

## **B.I.O. PROGRESS**

**2001**

### **Honours and distinctions**

- Re-nomination for the Nobel Peace Prize
- Nomination for the J. William Fullbright Award for International Understanding
- Environmental Award by the Euro-Arab Co-operation Centre. First non-Arab recipient.

### **B.I.O. international conferences**

- "Resolving the Environmental Crisis. The Need for an International Court of the Environment." International conference in Athens with the participation of the Secretary General of the Permanent Court of Arbitration, Supreme Court Justices and other eminent personalities
- "Bio-Environment and New Millennium" environmental education workshop in the framework of the European Union Leonardo da Vinci Programme
- "Profit and the Bio-environment" Biopolitics session at the Athens Money Show
- "Bio-Environment - Quality of Life" international conference under the auspices of the Dodecanese Prefecture, Greece
- 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Youth Bios Olympiad, St. Petersburg, Russia
- Biopolitics at the London Money Show
- Biopolitics at the Thessaloniki Money Show

### **Seminars/conferences/special events**

- Keynote presentation on globalisation and the environment, at the conference sponsored by the Canellopoulos Foundation. Athens Chamber of Commerce and Industry
- Keynote presentation at the conference on "Environment and the Olympic Games" sponsored by the Hellenic Society of Environmental Law, Athens
- Slovak participants from the TEMPUS Mobilities EU programme visit Greece to take part in a Biopolitics clean energy and environmental administration project in co-operation with the Regional Energy Centre of the Peloponnese and Action Link/Action Synergy SA
- Presentation at the Annual General Assembly of the Pontifical Academy for Life
- Keynote presentation as Member of the Board of the Euro-Arab Co-operation Centre at the conference on "Environmental Technology, Technology Transfer" University of Rostock, Germany
- Keynote speech, plenary session, 7<sup>th</sup> European Roundtable on Cleaner Production, Lund, Sweden
- Keynote speech, conference on "Olympic Values, Tourism and Culture," Ancient Olympia Greece
- Keynote presentation as Member of the Scientific Committee at the 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on "Environmental Protection is a Must." Alexandria, Egypt
- Keynote presentation at Panteion University, Athens

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- Keynote speaker at the conference on "Tomorrow's Europe - women in action" organised by the International Association for the Promotion of Women of Europe. Rhodes, Greece
  - Biopolitics session on "The Environment as a Symbol of the Crisis" at the Council of Europe Parliamentary Assembly conference themed "What Lifestyles for the Third Millennium"
  - Participation as Vice-President of the International Bioethics Society in the Society's Biannual Scientific Committee meeting, Gijon, Spain
  - Keynote presentation at the "Gaia and Culture Symposium," sponsored by the Forum 2001 Foundation. Tuscany, Italy
  - Bio-Environment - Health and Olympic Values" keynote presentation at the Eighth International Physical Therapy Symposium, Cephalonia, Greece
  - Presentation at the OECD workshop on "Innovative soil plant systems for sustainable agricultural systems," sponsored by the University of Ankara. Izmir, Turkey
  - Honorary Co-Chairmanship of the International Scientific Conference "Urban gardens and parks: past, modern and future" sponsored by the Ukrainian State University of Forestry and Wood Technology. Lviv, Ukraine
  - Keynote presentation at the conference on "Women and leadership," Syros, Greece
  - Keynote presentation at the Second National Congress on Bioethics, Oporto University, Portugal
  - Keynote presentation at the conference of the General Organisation of Remote Sensing, Syria
  - "Legal frameworks for environmental progress" keynote presentation at the conference on "Europe's enterprise strategy" organised by the Progressio Foundation, London
  - Keynote presentation at the International EMECS Conference in Kobe, Japan
  - Keynote presentation at the conference on Journalism, organised under the auspices of the French Institute, Patras, Greece
  - Keynote presentation on "Conflict resolution" at the XXIII Indian Geography Congress. Sagar, India
  - Keynote presentation at the Petroleum Institute conference, Cairo, Egypt

#### **B.I.O. publications**

- "Bio-Syllabus for European Environmental Education" CD-ROM and printed education manuals (in prep.) sponsored by the European Commission
- "Biopolitics – the bio-environment – Bios Olympiad," proceedings from the B.I.O. conference held in 1999 in Ancient Olympia (Greek edition, 299 pp.)
- "Bio-policy - bio-culture: needed global priorities for environmental protection." Contribution to Our Fragile World, UNESCO Encyclopaedia of Life Support Systems, Eolss Publishers, Oxford, UK
- "Biopolitics - the bio-environment: social and environmental aspects of human existence." Opening article in the first issue of the *Journal of Integrative Anthropology*, published by Odessa State Medical University, Ukraine

- "Bio-policy – a prerequisite for sustainable agriculture." Proceedings from the OECD workshop on Innovative soil plant systems for sustainable agricultural systems, Izmir, Turkey
- "Reviving urban green spaces: a bios vision for the millennium." Proceedings from the International Scientific Conference on Urban gardens and parks: past, modern and future, sponsored by the Ukrainian State University of Forestry and Wood Technology, Lviv, Ukraine
- "Biopolitics and Olympic values: health and the environment." Proceedings from the Eighth International Physical Therapy Symposium, Cephalonia, Greece
- "Bio-policy in Cleaner Production – new societal structure, new thinking." Proceedings from the 7<sup>th</sup> European Roundtable on Cleaner Production, Lund, Sweden

#### **Media coverage**

- Interviews on satellite television in several countries
- Press conference on the role of volunteering within the framework of the National Exhibit on Volunteer and Humanitarian Organisations, Athens
- Weekly B.I.O. articles in the Athenian daily "Adesmeftos"
- Bio-economics, bio-legislation, bio-diplomacy, and bio-philosophy featured extensively on the B.I.O. Internet web site (<http://www.hol.gr/bio>)

### **2000**

#### **Honours and distinctions**

- Re-nomination for the Nobel Peace Prize, by Nobel Laureate International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War
- Nomination for the J. William Fullbright Award for International Understanding
- Member of the Board of the Euro-Arab Co-operation Centre
- Founding Member of the Balkan Academy of Science, New Culture and Sustainable Development
- Europe 500 New Century Award by Barons Who's Who USA

#### **B.I.O. international conferences**

- "Bio-Environment - A New Renaissance in Business" B.I.O. conference with the participation of experts in legislation, marine protection, clean energy sources, finance and management, held within the framework of the Hellenic-Italian Chamber of Commerce's 5th Annual Conference. Holiday Inn Hotel, Athens, Greece
- "Bio-Diplomacy: The Future of International Relations" B.I.O. luncheon event with keynote speeches by Ambassadors from several countries. The Athens Club, Greece
- Round table discussion on "New Century – New Dimensions – Environment," at the World Conference on Bioethics organised by the International Bioethics Society (SIBI), Gijon, Spain
- Fifth Youth Bios Olympiad in St. Petersburg

