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CV OUTLINE:

Dr. Nikolaos Andritsos is an Assistant Professor of Food Safety in the Department of Food Science and Technology (DFST) at the University of Patras, Greece. He graduated from the DFST of the Agricultural University of Athens, Greece (currently Department of Food Science and Human Nutrition), where he also completed his MSc and PhD studies in Food Quality Management & Hygiene Assurance Systems and in Food Microbiology & Safety, respectively, after being awarded two merit-based full-time scholarships by the Alexander S. Onassis Public Benefit Foundation for post-graduate and doctoral studies. Nikolaos served as the Head of Microbiology Laboratory and Director of Microbiological Research in Athens Analysis Laboratories S.A. (2014-2021), which then became part of Eurofins global network of laboratories in 2022. He has more than 15 years of research experience, participating from 2007 in national and international competitive research and private initiative programs which have received a total funding of more than 3,500,000 €. His teaching disciplines include Food Safety, Food Hygiene, Food Law, Technology & Quality Control of Animal-Originated Foods, and Epidemiology of Foodborne Diseases, while his research interests are focused on the detection and control of foodborne pathogenic bacteria along with their pheno- and genotypic microbial responses by using molecular and culture-dependent methods and techniques, as well as in the antibiotic susceptibility testing of bacterial pathogens isolated from foods.