

## **Qualitative Research Symposium in Social Sciences: Exploring Methodological Issues in Practice**

Friday, March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017, 9:00-17:00

Hellenic American College  
22 Massalias Street, Kolonaki  
8<sup>th</sup> floor

- 9:00      Symposium Registration**
- 9:30      Opening: Building a Qualitative Research Community**  
Welcome by Dr. Eva Fragkiadaki, Assistant Professor, Director of Psychology Programs, Hellenic American University, chair of the Symposium Organizing Committee
- 10:00    Using Discourse Analysis as an Analytic Tool for investigating Identity**  
Dr. Alexander Nikolaou, Adjunct faculty member, Hellenic American University
- 11:00    Discovering Clients' Experiences of Successful Psychotherapy with Grounded Theory**  
Dr. Agathi Lakioti and Dr. Katerina Zymnis, Panteion University
- 12:00 – 12:30              Coffee Break**
- 12:30    Futuring Methodology: Exploring the Impact of the July 2015 Referendum through Narrative Analysis of Letters from the Future**  
Dr. Sofia Triliva, Professor, Department of Psychology, University of Crete
- 13:30    Neo-homeless persons in the metropolitan Athens area: an interpretative phenomenological analysis**  
Dr. Philia Issari, Assistant Professor, Director of the Center for Qualitative Research in Psychology and Psychosocial Wellbeing, Department of Philosophy, Pedagogy & Psychology, National and Kapodistrian University of Athens
- 14:30 – 15:00              Lunch Break**
- 15:00    Focus on the Teacher: A Teacher Cognition Study in English to Speakers of Other Languages**  
Dr. Christine Niakaris, Professor of Applied Linguistics, Director of Arts and Sciences, Hellenic American University
- 16:00    Discussion: The Future of Qualitative Research: Forming Collaborations**
- 17:00    Closing Remarks, Dr. Eva Fragkiadaki**