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## Personal Information

Date of Birth: 27/08/1967 Place of Birth: Lamia, Greece Family Situation: Married, three children

### **Scientific Interests**

Reliability & Maintainability analysis, Maintenance, Production & Operations Management, Quality Engineering, Six Sigma, Performance Evaluation, Operations Research / Management Science, Applied Probability, Automatic Control.

## **Education**

- 2005 Ph.D in Quantitative Analysis of Reliability, Quality, and Performance of Automated Production Systems, Department of Mechanical & Industrial Engineering, University of Thessaly, Greece
- 2000 M. Eng. In Modern Analysis & Design Methods in Industry, Department of Mechanical & Industrial Engineering, University Of Thessaly, Greece
- 1991 B.S. in Mechanical Engineering, Universita degli Studi di Napoli, Federico II, Italy

### **Professional Activities**

- 2023- present: Professor, University of Thessaly, Department of Computer Science and Biomedical Informatics.
- 2021 2023: Professor, International Hellenic University, Department of Supply Chain Management (Logistics).
- 2019 2021: Associate Professor, International Hellenic University, Department of Supply Chain Management (Logistics).
- 2016 2019: Associate Professor, Technological Educational Institute of Central Macedonia, Department of Logistics
- 2012 2016: Assistant Professor, Technological Educational Institute of Central Macedonia, Department of Logistics
- 2007 2012: Lecturer, Alexander Technological Educational Institute of Thessaloniki, Department of Logistics
- 2003 2007: Hellenic Ministry of Health and Social Solidarity, Technical Department
- 1994 2003: Food Industry Chipita International SA, Technical Department
- 1992 1994 : Hellenic Air Force, Officer of Technical Department

## **Teaching and Research Position Held**

- 2006 present: Tutor Professor in postgraduate course on Quality Management and Technology in Hellenic Open University.
- 2014 present: Professor in postgraduate course on Logistics management in Technological Educational Institute of Central Macedonia, Greece.
- 2005 2008: Assistant Professor, Department of Electronics Technological Education Institute of Lamia, Greece.
- 2001 2004: Lecture, Department of Informatics and Computer Technology, Technological Education Institute of Lamia, Greece.

## 2000 – 2004: Teaching and Research Assistant, Department of Mechanical & Industrial Engineering, University of Thessaly, Greece.

# <u>Honors</u>

1. **Reviewer on the international Journals:** IEEE Transactions on Reliability, IEEE Transactions of Automation Science and Engineering (IEEE Publications), Journal of Manufacturing Science and Engineering (American Society of Mechanical Engineers - ASMA), Critical Reviews in Food Science and Nutrition (Taylor & Francis Group), The Service Industries Journal (Taylor & Francis Group), Journal of Food Science and Technology (Springer), The Total Quality Management Journal (Emerald Group Publishing Ltd), International Journal of Quality and Reliability Management (Emerald Group Publishing Ltd), Reliability Engineering & System Safety (Elsevier), Journal of Production Research (Taylor & Francis Group), Production Planning & Control (Taylor & Francis Group), Production & Manufacturing Research (Taylor & Francis Group), International Journal of Computer Aided Engineering and Technology (Inderscience), International Journal of Quality & Reliability Management (Emerald Group Publishing Ltd), Engineering Computations (Emerald Group Publishing Ltd), Engineering Actional Journal of Computer Aided Engineering and Technology (Inderscience), International Journal of Quality & Reliability Management (Emerald Group Publishing Ltd), Engineering Computations (Emerald Group Publishing Ltd).

- 2. Member of Editorial Board: International Journal of Probability and Statistics (ISSN: 2168-4871).
- 3. Member of Editorial Board: Sustainability and Disaster Risk Management (ISSN: 2542-6141).
- 4. Member of Editorial Board: Applied Sciences (ISSN 2076-3417).

5. Member of Organizing Committee of 1st International Conference on Supply Chain, Katerini, Greece, 1&2 October 2010.

6. Member of Organizing Committee of 2st International Conference on Supply Chain, Katerini, Greece, 5&6 October 2012.

7. Member of Organizing Committee of 3st International Conference on Supply Chain, Athens, Greece, 7&8 November 2015.

8. Member of Organizing Committee of 4st International Conference on Supply Chain, Katerini, Greece, 14&15 September 2018.