#### **Bios Prizes**

- Bios Prize awarded to Ted Turner, Atlanta, USA

#### **Seminars/conferences/special events**

- "Bio-Culture - Bio-Environment - Millennium Values," keynote presentation at the

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- millennium celebration on the island of Patmos, Greece
  - Biopolitics at the Pontifical Academy for Life's General Assembly, The Vatican
  - Participation in the seminar on "Environmental Obligations and Opportunities for Business," British Embassy, Athens
  - Presentation in the organisational meeting for the conference on "What Lifestyles for the Third Millennium?" Council of Europe, Paris
  - Biopolitics presentation in "Forum 2000" conference of the American Foundation for Greek Language and Culture, Tampa, Florida, USA
  - Biopolitics at the Wilton Park Conference on "Earth Summit 2002: Identifying the Agenda," Wiston House, UK
  - Keynote presentation at the International Centre for Bioethics Conference, International Institute for Human Rights Studies, Trieste, Italy
  - Opening lecture at the conference on "Environmental Protection is a Must," held by the Euro-Arab Co-operation Centre and the University of Alexandria, Egypt
  - B.I.O. participates as a partner in the Leonardo da Vinci European Union Project "Bio-environment and New Millennium"
  - Biopolitics keynote at the conference on "Tourism and Culture," Ancient Olympia, Greece
  - Participation in the Working Group for the establishment of an International Court for the Environment, Permanent Court of Arbitration, The Hague
  - Participation in the Earth Charter Launch in the presence of HM Queen Beatrix of the Netherlands, Peace Palace, The Hague
  - Ten-day B.I.O. lecture series on environmental management and legislation for university teachers and government employees from Eastern Europe, in the framework of the EU Tempus Programme. Academia Istropolitana Nova, Bratislava, Slovakia
  - Opening lecture at the Fourth Annual Conference of Arcadians Abroad, Arcadia, Greece
  - Plenary Session presentation at the conference Praga 2000 Natura Megapolis, organised by the Czech IUCN, Prague, Czech Republic
  - Participation in the State of the World Forum, New York, USA
  - Participation in the Working Group of the International Court for the Environment Foundation, New York, USA
  - Visit to Romania, following an invitation for co-operation in the field of public administration and training, National Agency of Civil Servants, Romania. Plans to establish projects in bio-education, bio-legislation and bio-diplomacy.
  - Keynote lecture at the international conference on "Chemical Education and Sustainable Development," Mendeleev University, Moscow
  - "What is Globalisation's Impact on the Environment?" Keynote presentation at the Wilton Park conference on Human Rights and Global Economic Governance: How Can We Build Equity?, Wiston House, UK
  - Keynote presentation at the Petroleum Institute Conference, Cairo, Egypt
  - Keynote presentation at the Board Meeting of the Euro-Arab Co-operation Centre,

Alexandria, Egypt

- Keynote presentation at the conference for the establishment of an International Court of the Environment, Italian Supreme Court, Rome
- Biopolitics seminars on environmental legislation and environmental management at Academia Istropolitana Nova, in Bratislava, Slovakia within the framework of the European Union TEMPUS programme
- Slovak participants from the above mentioned seminars visit Greece to take part in a Biopolitics clean energy and environmental administration project in co-operation with the Regional Energy Centre of the Peloponnese within the framework of the TEMPUS Mobilities EU programme
- Keynote presentation and chairing of an event on Cultural Olympiads, with the participation of the Mayor of Athens and other personalities. The event was sponsored by the Global Federation of Ileians Abroad. Old Parliament Building, Athens, Greece
- Participation in the European Union "What energy options for Europe in 2020" conference, Brussels
- Keynote presentation at the Steering Committee meeting for the conference "What Lifestyles for the Third Millennium" of the Council of Europe's Parliamentary Assembly. Paris, France

**B.I.O. publications**

- "Bio-Syllabus for European Environmental Education" CD-ROM and printed education manuals (in prep.) sponsored by the European Commission
- "Bios Olympiad," Monograph by A. Vlavianos-Arvanitis (Greek edition, 111 pp.)
- "Biopolitics – the bio-environment – Bios Olympiad," proceedings from the B.I.O. conference held in 1999 in Ancient Olympia (Greek edition, in press)
- "Environmental Legislation, Energy and Environment, Industry and Environment" Open education manuals prepared within the framework of the European Union Leonardo da Vinci "Bio-Environment and New Millennium" project
- Quarterly publication of BioNews, the official B.I.O. newspaper
- "Bios Prizes in St. Petersburg - a Millennium of Bio-Culture," video release
- "The Kogi of Colombia - a Tradition of Safeguarding the Environment," video release
- "Biopolitics – the bio-environment – the biopolitical context of pluriculturalism," contribution to the volume of proceedings from the conference on "The Challenges of Pluriculturalism in Europe" in co-operation with Europe House Zagreb
- "Protecting water resources and the bio-environment: A priority policy for the millennium," contribution to the volume of proceedings of the MEDCOAST/EMECS Joint Conference on the Coastal Environment. International EMECS Center, Japan
- "Biopolitics – the bio-environment – biopolis versus megapolis: a millennium vision," contribution to the volume of proceedings and CD-ROM from the conference "Praga 2000 Natura Megapolis" of the Czech IUCN

**Media coverage**

- Keith Suter Comments on Biopolitics. Radio 2GB News Commentary, Australia.

Broadcast on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November on Radio 2GB's "Brian Wilshire Programme" at 9pm, and on the 19<sup>th</sup> November "Sunday Night Live" at 10:30pm

- Interviews with ANTI TV Satellite-Pacific, broadcast in Australia, Canada and USA
- Weekly B.I.O. articles in the Athenian daily "Adesmeftos"
- Extensive press coverage in Spain, Russia and Japan
- Bio-economics, bio-legislation, bio-diplomacy, and bio-philosophy featured on the B.I.O. Internet web site (<http://www.hol.gr/bio>)

## 1999

### Honours and distinctions

- Re-nomination for the Nobel Peace Prize, by Professor Sergei Grachev, Co-President, Nobel Laureate International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War, Russia.
- Special award by the "Olympic Idea" Association, for leadership in the promotion of the Olympic Idea as a spiritual and athletic ideal
- The President joins the Board of Trustees of the National Foundation for Research and Development, Third World Academy of Sciences (TWAS), Uganda

### B.I.O. international conferences

- "Bio-Environment - Bio-Culture: Olympic Values for the Next Millennium" Bios Olympiad held at the International Olympic Academy in Ancient Olympia, Greece, with the participation of diplomats, parliamentarians, university professors, business leaders and EU representatives from several countries
- Biopolitics Millennium Event in St. Petersburg, under the patronage of the Vice President of the Government of the Russian Federation
- Bios Prize Award Ceremony at the Hermitage in honour of Mstislav Rostropovich and other leading personalities, under the auspices of the Director, Academician Michael Piotrovsky
- Fourth Annual Youth Bios Olympiad, St. Petersburg

