

CURRICULUM VITAE

Mr Panagiotis Passas is the **Director General** for **International and European Affairs, Education for Hellenic Diaspora and Intercultural Education** of the **Hellenic Ministry of Education, Research and Religious Affairs**.

The **strategic objective** of the General Directorate, which is under Mr Passas' authority, is the monitoring and promotion of issues of education both at a European and International level, the promotion of education for the Greeks abroad as well as the pedagogical, scientific and administrative support and guidance of the Greek schools abroad and of Intercultural, Minority and European Schools.

In April 2019, Mr Passas was appointed as an **alternate member** of the **European Training Foundation (ETF) Governing Board**.

Mr Passas has successfully completed the **Hellenic National School of Public Administration** and in particular the Department of **General Administration** programme. He also holds an **MA** in **International Relations and Strategic Studies** from the University of Lancaster UK, as well as a **Bachelor's Degree** in **History and Archaeology** from the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens.

Between 2000 and 2016 he has served in various **senior positions** at the Ministry of Administrative Reconstruction of the Hellenic Republic (formerly named Ministry of the Interior).

Mr Panagiotis Passas has served as **Head** and **Director** of the **Administrative and Human Resources Directorate** being responsible for issues of mobility of civil servants in Greece and abroad, for issues of research, for the measurement of efficiency and effectiveness of public administration, for administration through goals, for the employment status of personnel, for the training of personnel and, last but not least, for the implementation of total quality management systems. He has also administered and supervised the secondment of Greek civil servants to the offices of Members of Parliament / European Members of Parliament, as well as the organisation and operation of Collective Bodies.

Between 2016 and 2018 Mr Passas was appointed as **Head** of the Personnel Department at the **Presidency of the Hellenic Republic**.

Mr Passas speaks **English, French** and **German**. He has been and still is **chairman** and **member** of Collective Bodies and Committees that are responsible for the drafting of legislation, innovative projects and projects targeted at lifelong education and training of the human resources of Public Administration as well as for the reform towards a social and executive state.

Mr Passas teaches at the **National School of Public Administration of Greece**. He has never ceased to train himself and to monitor both developments in the fields of education and training, public administration as well as developments in the area of European policies and institutions and international affairs.