# **Book Chapters**

1. **Tsarouhas**, **P.H.** (2020), "Reliability Availability and Maintainability analysis of industrial systems based on Six Sigma approach", Chapter in The Handbook of Reliability, Maintenance, and System Safety through Mathematical Modeling (ed. by M. Ram and A. Kumar), Elsevie, pp. 1-17.

2. **Tsarouhas, P.H.** (2018), "Statistical Techniques of Reliability, Availability, and Maintainability (RAM) Analysis in Industrial Engineering", Chapter in Diagnostic Techniques in Industrial Engineering (ed. by M. Ram and J.P. Davim), Springer International Publishing AG, pp. 207-232.

3. **Tsarouhas, P.H.** (2014), "Application of statistical approaches for analyzing the reliability and maintainability of food production lines: a case study of mozzarella cheese", Chapter in Mathematical and Statistical Methods in Food Science and Technology (ed. by D. Granato and G. Ares), John Wiley & Sons, Inc., pp. 491-510.

4. Arvanitoyannis, I.S. & **Tsarouhas**, **P.H**. (2010), "Food packaging materials for irradiation", Chapter in Irradiation of Food Commodities (ed. by I.S. Arvanitoyannis), Elsevier, Burlington, MA, pp.43-64.

## **Articles Published in Scientific Journals**

- 1. **Tsarouhas P.** (2023), "New Trends in Production and Operations Management", *Applied Sciences*, Vol. 13, No 16, 9071, <u>https://doi.org/10.3390/app13169071</u>.
- 2. **Tsarouhas P.**, and Sidiropoulou, T. (2023), "Application of Six Sigma methodology using DMAIC approach for a packaging olives production system: a case study", *International Journal of Lean Six Sigma*, Vol., No, pp.. **DOI:** 10.1108/IJLSS-06-2022-0140.
- 3. **Tsarouhas P.,** and Varzakas, T. (2022), "An analytical approach of feta-cheese production line based on overall equipment effectiveness", *International Journal of Productivity and Quality Management*, Vol. 36, No 4, pp. 459-477. **DOI:** 10.1504/IJPQM.2021.10038559.
- 4. **Tsarouhas P**. (2022), "Maintenance scheduling of a cheddar cheese manufacturing plant based on RAM analysis," *International Journal of Productivity and Performance Management*, Vol.71, No 2, pp. 666-690.