### Bios Prizes

- Bios Prizes for environmental leadership awarded to Mstislav Rostropovich, Kitty Kyriacopoulos, Anton Rupert and Jakob von Uexkull
- Bios Prize awarded to the Kogi indigenous community in Colombia. Special visit to the Sierra Nevada de Santa Marta by the B.I.O. President, under the auspices of the Colombian Minister of the Environment, Juan Mayr Maldonado

### Seminars/conferences/special events

- "Biopolitics - Bio-Culture - A New Renaissance in Business." Roundtable with the participation of Greek business leaders, held within the framework of the Hellenic-Italian Chamber of Commerce's 4th Annual Conference. Holiday Inn Hotel, Athens, Greece
- Biopolitics at the international conference on the Challenges of Pluriculturalism in Europe. Europe House Zagreb, Croatia
- The President participates as founding member in the environmental law conference on the Role of an International Court on the Environment in Achieving Global Environmental Justice. The George Washington University, Washington DC, USA

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- "Biopolitics - the Bio-Environment - A New Renaissance in Business." Biopolitics roundtable with the participation of key business leaders. Euro-American Women's Council annual conference, Grande Bretagne Hotel, Athens, Greece
  - Biopolitics presentation, General Assembly, Pontifical Academy for Life, The Vatican
  - Biopolitics keynote, Forum of the American Foundation for Greek Language and Culture, Tampa, Florida, USA
  - The President participates in a discussion panel for Earth Day 99. Cooper Union Great Hall, New York, USA
  - As Vice President of the International Bioethics Society (SIBI), the B.I.O. President participates in a SIBI meeting in Gijon, Spain
  - Biopolitics at the HELECO '99 environmental expo and conference. June 3-6, Thessaloniki, Greece
  - Biopolitics keynote, Rotary Club of Vouliagmeni, Greece
  - Biopolitics keynote, Rotary Club of Kalithea, Greece
  - The President participates in the NATO 50th Anniversary Conference in Athens
  - Participation in the GLOBE EU Conference in Bonn. Meetings with parliamentarians from around the world.
  - Biopolitics keynote at the 2nd European Congress of Dialogue and Universalism, Poland
  - The President participates as honoured international guest in the Zero Emissions Research Institute Conference in Colombia
  - Lecture at Rosario University, Bogota, by official invitation from the Dean, Professor Eduardo Barajas
  - The President participates as keynote speaker in the Opening Session of the MEDCOAST Conference. Turkey
  - Biopolitics keynote, conference on Tourism and Culture, organised in Halkida, Greece, by Mentor Investment Consultants S.A.
  - Participation in the conference on Greek-Egyptian Investments, following an official invitation from the President of the National Bank of Egypt
  - Lecture, Piraeus University of Economics, Greece
  - Biopolitics keynote, Conference of the General Secretariat of Greeks Abroad, Thessaloniki, Greece

#### **B.I.O. activities**

- Bios Camerata Concert, under the auspices of the Mayor of Filiothei, Greece
- The B.I.O. President visits Slovenia as part of the official delegation of the President of the Hellenic Republic. Meetings with several government representatives and press conferences. Plans for a B.I.O. event under the auspices of the Minister of the Environment and the Minister of Development.
- Biopolitics in Ukraine. Launch of the official B.I.O. branch in Kiev, under the auspices of the Vice-President of the Academy of Sciences of Ukraine, Professor Constantine Sytnik, and the Deputy Minister of Culture, Dr. Leonid Novokhatko

#### **B.I.O. publications**

- "Biopolitics - the Bio-Environment" - Publication of the B.I.O. CD-ROM, a learning

tool for the implementation of environmental concepts in every academic discipline and professional initiative. The CD reflects more than fourteen years of B.I.O. experience in the field, and features events, publications, audio-visual material and an extensive cross-reference library.

- Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment VII, The Budapest Sessions. Proceedings from the Eighth B.I.O. International Conference, held in Budapest, in September 1998 (English, 271 pp.)
- Quarterly publication of "BioNews," the official B.I.O. newspaper

#### **Media coverage**

- Series of hour-long interviews on ANTI TV Satellite-Pacific
- Interviews on several major Greek television stations (SKAI, MEGA, TV-Magic)
- Extensive international press coverage
- Whole-page interviews and presentations in major daily newspapers in Colombia, Slovenia, Egypt and Turkey
- Hour-long interview on Channel 3 Cable TV, which was also broadcast by RTP Portugal, RTBF Belgium, ESF Czech Republic, TV Slovenia, and Swiss Television.
- Weekly B.I.O. articles in the Athenian daily "Adesmeftos"
- Monthly articles in "Agrotiki Dynami," a monthly agricultural review published in northern Greece
- Bio-ethics, bio-economics, bio-legislation, bio-diplomacy, and bio-philosophy featured extensively on the B.I.O. Internet web site (<http://www.hol.gr/bio>)

### **1998**

#### **Awards - Distinctions**

- Re-nomination for the Nobel Peace Prize, by Professor Dusan Kanazir, f. President of the Serbian Academy of Sciences and Arts and Minister of Science and Technology
- Honorary Professor of St. Petersburg State Technological University for Plant Polymers and Member of the International Academy of Ecology and Human and Nature Safety Sciences. Official ceremony in St. Petersburg
- Special award for her outstanding leadership, millennium vision and contribution to world peace. The award was presented by US Ambassador to Greece Mr. R. Nicholas Burns.
- "Peace through Tourism Award" from the World Association of Travel Agencies, Malta

#### **B.I.O. International Conferences**

- Biopolitics conference at the Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest. September 17-20. I.U.B.E. training seminars for teachers and public administrators
- Annual Bios-Olympiad in St. Petersburg, September 13-16
- "Bio-environment - Bio-culture," Hellenic-Ukrainian Conference with the participation of government delegations from both countries. Extensive media coverage.
- Art exhibit of the famous Ukrainian micro-miniaturist Nikolai Syadristy



- Talented young Ukrainian musicians concert at the Municipal Theatre of Athens
- Biopolitics programme in tree-planting and forest-fire prevention in co-operation with the local authorities of the Mount Pendeli region in Greece. Municipal authorities from other areas of Greece and government representatives discussed the urgency of long-term planning and new defence protocols.

