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Dr. Efstratios Theodossiou (Father's Name: Theodore) is an astronomer and Associate Professor of History and Philosophy of Astronomy and Physical Science at the University of Athens (since 2004). He was born in Athens, Greece on the 12th of March, 1949. He got his B.Sc. in Mathematics from the Aristotle University of Thessalonica, Greece (1972) and his Ph.D. in Astrophysics from the Physics Department of the University of Athens, Greece (1983).

He has worked as Laboratory Assistant, Lecturer and Assistant Professor at the Physics Department of the University of Athens. His scientific interests include History and Philosophy of Astronomy and Physical Sciences, Observational Astronomy and Astrophysics, Satellite Spectrophotometry of Be and Variable stars. He has published 61 scientific papers in refereed journals (14 in Astrophysics and 46 in History and Philosophy of Astronomy), 22 papers in the British Sundial Society Bulletin (BSSB) and the Journal of North American Sundial Society (NASS) and 166 papers in Conference Proceedings in Greece and abroad (80 in Astrophysics and 86 in History and Philosophy of Astronomy).

In addition, he has exhibited a rich writing work with more than nineteen books in Physics and Astronomy, titled: *On Stars and their myths-An Introduction in Uranography* (1991), *Measuring the Timeless-time-Time in Astronomy* (1994), *Astrology, Science or Religion?* (1994), *The Odyssey of Calendars vol. I. Looking for the roots of knowledge* (1995), *The Odyssey of Calendars vol. II. Astronomy and Tradition* (1995), *Straman-The tale of the Heavens* (1997), *The Universe I loved-An Introduction in Astrophysics, vol. I & II.* (1998), *In the trace of ICHTHYS-Astronomy, History, Philosophy* (2000), *Cosmology of the Mind-An Introduction in Cosmology* (2003), *The cycle of the Time-Astronomy and Mysterious religions* (2004), *The future of our Past-Science and New Civilization* (2005), *The dethronement of the Earth-The dispute between geocentric and heliocentric systems* (2007), *The Philosophy of Physics-From Cartesius to the Theory of Everything* (2008), *Fourth Dimension and the "journey" in Time* (four writers, 2008). *In the paths of the Sun - An Introduction to Solar Physics* (2009). *Straman-A tale of the Sky* (In English, 2009) , *Universal Inspirations* (2010) and *At the Years of Byzantium-The Byzantine scientists, physicians, physicists and astronomers* (2010).

His book *Cosmology of the Mind - An introduction in Cosmology* (2003) was awarded by the "Aronis Prize" of the University of Athens (23 December, 2004). Also, he has written six Teaching University books and notebooks and more than 246 scientific articles in newspapers and magazines.

For the last four years, in association with the Assistant Professor E. Danezis, he has been creator, presenter and scientific supervisor of the scientific television series "The Universe I Loved", which already counts 110 episodes. He has been awarded the "Hellenic-American University prize" in the 1st International Science Film Festival, for this television series.

He has been awarded by the Hellenic Union of Physicists and by the Cyprian Union of Physicists for all of his scientific and educational activities. He is a member of the International Astronomical Union (IAU, Commission No. 41), the European Astronomical Union (E.A.S.), the Hellenic Astronomical Society (Hel.A.S, founding member), the Hellenic Union of Physicists, the Hellenic Union of Mathematics, the Foundation of "Preserving Language Heritage" and the Foundation of "Historical Studies of Ancient Greek Mathematics". He has been elected to the governing board of Hel.A.S.; he served as Treasurer (from 2002 to 2006) and now he is elected to the governing board of the Hellenic Union of Physicists. He is married to Ekaterini Yfantis and they have two daughters.

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1.	Papers in International Journal doubled referred	63
2.	Scientific Publications in International Memoirs	11
3.	Scientific Publications in International Symposia	6
4.	Papers in International referred Bulletins	22
5.	Proceedings of Greek and International Conferences (referred)	166
6.	International Conferences	82
7.	Supervision of Master's dissertations	8
8.	Supervision of PhD thesis	6
9.	Supervision of Diploma's dissertations	93
10.	Personal Interviews	38
11.	Scientific articles in Greek journals, newspapers etc.	246
12.	Special Distinctions for my research and my books	7
13.	Published books	18
14.	Given talks	228
15.	Citations (papers = 102 and books =405)	507

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