
- Numerical Methods
- Statistics
- Computer Programming

Research Interests:

- Computational Methods, Finite Difference Methods, Finite Element Methods
- Exact and Computational methods for solving non-local problems for Differential Equations, Integral and integrodifferential Equations, Loaded Equations and Difference Equations.
- Mathematical Modeling in Sciences and Engineering.

Publications

Books:

Mathematical Analysis in Interdisciplinary Research
I.N. Parasidis, E. Providas, Th.M. Rassias,
Springer Optimization and Its Applications, vol. 179,
Chapters: 40,
Pages: 1060,
2021,
Springer, Cham
<https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-84721-0>

Recent (last 3 years) Research Articles:

Journals:

- Providas, E.; Parasidis, I.N. A Symbolic Method for Solving a Class of Convolution-Type Volterra–Fredholm–Hammerstein Integro-Differential Equations under Nonlocal Boundary Conditions. *Algorithms* **2023**, *16*, 36.
<https://doi.org/10.3390/a16010036>
- Providas, E. An Algorithm for the Closed-Form Solution of Certain Classes of Volterra–Fredholm Integral Equations of Convolution Type. *Algorithms* **2022**, *15*, 203.
<https://doi.org/10.3390/a15060203>
- Providas, E. Closed-Form Solution of the Bending Two-Phase Integral Model of Euler-Bernoulli Nanobeams. *Algorithms* **2022**, *15*, 151.
<https://doi.org/10.3390/a15050151>
- Providas, E. On the Exact Solution of Nonlocal Euler–Bernoulli Beam Equations via a Direct Approach for Volterra-Fredholm Integro-Differential Equations. *AppliedMath* **2022**, *2*, 269-283.
<https://doi.org/10.3390/appliedmath2020017>
- E. Providas, L.S. Pulkina, I.N. Parasidis: Factorization of ordinary and hyperbolic integro-differential equations with integral boundary conditions in a Banach space. *Vestnik SamU. Estestvenno-Nauchnaya Ser. (Vestnik of Samara University. Natural Science Series)*, *27:1 (2021)*, 29–43.
<https://journals.ssau.ru/est/issue/viewIssue/514/340>
- Providas, E.; Parasidis, I.N. A Procedure for Factoring and Solving Nonlocal Boundary Value Problems for a Type of Linear Integro-Differential Equations. *Algorithms* **2021**, *14*, 346.
<https://doi.org/10.3390/a14120346>
- Providas, E. A Unified Formulation of Analytical and Numerical Methods for Solving Linear Fredholm Integral Equations. *Algorithms* **2021**, *14*, 293.
<https://doi.org/10.3390/a14100293>

- Providas, E.; Zaoutsos, S.; Faraslis, I. Closed-Form Solutions of Linear Ordinary Differential Equations with General Boundary Conditions. *Axioms* **2021**, *10*, 226.
<https://doi.org/10.3390/axioms10030226>
- I.N. Parasidis, E. Providas: Factorization method for solving nonlocal boundary value problems in Banach space. *Journal of the Karaganda University: Mathematics Series*, 3:103 (2021), 76–85.
[DOI 10.31489/202113/76-86](https://doi.org/10.31489/202113/76-86)

Book Series:

- E. Providas, I.N. Parasidis: Analytical Solution of nth Order Volterra Integro-Differential Equations of Convolution Type with Nonlocal Conditions. In: *Analysis, Geometry, Non-Linear Optimization and Applications*". World Scientific Publishing Company (2023). (To appear)
- Providas, E. Approximate Solution of Fredholm Integral and Integro-Differential Equations with Non-Separable Kernels. In: *Approximation and Computation in Science and Engineering*. Springer Optimization and Its Applications, vol 180. Springer, Cham (2022).
https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-84122-5_38
- E. Providas, I.N. Parasidis: On the Solution of Boundary Value Problems for Loaded Ordinary Differential Equations. *Mathematical Analysis in Interdisciplinary Research*. Springer Optimization and Its Applications, vol 179, pp. 641-659. Springer, Cham (2021).
https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-84721-0_29
- E. Providas: Factorization and Solution of Linear and Nonlinear Second Order Differential Equations with Variable Coefficients and Mixed Conditions. In: *Nonlinear Analysis, Differential Equations and Applications*. Springer Optimization and Its Applications, vol. 173, pp. 397-414. Springer, Cham (2021).
https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-72563-1_18
- E. Providas: Operator factorization and solution of second-order nonlinear difference equations with variable coefficients and multipoint constraints. In: *Nonlinear Analysis and Global Optimization*. Springer Optimization and Its Applications, vol. 167, pp. 427-443. Springer, Cham (2021).
https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-61732-5_20

Conferences:

- I.N. Parasidis, E. Providas: Solution to Factorable Multipoint Boundary Value Problems for fourth-Order Difference Equations. In: N.N. Vassiliev (eds), *International Conference on Polynomial Computer Algebra* (St. Petersburg 19-23 April 2021). Euler International Mathematical Institute, St.-Petersburg, Russia (2021).
<https://pca-pdmi.ru/2021/files/39/Providas-Parasidis.pdf>