- 5. Besseris G. and **Tsarouhas P.** (2022), "A new rapid and robust multi-factorial screening for lowpercentile use-rate accelerated reliability analysis", *International Journal of Quality & Reliability Management*, Vol. 39, No 1, pp. 316-344.
- Makrygianni M., and Tsarouhas P. (2021), "A Conceptual Approach for Aircraft Readiness Management through Aircraft Downtime Optimization", *International Journal of Aviation Management*, Vol. 5, No. 1, pp 50–73.
- Tsarouhas, P., Papachristos, I., (2021), "Environmental Assessment of ouzo production in Greece: a Life Cycle Assessment approach", *Cleaner Environmental Systems*, Vol. 3, 100044. <u>https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cesys.2021.100044</u>.
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- Skiada, V., Agriopoulou, S. Tsarouhas, P., Katsaris, P. Stamatelopoulou, E., Varzakas, T. (2020), "\_Evaluation and origin discrimination of two monocultivar extra virgin olive oils, cultivated in the coastline part of north-western Greece", *Applied Sciences*, Vol. 10 No. 6733, pp 1-11.
- Tsarouhas, P. (2020), "Reliability, availability and maintainability analysis of a bag production industry based on the six sigma DMAIC approach", *International Journal of Lean Six Sigma*, Vol. 12 No. 2, pp. 237-263.
- 11. **Tsarouhas P.** (2020), "Reliability, availability and maintainability (RAM) study of an ice cream industry," *Applied Sciences*, Vol. 10 No. 4265, pp 1-20.
- 12. Antoniadou M., **Tsarouhas P.**, Varzakas T. (2020). Life Cycle Assessment and circular economy in conjunction with treatment methodologies: presentation and critical comparison between different food industry waste. *GSC Advanced Research and Reviews*, Vol. 3 No 3, pp. 29-50.
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- 14. **Tsarouhas P**. (2020), "Overall equipment effectiveness (OEE) evaluation for an automated ice cream production line: a case study," *International Journal of Productivity and Performance Management*, Vol. 69 No 5, pp. 1009-1032.
- 15. Skiada, V., **Tsarouhas, P.**, and Varzakas, T. (2019), "Preliminary Study and Observation of "Kalamata PDO" Extra Virgin Olive Oil, in the Messinia Region, Southwest of Peloponnese (Greece)", *Foods Open Access Journal (MDPI)*, Vol. 8 No 610, pp. 1-14.
- 16. **Tsarouhas P.** (2019), "Improving operation of the croissant production line through overall equipment effectiveness (OEE): a case study", *International Journal of Productivity and Performance Management*, Vol. 68 No1, pp. 88-108.
- 17. **Tsarouhas P.** (2019), "Statistical Analysis of failure data for estimating reliability, availability and maintainability of an automated croissant production line" *Journal of Quality in Maintenance Engineering*, Vol. 25 No. 3, pp. 452-475.
- 18. **Tsarouhas P.** (2019), "Evaluation of reliability, availability and maintainability of a milk production line" *International Journal of Industrial and Systems Engineering*, Vol. 31 No3, pp. 324-342.
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- 20. Tsarouhas P. (2018), "Reliability, Availability and Maintainability-RAM analysis of Cake production lines: a Case Study", *International Journal of Data Analysis Techniques and Strategies*, Vol. 10, No 4, pp. 381-405.
- 21. **Tsarouhas P.**, Makrygianni M., and Besseris G. (2018), "Combat readiness evaluation of a fighter-jet using reliability and cluster analysis", *International Journal of Industrial and Systems Engineering*, Vol. 30, No 1, pp. 78-102.
- 22. **Tsarouhas P.** and Makrygianni M. (2017). A framework for maintenance and combat readiness management of a jet fighter aircraft, *International Journal of Systems Assurance Engineering and Management*, Vol. 8, No. 2, pp. 1895-1909.

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- Tsarouhas, P. H. and Fourlas, G. (2016). Mission reliability estimation of mobile robot system. International Journal of Systems Assurance Engineering and Management, Vol. 7, No 2, pp. 220-228.
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- 29. Tsarouhas P. H. (2015), "Maintainability analysis in the yogurt industry", *International Journal of Systems Assurance Engineering and Management*, Vol. 6, issue 2, pp. 119-128.
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- 31. **Tsarouhas P. H.** (2015), "Evaluation of maintenance management through the overall equipment effectiveness of a yogurt production line in a medium-sized Italian company", *International Journal of Productivity and Quality Management*, Vol. 16 (3), pp 298-311.
- 32. **Tsarouhas P. H.** (2013), "Equipment performance evaluation in a production plant of traditional Italian cheese", *International Journal of Production Research*, Vol. 51 (19), pp.5897-5907.
- 33. Tsarouhas P. H. (2013), "Reliability analysis into hospital dialysis system: a case study", *Quality and Reliability Engineering International*, Vol. 29 (8), pp 1235-1243.
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- 35. **Tsarouhas P. H.** (2012), "Reliability, Availability, and Maintainability (RAM) analysis in food production lines: a review", *International Journal of Food Science & Technology*, Vol. 47(11), pp. 2243-2251.
- 36. Tsarouhas, P. H., Arvanitoyannis, I. S. (2012), "Reliability and maintainability analysis to improve the operation of the limoncello production line", *International Journal of Food Science & Technology*, Vol. 47(8), pp. 1669-1675.
- Tsarouhas, P. H., Arvanitoyannis, I. S. (2011), "Quantitative analysis for peach production line management", *Journal of Food Engineering*, Vol. 105(1), pp. 28-35.
- 38. **Tsarouhas**, **P.** (2011), "A comparative study of performance evaluation based on field failure data for food production lines", *Journal of Quality in Maintenance Engineering*, Vol. 17(1), pp. 26-39.
- 39. Tsarouhas, P., Arvanitoyannis, I. (2010), "Reliability and Maintainability analysis of bread production line", *Critical Review in Food Science and Nutrition*, Vol. 50(4), pp. 327-343.
- 40. **Tsarouhas**, **P. H.**, Arvanitoyannis, I. S. (2010), "Assessment of operation management for beer packaging line based on field failure data: a case study", *Journal of Food Engineering*, Vol. 98(1), pp. 51-59.
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- 42. **Tsarouhas**, **P.H.**, Arvanitoyannis, I. S., Ampatzis Z. D. (2009), "A case study of investigating Reliability and Maintainability in a Greek Juice bottling Medium Size Enterprise (MSE) ", *Journal of Food Engineering*, Vol. 95, pp. 479-488.