#### **Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- Biopolitics at the Olympic Academy in Ancient Olympia, within the framework of the Second Global Conference of the Region of Ileia, Greece. "Bio-Environment - Bio-Culture," as the governing theme for all Cultural Olympiads in the third millennium, is unanimously adopted as one of the predominant conference resolutions.
- Biopolitics at the Third Annual Forum of the Euro-American Women's Council.
- Keynote address, "Byzantium - a landmark in European culture," conference at the University of Athens
- Keynote address, "The Role of Orthodoxy in the Modern World," conference of the Society for Hellenic-American Friendship, Athens
- Biopolitics keynote address, "Senior Citizens in the Information Age" conference sponsored by the Municipality of Athens
- Biopolitics keynote address, conference on "Business Insurance and Private Banking" sponsored by Euro-Business, Athens
- Keynote luncheon address, "Profit and the Bio-environment," Association of Chief Executive Officers conference, Athens
- Keynote speech, DEMYC-YEPP Summer Conference, hosted by ONNED, Kos, Greece
- Participation in the Pontifical Academy for Life General Assembly, the Vatican
- International Bioethics Society meeting in Gijon, Spain

#### **Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Lecture, Open University, N. Ionia, Athens
- Lecture, European Perspectives, Athens. Meetings with FYROM representatives and discussion of plans for co-operation on bio-environmental education
- Biopolitics at the American Community Schools Academy career day, Athens

#### **B.I.O. Events**

- Series of BIO events in St. Petersburg. Wide Press and TV coverage.
- Creation of "Bio-Alba," the BIO branch in Albania
- The BIO President visits Albania and meets with the Vice Prime-minister and other government members and representatives. Future plans for "Bio-Alba" are discussed.
- Official proposal to launch the BIO World Referendum in India and South-east Asia. Initiative to be placed under the auspices of the Governor of Gorakhpur.
- Two official proposals to launch the BIO World Referendum in Colombia and South America. Initiative to be placed under the auspices of the President of the Manizales Chamber of Commerce, Ambassador Mario Calderon Rivera, and Professor Miguel Patino Posse, Rosario University, Bogota.
- Proposal for the establishment of a BIO branch in Ukraine by the Deputy Minister of

Culture and the Vice President of the Academy of Sciences of Ukraine

- Biodiversity in the Balkan area. Joint BIO-University of Belgrade programme for endemic species conservation in the Balkan area.

#### **Publications**

- Publication, Biopolitics - the Bio-environment, Vol. VI "Danube River Bonds." Proceedings from the Seventh BIO International Conference, held in Bratislava, June 1997
- Publication, "Biopolitica - El Bio-Ambiente," Spanish edition
- Publication, "Biopolitique - Le Bioenvironnement," French edition

#### **Media coverage**

- Biopolitics programme on National Greek Television - ET1
- Biopolitics television programme - TELETORA
- Weekly BIO articles in the Athenian daily "Adesmeftos"
- Monthly articles in "Agrotiki Dynami"
- BIO articles appearing regularly in the French weekly "La Tribune Hellenique"
- Quarterly publication of BioNews, the official BIO newspaper
- Bio-ethics, bio-economics, bio-legislation, bio-diplomacy, and bio-philosophy featured extensively on the BIO Internet web site (<http://www.hol.gr/bio>)

### **1997**

#### **Awards - Distinctions**

- Re-nomination for the Nobel Peace Prize, by IPPNW Co-President, Professor Sergei Kolesnikov
- Appointment as Vice-President of the International Bioethics Society, Spain
- Recipient of the Lions Club "Athena" award
- Appointment as Corresponding Member of the Pontifical Academy of Life
- Doctor Honoris Causa award by Mendeleev University, Moscow
- The Russian Academy of Sciences and the Ministry of Culture pledge their support of B.I.O.'s nomination for the Nobel Peace Prize

#### **B.I.O. International Conference**

- "Danube River Bonds: Bio-Environment - Bio-Culture," conference organised in co-operation with City University Bratislava, Bratislava, Slovak Republic
- Biopolitics as the governing theme in the conference on "Morality as a basis for overcoming the crisis in Ukraine," on the occasion of the 11th anniversary of the Chernobyl catastrophe, Ukraine. Series of meetings with parliamentarians in Kiev and television interviews and accompanying publication
- "Skopelos - The Green and Blue Island," a symposium held on the island of Skopelos, Greece
- "Biopolitics - an interdisciplinary approach," B.I.O. conference at Ankara University, Turkey
- Pilot project on "Bio-Diplomacy and Bio-Business" on the occasion of the establishment of the I.U.B.E. Centre in Budapest, Hungary

- "Biopolitics in business: visions and projects of hope - cornerstones for a positive future," B.I.O. symposium organised in co-operation with the Hellenic Foreign Trade Board and featuring Jakob von Uexkull, Founding Chairman of the Right Livelihood Awards, as keynote speaker
- Bios Youth Olympiad '97, St. Petersburg, Russia
- "Biopolitics - the bio-environment - an Olympiad of values," B.I.O. meeting organised in co-operation with the municipality of Kalamata
- "Bio-Diplomacy and Bio-Business," B.I.O. meeting at the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Boston, USA

#### **Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- Opening address, conference on "Perspectives on sustainable ways of living," Olomouc, Czech Republic
- Closing address, Second World Conference of the Centre for Hellenic-American Friendship, Athens, Greece
- "Bio-policy and bio-legislation: needed strategies for the millennium," keynote address at the Parliamentarian Conference on Environmental and Industrial Safety Legislation, Budapest, Hungary
- Opening address at the International Symposium on Ecology-Ethics-Economy at the City Hall of Bratislava
- Keynote address, International Professionals Forum in the Middle East, Ein Boqueq, Israel
- Participation in the Pontifical Academy of Life Third General Assembly, The Vatican
- Biopolitics at the Plenary Dialogue on "Global Climate Change" and at the roundtable session on "Governance Structures for the 21st Century," State of the World Forum, San Francisco, USA
- Attendance the 1997 Right Livelihood Award Ceremony in Stockholm, Sweden
- Participation in the SIBI Conference in Gijon, Spain

#### **Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Lecture, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest, Hungary
- Lecture, Aegean University, Chios, Greece
- Lecture, International AIESEC meeting, Eretria, Greece
- Lecture, Panhellenic Union of Biologists Conference, University of Athens
- Lecture, Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, Russia
- Lecture, Moscow School of Economics and Social Sciences, Moscow, Russia
- Lecture, Russian Orthodox University of St. John the Divine, Moscow, Russia
- "Biopolitics and Health Issues," lecture for the medical personnel at "Ygeia" hospital, Athens
- Plenary speech the Cultural Festival of the Province of Kalavryta

#### **Publications**

- Quarterly publication of *BioNews*, the official B.I.O. newspaper
- Bio-ethics, bio-economics, bio-legislation, bio-diplomacy, and bio-philosophy

featured extensively on the B.I.O. Internet web site (<http://www.hol.gr/bio>)

#### **Media coverage**

- Television interview at WNYX, New York, USA
- Weekly B.I.O. articles in the Athenian daily "Adesmeftos"
- Weekly B.I.O. articles in the New York daily "National Herald"
- Monthly B.I.O. articles in the "Greek Business Journal"
- Biopolitics featured in the documentary "Morality as a basis for overcoming the crisis in Ukraine," a major Ukrainian production on the occasion of the 11th anniversary of the Chernobyl catastrophe

