

2nd Lieutenant Panagiotis Vasileiadis



He was born in London on August 18, 1988. He graduated from the Anatolia College of Thessaloniki. He was admitted to the Hellenic Military Academy of Combat Support Officers (SSAS) in 2006, graduated with the Class of 2010 and was commissioned as Second Lieutenant in the Joint Recruiting and Military Legal Advisors Corps. In 2014, he was promoted to the rank of First Lieutenant.

He has successfully graduated from:

- Second Lieutenants Basic Course at the Armed Forces Legal Corps School.
- International Support Staff Officer Course at the Norwegian Defence International Centre (NORDEFIC).
- International Law of Cyber Operations Course at the NATO CyberDefence Centre of Excellence (CCDCOE).
- Operational Law Course at the NATO School Oberammergau

His former positions include:

- Branch Head of Active Army Department, Corfu Recruiting Station.
- Legal Advisor, Hellenic Composite Battalion in Afghanistan (TESAF).
- Drafting Officer, 586th Mechanized Infantry Battalion (boot camp).

Since 2016, he serves as a Staff Officer at the Legal Support Directorate (International Law and International Agreements Department) of the Hellenic National Defence General Staff. He has served as an instructor in courses of International Humanitarian Law and Air Law at the Armed Forces Legal Corps School and the Hellenic Military Academy.

He has been awarded the NATO Non-Article 5 Medal for service with NATO in relation to the ISAF Operation and the Commendation Medal for Participation in Peacekeeping Missions.

He holds a Bachelor of Laws degree and a Master of Laws at International Law (LLM) degree from the Law School of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, where he is currently a PhD student at the International Studies Department.

He is the author of the book *Espionage in International Law* (Sakkoulas Editions, 2018). He regularly publishes articles on military history and international relations on the *Military History Journal*.

He speaks English fluently and has a basic knowledge of Turkish. He hails from the city of Thessaloniki.