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- Tsarouhas, P., Arvanitoyannis, I., Varzakas T. (2009), "Reliability and Maintainability analysis of cheese (Feta) production line in a Greek medium-size company: A case study", *Journal of Food Engineering*, Vol. 94, pp. 233-240.
- 45. **Tsarouhas**, **P.**, Varzakas, T., Arvanitoyannis I., (2009), "Reliability and Maintainability Analysis of Strudel Production line with experimental data; A case study", *Journal of Food Engineering*, Vol. 91, pp. 250-259.
- 46. Tsarouhas, P. (2009), "Classification and Calculation of Primary Failure Modes in Bread Production Line", *Reliability Engineering & System Safety*, Vol. 24, pp. 551-557.
- 47. Tsarouhas, P. (2007), "Implementation of Total Productive Maintenance in Food Industry: a case study", *Journal of Quality in Maintenance Engineering*, Vol. 13, No.1, pp. 5-18.
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- 49. Avlonitis, S., Pappas, M., Moutesidis, K., Pavlou, M., **Tsarouhas**, P., Vlachakis, V., (2007), "Water Resources Management by a Flexible Wireless Broadband Network", *Desalination*, Vol. 206, pp. 286-294.
- 50. Tsarouhas, P., Nazlis, D. (2006), "Industrial Systems Maintenance under the Light of Reliability", *Information Technology Journal*, Vol. 5, No. 1, pp. 13-17.
- 51. Tsarouhas, P. (2005), "Analysing Event Data from a Repairable Automated Systems: A Case Study", *Information Technology Journal*, Vol. 4, No. 3, pp. 228-232.
- 52. Tsarouhas, P. (2005), "Reliability and Maintenance Management for Industrial Systems", *Asian Journal of Information Technology*, Vol. 4, No. 5, pp. 498-501.
- 53. Liberopoulos, G. and **Tsarouhas**, **P.**, (2005), "Reliability Analysis of an Automated Pizza Processing Line", *Journal of Food Engineering*, Vol. 69, No. 1, pp. 79-96.
- 54. **Tsarouhas**, **P.**, and Liberopoulos, G., (2004), "Determining Quality Inspection Frequency in an Automated Production Line Based on Field Failure Data Analysis", *Operational Research An International Journal*, Vol. 4, No. 3, pp. 305-315.
- 55. Liberopoulos, G., and **Tsarouhas**, **P.**, (2002), "Systems Analysis Speeds Up Chipita's Food Processing Line", *INTERFACES, International Journal of the Institute for Operations Research and the Management Sciences*, Vol. 32, No. 3, pp. 62-76.

