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Her research is making an impact on cutting-edge technologies, such as data analytics, artificial intelligence, machine learning, Cloud computing, big data technologies, IoT technologies, semantic web, social networking technologies etc. She has published more than 500 papers in leading international journals, conferences and books. She has also participated and co-ordinated more than 60 EC projects. Since 2012-2020 she has been a member of the European Commission's Expert Group on Cloud Computing, an evaluator of the European Commission's Research Proposals and she recently acquired a "Making Corporate Boards More Effective" program certificate by the Harvard Business School Executive Education. She began her career in the States, being a principal investigator at AT&T Bell Labs during the period 1991-1994. From 2008-2012, she held the Chair of the postgraduate program "Engineering Economic Systems" of NTUA and during the period 2010-2020 she was a member of the Office of Quality Assurance Unit in NTUA (MODIP NTUA).