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Alexandros D. Tselepis is Professor of Biochemistry–Clinical Chemistry in the University of Ioannina, Greece. He graduated in **Pharmacy** from the School of Pharmacy, University of Thessaloniki, Greece, in 1979 and obtained his PhD in Clinical Biochemistry in 1986 from the University of Ioannina, Greece. His research studies continued with a **Postdoctoral Fellowship (Fogarty, NIH)** in the Pathology Department, University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio, TX, USA (1988–1989). Subsequently, he graduated in **Medicine** at the School of Medicine, University of Ioannina, gaining his MD in 1992. After initial appointments as Assistant and Associate Professor of Biochemistry–Clinical Chemistry in the University of Ioannina, he took up his current position in 2006. Professor Tselepis is also the **Director of the Atherothrombosis Research Center** of the University of Ioannina.

Professor Tselepis' main scientific interests are in the pathophysiology of Atherothrombosis. He has obtained research grants from National, EU and Private Sources of more than 2M€, the last 5 years. He has more than 220 publications at international journals and more than 5,300 citations, whereas his current h-index is 39.

Professor Tselepis is Editor of the Hellenic Journal of Atherosclerosis, Section Editor (Vascular and Cellular Clinical Biochemistry) of *Vascular Disease Prevention*, Associate Editor of the *American Journal of Biochemistry and Biotechnology*, and he is on the Editorial Board of *Platelets*. He is president of the Hellenic Atherosclerosis Society, president of the Institute for the Study and Education on Thrombosis and Antithrombotic Therapy, and a fellow of several national and international scientific societies including European Atherosclerosis Society (EAS), International Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis (ISTH), European and Mediterranean League against Thrombotic Diseases (EMLTD), and International Atherosclerosis Society (IAS). He has participated in several European Research Networks and he has developed fruitful collaborations with several national and international Universities and Research Centers. Professor Tselepis has an over than 15 years experience, either as an organizer or as a member of organizing committees, in the

organization of national and international congresses, including the annual international meeting ALPIC (Advance Learning on Platelets and thrombosis International Course) held under the auspices of EMLTD and endorsed by the ISTH and the 2nd Joint Meeting on Lipid, Lipoproteins and Hypolipidaemic Therapy (jointly organized by EAS, the Turkish Society of Cardiology and the Hellenic Atherosclerosis Society. Currently Prof Tselepis has taken on the organization of an EAS advanced course on FH in Athens.