### **Articles Published in International Conference Proceedings**

- 1. **Tsarouhas P.,** and Papachristos I., (2021), "Environmental impact of tsipouro production by life cycle assessment", 2nd International Conference on Environmental Design, ICED2021, 23-24 October.
- Agriopoulou, S., Skiada, V., Stamatelopoulou, E., Tsarouhas, P., Varzakas, V. (2020), "Emerging nanomaterials applications for food packaging and preservation. Safety issues and risk assessment", *1st* International Electronic Conference on Food Science and Functional Foods, Section: Food Packaging and New Packaging Materials. 10–25 November. Available online: https://foods 2020.sciforum.net/, doi:10.3390/foods 2020-07747.
- Agriopoulou, S., Skiada, V., Stamatelopoulou, E., Tsarouhas, P., Varzakas, V. (2020), "Investigation and comparison of the two dominant mono-cultivar extra virgin olive oils cultivated in the southern region of Peloponnese, according their sterolic and fatty acid profile", *Ist* International Electronic Conference on Food Science and Functional Foods, Section: Food Packaging and New Packaging Materials. 10–25 November. Available online:https://foods 2020.sciforum.net/, doi:10.3390/foods 2020-07602.
- 4. Skiada, V., Agriopoulou, S., Tsarouhas, P., Manousopoulos, Y., Katsaris, P., Stamatelopoulou, E., Varzakas, V. (2020), "Fatty acid and sterolic profile as authenticity tools for origin discrimination of monocultivar extra virgin olive oils, cultivated in the coastline part of Western Greece", *1st* International Electronic Conference on Food Science and Functional Foods, Section:

Food Packaging and New Packaging Materials. 10-25 November. Available on line: <u>https://foods 2020.sciforum.net/</u>, doi:10.3390/foods 2020-07616.

- 5. Bakalopoulos, K., & **Tsarouhas, P.** (2018), "Evaluation of service satisfaction in the microbiology laboratory of the public hospital, according to the principles of Total Quality Management (TQM): Case study", 4<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Supply Chain, Katerini, Greece, 14 &15 September.
- Gkourlias, T., & Tsarouhas, P. (2018), "Analysis and evaluation of the related to incorrect maintenance Aviation Accidents and Incidents", 3<sup>rd</sup> International Cross-industry Safety Conference, 1-2 November, Amsterdam.
- Tsarouhas, P. & & Fourlas, G. (2015), "Maintainability analysis of the mobile robot", 16th IEEE International Symposium on Computational Intelligence and Informatics, 19–21 November, Budapest, Hungary, pp. 47-52.
- Tsarouhas, P. & Makropoulou, M. (2015), "Life cycle analysis of pomegranate juice production based on ISO 14040", 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Supply Chain, Athens, Greece, 7&8 November.
- 9. **Tsarouhas, P.** & Sapounas, A. (2015), "Performance analysis and quality in a tomato production line: Case study", 3<sup>rd</sup> Olympus International Conference on Supply Chain, Athens, Greece, 7&8 November.
- 10. **Tsarouhas, P.** & Keramidaris, D. (2015), "Survival analysis and performance evaluation of a paper bags production line", 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Supply Chain, Athens, Greece, 7&8 November.
- 11. **Tsarouhas, P.** & Vergidis, Ch. (2014), "Application Standard ISO 22000:2005 in a Bread Manufacturing", The 11th Student Conference on Management Science and Technology, Athens, Greece, May 13.
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- 13. **Tsarouhas, P.** & Xatzikraniotis D. (2012), "Application of ISO 22000:2005 and comparison with HACCP on a company manufacturing and packaging of frozen cooked bean", 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Supply Chain, Katerini, Greece, 5&6 October.
- 14. **Tsarouhas**, **P.** & Avramidou, A. (2012), "Estimation of the overall equipment effectiveness and the operation management for plastic window frames", 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Supply Chain, Katerini, Greece, 5&6 October.
- 15. **Tsarouhas, P.,** Trokanas, A & Eukarpidou, M. (2012), "Total quality management systems with the use of quality tools in a Greek 3PL company", 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Supply Chain, Katerini, Greece, 5&6 October.
- 16. **Tsarouhas**, **P.**, Lemonia, M (2011), "Estimation of performance measurement and operation in a low voltage insulate conductors production line", 7<sup>th</sup> Maintenance Forum, Athens Greece, 13-15 October.
- 17. **Tsarouhas, P.,** Arampatzaki, D. (2010), "Application of Failure Modes and Effects Analysis (FMEA) of a Ceramic Tiles Manufacturing Plant", *1<sup>st</sup> International Conference on Supply Chain*, Katerini, Greece, 1&2 October.
- 18. Manola, V. and **Tsarouhas, P.** (2010), "Application of Total Quality Management (TQM) in Educational Organisms. A Case Study: Secretariat of Logistics' Department", *1<sup>st</sup> International Conference on Supply Chain*, Katerini, Greece, 1&2 October.
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## **Editor in Special Issues**

