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Born in 1946 in the village Agii Deka (Creta), lives and works in Paris

### **AWARD AND STUDIES**

2000 Grand Prix International de Cannes de l'Eau de la Création et des Arts.

Since 1994 collaboration with the hydrodynamics laboratory of the LADHYX Polytechnic School of Paris, in association with the laboratory director Jean-Marc Chomaz, researcher at CNRS

1978-81 Studies at the School of Fine Arts in Paris (citation) by IKY scholarship (studio Cesar)

1970 Honorary member of the National films School of London.

1966-70 Production of short and medium length films.

1965-70 Studies at the School of Fine Arts of Athens (Sculpture)

### **SOLO EXHIBITS**

2016 Convention Center Herakleion Greece (9-19 November)

1998 Gallery Hoffmann, Frankfurt, Germany

1998 Gallery Bernard Jordan, Paris

1993 Polytechnic School, Palaiseau, Paris

1990 Gallery Bernard Jordan, Paris

1983 Geothe Institut, Athens

### **GROUP EXHIBITS**

2009 Villette, Paris «Le Système Solaire revisité». Participation with two sculptures: "Doors to the Stars" (October 2009 – April 2010)

2007 Villette, Paris: Report on Gravity 93 Foundation, Project «SPH (AIR) E»

1999 «Les Champs de la Sculpture 2000», International Exhibition Millennium. Champs Elysées, Paris: Presentation of "Fluid tangent"

1998 Gallery Hoffmann, Foire de Cologne, Germany

1997 Gallery Hoffmann, Foire de Bale, Switzerland

1994 «Ars Lab» Turin

1993 Gallery Lahumière, Paris

Foire de Francfurt

Foire de Bale

1992 Ars Technica (Artistic group – Arts – Science – Technology). Exhibition in Villette: Cite des Sciences et de l'Industrie, Paris

1992 «Ars Lab», International exhibition of Turin, Italy

1992 Journées de L'ANVAR (French National Institute for Innovation), Nantes, France

1991 Cité Internationale des Arts 25th anniversary, Paris

### **PUBLIC COMMITMENT OF MONUMENTAL WORKS**

2000 Institute de l'Eau Perrier-Vittel, Prototype "Fluid Tangentially", Vittel

1999 Water Sculpture "Water Meetings", aire de Beaune, A6 for SAPRR

1997 Open International Sculpture Symposium, Tongyoung, South Korea. Implementation of sculpture with water "Antigravity Curves"

1995 Levitating sculpture "Quadruple Antigravity Converter," Exhibit on energy, Cité des Sciences et de l'Industrie (Villette), Paris

1990 Water Sculpture "Anti-gravitational Sigma", Cité des Sciences et de l'Industrie (Villette), Paris