### **1996**

#### **Awards - Distinctions**

- Appointment as Commissioner on The Global Commission to Fund the United Nations

#### **Major B.I.O. International Event**

- First Bios Prize Awarded to Commander Jacques-Yves Cousteau, Naval Museum, Paris

#### **B.I.O. International Conferences**

- The Bio-Environment and International Co-operation - A Hellenic-Ukrainian Symposium, under the auspices of Ambassador Boris Korneyenko
- B.I.O. discussion panel, Europa Dialog '96 conference, organised by Mischka Kinderhilfe on the occasion of M. Gorbachev's visit to Frankfurt, Landeszentralbank, Frankfurt, Germany
- Series of B.I.O. discussion panels, "Gazi" Cultural Centre of the City of Athens
- Biopolitics discussion panel, Piraeus University of Economics
- Session on Biopolitics and Bio-Diplomacy, World Congress of the Society for Arts and Sciences, Brno, Czech Republic
- Round Table discussion on Biopolitics with the participation of Rectors from eight Czech and Slovak universities
- Youth Bio-Olympiad '96, St. Petersburg, Russia

#### **Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- Keynote address at the First Biopolitics "White Land" Chapter Conference on Scientific and Technological Bases for a Global Energy System, St. Petersburg, Russia
- Keynote address, Habitat Conference, Moscow
- Keynote address, Fifth Yugoslav Ecological Congress, Belgrade, Yugoslavia
- Keynote address, The Convocation of Acropolis Conference, organised by the National Technical University of Athens
- Lecture, The Black Sea, Caspian and Mediterranean Seas: A Turntable Between Three Continents Workshop, BSEC International Conference, Istanbul, Turkey

#### **Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Keynote address, International Inner Wheel Day, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Athens
- Lecture, St. Petersburg State Technological University for Plant Polymers, Russia
- Lecture, D.I. Mendeleev University of Chemical Technology of Russia
- Lecture, Lomonosov Moscow State University
- Lecture, Rotary Club of Parnitha

- Lecture, Italian School of Athens
- Keynote address, European Commission Centre, Athens
- Lecture, "Dialectikos" Club of Athens
- Lecture, Istanbul Technical University, Turkey
- Lecture, Marmara University, Turkey
- Lecture, Athens Club
- Lecture, Kalavryta Cultural Society, Greece
- Lecture, Andros Municipal Theatre, Greece
- Lecture, Serbian Academy of Sciences and Arts

#### **Publications**

- Publication, Business Strategy for the Bio-Environment, Volume II, English. Proceedings from a Corporate Symposium at the Harvard Club of New York City, 1995 (105 pp.)
- Publication, Profit and the Bio-Environment - Business Strategy for the Bio-Environment, Volume III in English and Greek. Proceedings from the International Conference on Environmental Business Strategy, Athens Chamber of Commerce and Industry, October 1995 (English 239 pp., Greek 271 pp.)

#### **Media coverage**

- Weekly feature articles in the Athenian daily "Adesmeutos"
- Weekly radio programme
- B.I.O. articles published on a monthly basis in the "Greek Business Journal"
- All B.I.O. publications are made available on the World Wide Web (<http://www.hol.gr/bio>)

### **1995**

#### **Awards - Distinctions**

- Nomination for the Nobel Peace Prize, by Nobel Laureate and Co-President of International Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War, Professor Sergei Kolesnikov

#### **B.I.O. International Conferences**

- Hellenic-Czech Symposium on Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Bio-Culture in the Next Millennium, under the auspices of the Ambassador of the Czech Republic Professor Jiri Marvan and the sponsorship of Czech Airlines
- Seventh International B.I.O. Conference. "Biopolitics Education in the Year 2000," Adana, Turkey
- "Profit and the Bio-Environment," in co-operation with the Athens Chamber of Commerce and Industry. Fourth B.I.O. Conference on Business Strategy for the Bio-Environment

#### **Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- Round Table Discussion on Biopolitics, City of Athens Cultural Centre
- UNESCO International Conference on Biosphere Reserves, Spain
- Official Invitation to the Ecoaqua Mostra Mare Ambiente in Genoa, Italy
- Participation in the State of the World Forum, San Francisco, USA
- Participation in the IV<sup>th</sup> Business and Environment Conference in Geneva, Switzerland

- Presentation at the First International Multidisciplinary Conference on Human Behaviour and the Meaning of Modern Humanism, Delphi, Greece

#### **Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Keynote address at the Rotary Club Annual Conference in Rhodes
- Keynote address for the 50th Anniversary of the United Nations at "Parnassos" Cultural Centre, organised by the United Nations Association of Greece
- Keynote address, Hellenic-American Union on the occasion of Earth Day '95
- Keynote address at the Serbian Academy of Sciences and Arts
- Keynote address at the Rotary Club of East Attica Celebrative Dinner, Athens
- Keynote address at the Community Cultural Centre of Dionysos, Athens
- Guest of Honour and Keynote Speaker at the Mendeleev University of Chemical Technology 75-Year Anniversary Jubilee, Moscow, Russia
- Closing address, International Business Forms Industries (IBFI) 7th European Annual Meeting for leading executives in information technology, Prague, Czech Republic
- Keynote Address at the Rotary Club of Famagusta, Cyprus
- Keynote address at the ALPINE Graduation Ceremony, Athens
- Keynote address at the Municipal Centre of Nea Ionia, Athens
- Lecture at the Hellenic Meteorological Society, Athens
- Keynote, Euro-Chinese Centre for Research and Development Conference, Athens
- Keynote address, Bio-Strategy Conference, Hellenic Biotechnology Society, Athens

#### **B.I.O. Events**

- Biopolitics seminar at The World Bank, Washington DC, USA
- Third Symposium on Business Strategy for the Bio-Environment, The Harvard Club of New York City, USA
- Biopolitics seminar at Maliotis Centre, Boston, USA
- Official offer of the Rector of Lomonosov Moscow State University for the university to participate in the B.I.O. Exchange of Scholars Program
- Official invitation to The Athens Summit
- B.I.O. and the I.U.B.E. join the MED-CAMPUS Project
- Official Launching of the International University for the Bio-Environment Visiting Scholars Program at the I.U.B.E. Rodini Centre in Rhodes
- Meeting with the Committee on Legislative Provision of Freedom of Speech and Mass Media, Supreme Rada (Parliament) of Ukraine - Extensive Discussions and Presentations to Parliamentarian Commissions
- Participation in the HELECO Environmental Technology for the Mediterranean Area 2nd International Exhibition and Conference, Athens

#### **Publications**

- Publication, Business Strategy for the Bio-Environment, Volume I, English. Proceedings, Second B.I.O. symposium on Business Strategy for the Bio-Environment, 1993 (168 pp.)
- Publication, Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Bio-Culture in the Next Millennium, proceedings from a Hellenic-Czech Cultural Symposium, Athens 1995 (104 pp.)