- Tsarouhas, P. (Editor), Special Issue: "New Trends in Production and Operations Management", *Applied Sciences*, 2023, <u>https://www.mdpi.com/journal/applsci/special issues/Production Operations</u>
- 2. Varzakas T. and **Tsarouhas**, **P**. (Editors), Special Issue title: "Advances in food processing" (food preservation, food safety, quality and manufacturing processes). *Applied Sciences*, 2021, <u>https://www.mdpi.com/journal/applsci/special\_issues/Preservation\_Safety\_Quality</u>

## Funded R&D Projects

- 1. **OEE evaluation for an automated ice cream line: data collection and analysis.** Research program from the Technological Education Institute of Central Macedonia Greece, Research Committee under grant SMF/LG/101018-220/09, 2018-2019. *Principal Investigator*.
- 2. Statistical analysis of failure data for estimating reliability, availability and maintainability of an automated croissant production line. Research program from the Technological Education Institute of Central Macedonia Greece, Research Committee under grant SMF/LG/151117-200/08, 2017-2018. *Principal Investigator*.
- **3.** Improving operation of the croissant production line through overall equipment effectiveness (OEE): a case study. Research program from the Technological Education Institute of Central Macedonia Greece, Research Committee under grant SMF/LG/140318-73/07, 2018-2019. *Principal Investigator*.
- 4. Reliability, availability and maintainability (RAM) analysis for wine packaging production line. Research program from the Technological Education Institute of Central Macedonia Greece, Research Committee under grant SMF/LOG/080217-15/06, 2017-2018. *Principal Investigator*.
- 5. Evaluation of reliability, availability and maintainability of a milk production line. Research program from the Technological Education Institute of Central Macedonia Greece, Research Committee under grant SMF/LOG/161116-248/05, 2016-2017. *Principal Investigator*.
- Reliability, Availability and Maintainability-RAM analysis of Cake production lines: a Case Study. Research program from the Technological Education Institute of Central Macedonia Greece, Research Committee under grant SMF/DL/220916-195/04, 2016-2017. Principal Investigator.
- 7. Combat readiness evaluation of a fighter-jet using reliability and cluster analysis. Research program from the Technological Education Institute of Central Macedonia Greece, Research Committee under grant SMF/LOG/030915-156/03, 2015-2016. *Principal Investigator*.
- 8. **Maintainability analysis in shaving blades industry: a case study**. Research program from the Technological Education Institute of Central Macedonia Greece, Research Committee under grant SMF/DL/070716-170/02, 2016-2017. *Principal Investigator*.
- 9. A framework for maintenance and combat readiness management of a jet fighter aircraft. Research program from the Technological Education Institute of Central Macedonia Greece, Research Committee under grant SMF/DL/200116-1/01, 2015-2016. *Principal Investigator*.

- 10. Fault Diagnosis and accommodation of wheeled mobile Robots. Research program «Archimedes III» funded by grants from the European Social Fund (ESF) and the Ministry of Education & Religious Affairs, Culture & Sports through the operational program «Education and Lifelong Learning». *Member of the Main Research Team*.
- 11. Securing transit containers (setracon), (code: 2.1.1.77205.364, mis etc 2264) Program: black sea basin joint operational programme. Duration: 12.07.2013-11.07.2015. *Member of the Main Research Team*.

# **Theses Student Advising**

- Ph.D's advising: graduated 3 Ph.D students, currently advising 3 Ph.D students
- Master's advising: graduated 76 MS students, currently advising 3 MS students
- Diploma advising: graduated 123 Diploma students, currently advising 5 Diploma students