## CURRICULUM VITAE

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**Nationality:** Cypriot

# **ACADEMIC & PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

1970 – 1977 – The English School Nicosia (Leaving Certificate)

1979 – 1982 – BA (Hons) in Political Economy Greenwich University (ex Thames Polytechnic), London

2006 – CIA – Certified Internal Auditor The Institute of Internal Auditors

### **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS**

- Member of the Global Institute of Internal Auditors (U.S.A.)
- Member of the Cyprus Institute of Internal Auditors

#### **PROFESSIONAL CAREER**

April 2014 – Today: The Cyprus Institute of Internal Auditors, Executive Manager

June 2013 – March 2014 : Freelance Internal Audit services provider

December 2011 – May 2013: Commission for the Protection of Competition, Member

December 2003 – December 2011 : SFS Group Public Company Ltd, Group Internal Auditor

April 2000 – October 2003 : Suphire (Finance) Ltd, General Manager

September 1990 – March 2000: Euroinvestment & Finance Ltd, <u>Deputy General Manager</u>

September 1989 – August 1990 : Stavros Holdings Ltd, Chief Accountant

July 1984 – August 1989: Ledra Hotel, (Nicosia), Chief Accountant & Deputy H.R. Manager

September 1983 – July 1984 : **KPMG Peat Marwick (Nicosia) Chartered Accountants, <u>Audit Assistant</u>** 

September 1982 – May 1983 : C. Charles & Co. (London), Certified Accountants

<u>Audit Clerk</u>

## OFFICIAL POSITIONS (present & past)

- Member of the Commission for the Protection of Competition (past)
- Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Cyprus Wine Products Council (past)
- Member of the Board of Directors of the Electricity Authority of Cyprus (EAC) (past)
- Member of the Board of Directors of the Pancyprian Association of Investors (past)
- Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Cyprus Association of Economists (present)
- Member of the Board of Directors of Royal Crown Insurance Company (present)
- Member of the Board of Directors of Ellinas Finance Plc (present)
- Member of the Board of Directors of SFS Public Co. Ltd (present)
- Member of the Board of Directors of SUN Interbrew Plc (present)

### IT KNOWLEDGE

- MS Office
- Internet

### MAIN CONFERENCES, SEMINARS & OTHER TRAINING COURSES ATTENDED

- The Cyprus Internal Audit Forum 2016 and 2017
- European Conferences of Internal Auditors (2005 2013)
- Numerous seminars on internal audit, anti-money laundering, compliance, corporate governance, business ethics, etc. (2004 2015)
- Training course of the Cyprus Productivity Centre (1988) on 'Improvement of negotiating capabilities'
- Training course of the Cyprus Chamber of Commerce & Industry (1989) on 'The new tax provisions'
- Training course of the Institute of Computer Technology (1999) on 'Multimedia in Business'
- Educational course of the Cyprus Chamber of Commerce & Industry (2006) on 'The new approach on issues of Health & Safety on the basis of the European Union regulations and practice'
- Round table discussion of the Cyprus Association of Internal Auditors (2007) on 'Risk based audit'
- Round table discussion of the Cyprus Association of Internal Auditors (2008) on 'The Internal Audit Charter Practical Issues & Challenges in applying it'
- Seminar of the Cyprus Association of Internal Auditors (2008) on 'IT Audit & Security the basics in practice'
- Seminar of Simi Seminars Ltd (2009) on 'Principles and practical applications of internal audit according to the International Standards Quality assessment of internal audit units'

- Seminar of the Cyprus Certification Company (2009) on 'Internal Inspectors of ISO 9001 quality systems'
- Seminar of Ikonomotehnikis Seminars AE (2009) on 'Fraud Auditing Fraud control'