## SHORT CURRICULUM VITAE Nikolaos Skliris

Nikolaos Skliris completed his undergraduate studies in Physics in the University of Athens, Greece (1992) and his European DEA (MSc like diploma) in "Modelling of the Marine Environment" (1994) and his PhD in the Department of Oceanography in the University of Liege, Belgium (2001). During his PhD his research focused on the investigation of ocean circulation and the distribution of ecological parameters in coastal regions with the use of numerical models.

After his PhD he worked during 3 years as a postdoctoral researcher at the Ocean Physics and Modelling Group (OPAM) of the University of Athens. During the period 2006-2008 he worked as a post-doctoral research fellow at the University of Liege after he obtained the EU funded "Marie Curie Intra-European Fellowship". During the last two years he is working again as a research scientist in the Ocean Physics and Modelling group of the University of Athens. Parallel to that, since February 2009, he has been working as an Associate Senior Lecturer at the Department of Marine Sciences at the University of the Aegean in Greece (part-time employment, second semester).

His main research fields and published work concern interdisciplinary studies of the marine environment including the analysis/numerical modelling of ocean circulation and its impact on plankton ecosystems, atmosphere-ocean interactions, deep water formation processes, and climatic/anthropogenic induced long-term changes in the thermohaline ocean circulation.

He has been involved in 8 past and on-going EU-funded projects and in 4 national research programs. He is author/co-author of 13 research papers in international peer-reviewed journals and has 35 contributions in conference proceedings.

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