#### **Media coverage**

- Radio and Television Interviews in Greece and the USA

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**1994****Awards - Distinctions**

- Woman of the Year Award from the American Biographical Institute

**B.I.O. International Conferences**

- International Sakharov Festival on Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Bio-Culture in the next Millennium, Mstislav Rostropovich presiding. The event was organised under the auspices of the Greek Ministry of Foreign Affairs with the participation of leading politicians, scientists, academicians and artists from 85 countries.
- Hellenic-Italian event with the participation of Greek business people and members of Lombardia Risorsi, the largest Italian enterprise in the field of waste management

**Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- Closing address at the International Conference on Environment and the Quality of Life in Central Europe: Problems of Transition, organised in Prague under the auspices of the President of the Czech Republic, V. Havel
- Keynote address at the Conference on Theological Education and the Environment, organised under the auspices of the Ecumenical Patriarchate, Chalki, Turkey
- Keynote address at the First Polish Congress on Universalism, Warsaw
- Keynote address at the Fourth International Symposium on the World Energy System Development of Interconnected Power Systems, Budapest, Hungary
- Keynote address at the International NATO Symposium, Zappeion, Athens

**Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Lecture, Maliotis Centre, during a social event organised by the Boston Diocese, USA
- Lecture on Biopolitics and Old Age, Scientific Day, Evangelismos Hospital Scientific Personnel Union, Athens

**B.I.O. Events**

- Series of Biopolitics Lectures at Mendeleev University, Moscow, Russia
- Series of Biopolitics Lectures at Lomonosov State University, Moscow, Russia
- Bio-Education seminars for primary education teachers, students and administrators of the West Attica Prefecture, Greece
- Session on Biopolitics - Bios Theory, Symposium, Hellenic Union of Biologists, Athens
- Ten-day Seminar on Biopolitics, State Technological University of St. Petersburg, Russia
- Series of presentations at the Rotary Clubs of Rethymnon, Heraklion and Chania on the island of Crete. Wide press coverage

**Publications**

- Publication, Business Strategy for the Bio-Environment, Volume I, Greek. Proceedings, First B.I.O Conference on Business Strategy for the Bio-Environment, 1992 (132 pp.)
- Publication, Business Strategy for the Bio-Environment, Volume II, Greek. Proceedings, Second B.I.O Conference on Business Strategy for the Bio-Environment, 1993 (180 pp.)
- Publication, Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Bio-Culture, Greek. Guidelines for a biocentric curriculum (191 pp.)

- Publication of "BioNews," official B.I.O. newspaper, English

#### **Media coverage**

- Biopolitics articles are featured in Rotary Club publications
- Wide press coverage of B.I.O. activities. Radio and Television reports
- Russian Satellite TV broadcast of the International Sakharov Festival

### **1993**

#### **Awards - Distinctions**

- Nomination for the 1993 Right Livelihood Award
- B.I.O. President Dr. Agni Vlavianos-Arvanitis and B.I.O. Trustee Professor Rusen Keles are honoured with the first communication Abdi Ipekci Peace and Friendship Prize, for their contribution to international understanding and co-operation on the environment. Official ceremony held in Istanbul, in the presence of members of the Turkish government and leading personalities from Greece and Turkey

#### **Lectures**

- Lecture at the US Trust Distinguished Scholars Lecture Series, Centre for International Affairs, Lynn University, Boca Raton, Florida, USA
- Lecture, Soroptimist Union of Halkida, Greece
- Lecture, ALPINE Centre for Hotel and Tourism Management Studies, Athens
- Speech during the plenary session, Conference on Environmental Education 2000 organised by the Alliance for Environmental Education, Virginia, USA
- Lecture, Conference on Environmentally Sustainable Development, Spetses, Greece
- Lecture at the Rotary Club of Piraeus, Greece
- Lecture at The Ekali Club, Greece

#### **Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- B.I.O. is the international representative at the Meeting of Regional Representatives of the Alliance for Environmental Education, Arizona, USA
- Participation in the Annual Assembly of the Club of Rome, Hannover
- Participation in Earth Day '93, Zappeion Megaron, Athens

#### **B.I.O. International Conferences**

- Second Symposium on Business Strategy for the Bio-Environment, Athens
- Hellenic-Indian Symposium on Management Strategy and the Bio-Environment in honour of Dr. Kamla Chowdhry, leading professor and policy-maker of the Government of India, with the participation of the Ambassador of India Mr. Aftab Seth, Athens

#### **B.I.O. Events**

- Proposal submitted by the Alliance for Environmental Education, USA, for an international expansion in 56 countries through the B.I.O. headquarters in Athens
- Official agreement to promote Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Bio-Syllabus in the Alliance for Environmental Education network of universities in the USA
- The B.I.O. international campaign for Environmental Olympics and Bios Prizes gains support by leading representatives from the International Olympic Committee, the Club of Rome, UNESCO and UNA's, governments, universities and NGO's in over 70 countries.



- Proposal for the development of a curriculum on Bio-Mathematics by the President of MathPower Education Consulting Organisation, USA
- Proposal for the implementation of Cleaner Production, in co-operation with major Greek businesses, submitted to the European Union
- Meeting with the President of the Club of Rome. Invitation to introduce Biopolitics during the Club of Rome plenary Assembly in Hannover
- Proposal by the President of UNESCO for co-operation in joint projects

#### **Publications**

- Publication, "International University for the Bio-Environment" (84 pp.)
- Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Bio-Syllabus introduced as a textbook in universities world-wide. Translation into Greek and Russian
- Publication of Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Bio-Syllabus, in Russian
- Publication of Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Volume IV, (304 pp.) Proceedings from the Fifth B.I.O. International Conference, Istanbul, 1992
- Publication of Biopolitics - Bio-Diplomacy and International Co-operation, Proceedings from the Hellenic-Russian Symposium held in Athens, 1991
- Publication of Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Bio-Education, guidelines for the implementation of a biocentric curriculum, Greek

#### **Media coverage**

- Weekly B.I.O. television programs. Wide media coverage of B.I.O. activities. Numerous articles in newspapers and periodicals

### **1992**

#### **Awards - Distinctions**

- Election as Honorary President for Life, for outstanding contribution to international understanding and friendship, by the United Nations Association of Sri Lanka, along with South African leader Nelson Mandela, former President of the Soviet Union Michael Gorbachev, former UN Secretary General Javier Perez de Cuellar and Secretary of the Rio Earth Summit, Maurice Strong
- Member of the Scientific Council, Honorary President of the Association Members and Regional Co-ordinator for the Mediterranean for the international space research project Life in Space

