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SELECTED RESEARCH PROJECTS

2018–2022: Digitizing the Cappadocian Dialectal Landscape (DiCaDLand), Laboratory of Modern Greek Dialects, University of Patras, with the support of the Research Centre for Modern Greek Dialects and Idioms of the Academy of Athens and funding from the Hellenic Foundation for Research and Innovation. Scientific Coordinator: Dimitra Melissaropoulou. Contributed as a postdoctoral fellow to the lexicographic analysis of data and the compilation of entries for the Historical Dictionary of the Cappadocian Dialects.

2016–2018: Immigration and Language in Canada: Greeks and Greek-Canadians (ImmiGrec), an international research project funded by the Stavros Niarchos Foundation and conducted jointly by the University of Patras, McGill University, York University, and Simon Fraser University. Principal Investigator: Angela Ralli. Core research team member; contributed to the development of the digital repository, database, and virtual museum documenting the language and history of Greek immigrants in Canada.

2012–2015: Pontus, Cappadocia, Ayvalık: In the Footsteps of Asia Minor Greek (AMiGre), THALES Programme, University of Patras. Project Coordinator: Angela Ralli.Contributed as a doctoral researcher to the development of LEPOKAM, a multimedia online dictionary of three Asia Minor Greek dialects, and an accompanying multimodal database of written and oral data from these dialects.