#### **Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- Biopolitics Seminars in Russia. Lectures at Moscow State and Mendeleyev University
- Presentation at the Conference on Natural and Anthropogenic Environment, organised by the Society for Ecological Sensibility, Spetses, Greece
- Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment and Consumer Society, Orthodox Archdiocese of Switzerland Conference
- Guest of honour at the International Symposium on Functioning of Coastal Ecosystems in Various Geographical Regions, organised by the Institute of Oceanography of Gdansk University, Poland

#### **B.I.O. International Conferences**

- Fifth B.I.O. International Conference, Istanbul, Turkey, in the presence of His All Holiness the Ecumenical Patriarch Vartholomeos, the Turkish Minister of Interior,

Minister of Tourism, Minister of Environment, Governor of Istanbul, Mayor of Istanbul, Head of the Information Department of the President of Russia, President of Ankara University

- First Symposium on "Business Strategy for the Bio-Environment," with the participation of leading environmental consultants and business and government representatives, Athens

#### **Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Lecture, Symposium on Mental Health, Zappeion, Athens
- Lecture, Jaycee's Conference on Satellite Communications. Joint B.I.O. project proposal
- Lecture, International Congress for the 500 Years of The Discovery of America, Venezuela
- Series of lectures given at the Serbian Academy of Arts and Sciences, the Centre for Socio-Ecological Research and Documentation and the Belgrade Faculty of Chemistry. B.I.O. is invited to participate in the International Project ECO Centre. I.U.B.E. branch to be established at Belgrade University, under the auspices of the President of the Serbian Academy of Sciences and Arts
- Lecture at the International Seminar on "New Phenomena of Russian Realities: Rights of the Child" organised by the International Women's Centre of Russia
- Lecture at the Russian Academy of Sciences
- Lecture, Hellenic-Canadian Association, in the presence of the Ambassador of Canada
- Lecture, Academy of Creative Endeavours and the International Women's Centre, Russia

#### **B.I.O. Events**

- Meeting with Senator Al Gore at the US Senate
- Proposal for joint humanitarian activities in Russia, with the participation of the Russian Orthodox Church, submitted by the Academy of Creative Endeavours
- Memorandum of Understanding for the development of exchange activities with the Alliance for Environmental Education, USA
- Official proposal for exchange of scholars and co-operation with I.U.B.E./B.I.O. by the President of Gdansk University
- The B.I.O. launches an international campaign for the award of Bios Prizes during the Olympic Games to individuals or institutions who "have contributed to the better understanding and preservation of the bio-environment." The present structure of the Olympic Games emphasises physical achievements. B.I.O.'s proposal includes the establishment of international committees in every field of human endeavour to evaluate progress in the area of bio-environmental preservation and appreciation
- Proposal to introduce Biopolitics in secondary school curricula submitted in Florida, USA

#### **Publications**

- Introduction of Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Volume III as a textbook for an environmental course at Oklahoma State University, USA
- Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Volume III, introduced to the Faculty of Philosophy, Lomonosov University, Moscow

- Publication of "Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Bio-Syllabus"

#### **Media coverage**

- Discussions for the development of a satellite project on "Bios and Space"
- Wide press coverage and television interviews. Weekly television series on Biopolitics. ET1 interview with Liana Kanelli

### **1991**

#### **B.I.O. International Conferences**

- Fourth B.I.O. International Conference. "International University for the Bio-Environment"
- Parnassos Literary Society, panel discussion on The International University for the Bio-Environment - the Role of Youth
- Hellenic-Soviet Symposium on Biopolitics - the Bio-Environment and International Co-operation, with the participation of soviet cosmonauts and leading scientists
- The International University for the Bio-Environment - the Role of Youth. Presentation and panel discussion at the Goulandris - Horn Foundation, Athens
- Third B.I.O. Hellenic-Soviet Symposium on Biopolitics and International Co-operation, under the auspices of the Soviet Embassy, with the participation of the Head of the Press Office of President Boris Yeltsin, the Vice-President of the Academy of Creative Endeavours and leading representatives from the Academy of Medical Sciences of Russia
- Hellenic-Soviet event, in co-operation with the Soviet Embassy in Athens, on the occasion of the visit of the Alexey Krylov research boat
- Fourth Bios Day, in honour of the participants of the Hellenic-Soviet Symposium

#### **Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Lecture, Women's International Club - Environment Circle, Athens
- Lecture, Hellenic-Canadian Association, Athens
- The I.U.B.E. and the Role of Private Universities. Lecture at the Soroptimist Society of Greece Symposium, organised by the Union of Journalists
- Biopolitics lecture at the University of Namur Department of Philosophy
- Lectures at Moscow State University, the Mendeleyev Institute of Chemical Technology and the Academy of Creative Endeavours, Russia

#### **B.I.O. Events**

- Leading representatives from 52 nations pledge their support to the I.U.B.E.
- B.I.O. joins the Board of the Alliance for Environmental Education, USA
- Proposal for a B.I.O. International Conference in Turkey, under the auspices of the Ministry for the Environment of Turkey and Ankara University
- Proposals from Polish Universities for the inclusion of Biopolitics in their curricula
- Proposals from the Universities of Moscow, Leningrad and Kiev for an exchange of students program and the establishment of a biocentric curriculum and special courses
- Biopolitics Presentation at the National University of the Philippines
- The I.U.B.E. is introduced to the Council of Europe (Luxembourg)
- Presentation on the I.U.B.E. at the Alliance for Environmental Education Conference, USA

- Meeting with President George Bush at the White House, Washington DC, USA
- B.I.O. - Moscow State University Students and Scholars Exchange Program
- Meeting with the Head of the Press Office of President Boris Yeltsin, White House, Russia
- Moscow State University suggests Biopolitics as an umbrella concept for all programs
- Proposal for introducing Biopolitics into the Russian legislation
- Six-month project for a Bio-Curriculum for education and business, with the participation of visiting research scientists from the Moscow State University Faculty of Biology

#### **Publications**

- Publication of the resolutions from the Fourth B.I.O. International Conference, on the goals and structure of the I.U.B.E.
- Publication of Biopolitics - the Bio-Environment - Volume III, (700 pp.) Proceedings from the Fourth B.I.O. International Conference, Athens, 1991
- Publication of "The International University for the Bio-Environment" (70 pp.)
- Publication of "International Education for the Bio-Environment," Greek

#### **Media coverage**

- Biopolitics articles in leading newspapers and magazines and four TV interviews

### **1990**

#### **Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- EMECS '90 International Conference on Enclosed Coastal Seas, Kobe, Japan.
- Biopolitics Seminar, Columbia University, USA
- Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment, presentation at the Walden Earthcare Congress, USA
- B.I.O. participation in the workshop on Renewable Energy and Cleaner Technology, Environmental Department, Storstrom AMT, Denmark
- Presentation at the conference on Biotechnology Applications in Plant Production, Comet - AGRO UETP and the Agricultural Bank of Greece

#### **B.I.O. International Conferences**

- "The Bio-Environment and International Co-operation." Hellenic-Turkish Symposium. Reception by the Mayor of Athens in honour of B.I.O. panellists - Reception by His Excellency The Ambassador of Turkey, Mr. Gündüz Aktan, in honour of B.I.O. panellists - Reception by the painter, Angelos, Third Bios Day celebration
- The Bio-Environment in a Meta-Industrial Society. Lecture by the leading Israeli industrialist, Stef Wertheimer, during a B.I.O. Hellenic-Israeli Symposium, Athens

#### **Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Biopolitics lecture, Zerides Lyceum, Athens
- Biopolitics - Launching the International University for the Bio-Environment. Lecture at the Greek Archdiocese of New York City, under the auspices of H.E. Archbishop Iakovos
- Biopolitics lecture hosted by the City Council of Vouliagmeni, Greece
- Presentation at The Ekali Club, Greece
- Presentation at the Greek Orthodox School of Theology, Boston, USA

**B.I.O. Events**

- Launching of the B.I.O. International University for the Bio-Environment (I.U.B.E.)
- The Polish UNA proposes a Class Afloat youth cruise, with a Biopolitics theme
- The Walden Earthcare Network, USA, requests official co-operation with B.I.O. on projects related to youth and the bio-environment
- Ankara University adds Biopolitics to the Graduate School of Political Sciences curriculum
- The B.I.O. proposal on inter-city co-operation on environmental pollution policy was presented at the International Conference on City Pollution organised by the City of Athens

**Publications**

- "Biopolitics - Protecting the Bio-Environment." Publication of Israeli Ambassador Moshe Gilboa's speech during the Third B.I.O. International Conference, Athens, 1989
- Publication of Academician Professor C. Bonis presentation at the Academy of Athens

**Media coverage**

- Television, radio and press coverage of the B.I.O. and the I.U.B.E.

**1989****Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- Summit Meeting, International patrons, Global Co-operation for a Better World, India
- Biopolitics lecture, conference on Water Resources, organised by the University of Salonica, the Mayor of Salonica and the Goethe Institute

**B.I.O. International Conferences**

- Third B.I.O. International Conference. "Biopolitics - Curriculum Reforms," Athens
- The "Bio-Syllabus" put forward by the Third B.I.O. International Conference, was sent to universities throughout the world, to stress the need for incorporating environmental concepts in philosophy, diplomacy, law, economics, communications, theology, etc.
- Biopolitics Symposium on the Bio-Environment organised in Trabzon, Turkey

**Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Biopolitics and Bios Rights, lecture at N. Smyrni Cultural Centre, Athens
- Bios Theory lecture at MIT, Hellenic Scientists Association of Boston, USA
- Bios Theory lecture, Hellenic Kyklos, UNA, Dag Hammarskjold Auditorium, New York
- Bios Curriculum lecture, St. Joseph Alumnae, Cultural Centre of the City of Athens
- Lecture on Biopolitics - Needed Curriculum Reforms, Lycée Léonin, Athens
- Lecture on Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment, University of Trabzon, Turkey
- Biopolitics lecture, Istanbul Technical University, Turkey
- Biopolitics lectures in various educational institutions in Athens

**B.I.O. Events**

- Presentation of Biopolitics goals, The Capitol, Washington, DC
- Texas Parks and Wildlife Department official proposal for a joint B.I.O project for the preservation of endangered species
- Kenya and Ghana proposals for co-operation with B.I.O.
- Main session on Biopolitics at the Poland International Conference on the

**Environment**

- Second Bios Day at the country home of the painter, Angelos. Reception in honour of H.E. the Ambassador of Japan, Mr. Kazuo Kaneko
- University of Ulster, N. Ireland, requests joint graduate school programme with B.I.O.
- The Polish Architectural Society requested close collaboration with B.I.O. A proposal for a project on city planning in Wyoming, USA, was submitted under the name "Biopolis"
- The Welsh campaign against cancer promoted the bios concept
- Links established between B.I.O. and Israeli universities, following official visit to Israel
- Bio-Arts are introduced in university curricula in the Philippines

**Publications**

- Publication of Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment - Volume II (543 pp.). Proceedings from the Second B.I.O. International Conference, Athens, 1988

**Media coverage**

- Biopolitics feature stories in publications of the official Greek National Tourism Organisation and in several other periodicals
- Wide press coverage in New York and Boston
- Television interview on Cable Manhattan, New York
- Articles on Biopolitics appearing in several leading newspapers
- The Singapore UNA Bulletin featured the Bio-Syllabus as its main article

**1988****Awards - Distinctions**

- Election as Honorary President of the United Nations Association of Sri Lanka

**B.I.O. International Conferences**

- Second B.I.O. International Conference. "Bios in the Next Millennium," Athens

**Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- Participation in Manipulations Génétiques Vers Une Meilleure Humanité, Entretiens de Romont, Belgium Participation as International Patron of the Global Co-operation for a Better World. Invitation to attend the international launching of this program at a luncheon reception at the House of Lords, UK
- Presentation on Biopolitics - The Bio-Environment and Bios Rights, WFUNA European Regional Conference, Athens
- Presentation at the E.L.I.N.A.S. North-South International Co-operation Conference

**Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Keynote address, London Symposium, organised by the Greek-Orthodox Bishop of Thyateira
- Opening lecture, High Technology Forum, Hellenic American Chamber of Commerce
- Lecture on Biopolitics, Hellenic-American Organisation KRIKOS, New York
- Lecture and press conference, Union of Journalists and Periodical Owners, Athens
- Lecture on Biopolitics, GDR
- Lecture on Biopolitics at the University of Peace, Brussels, Belgium
- Lecture to the Israeli community in Greece

- Lecture at Psychico Cultural Centre, Athens
- Lecture at KRIKOS Scientific and Cultural Association, New York, USA

#### **B.I.O. Events**

- Biopolitics lecture by the Right Honourable Lord David Ennals, B.I.O. Trustee, co-sponsored by the British Council of Athens
- Bios Day in honour of the Right Honourable Lord David Ennals
- Biopolitics Non-profit Foundation established in the USA
- Biopolitics is incorporated in academic curricula in Europe and the USA
- Biopolitics seminars held in Poland
- Biopolitics seminar held at Oxford University, UK
- Biopolitics presented to Members of Parliament, Council of Europe Meeting, Greece
- Official visit to Israel. Presentation of B.I.O. to the UNA Board and policy-makers from universities, government and industry
- Universities in Poland introduce Biopolitics and B.I.O. concepts in their curricula
- Development of B.I.O. curricula in the Philippines
- Oxford University proposes the establishment of a Biopolitics Concentration Major
- Cambridge University proposes B.I.O. participation in Barito Ulu project

#### **Publications**

- Publication, Proceedings from the First B.I.O. International Conference on Biopolitics and International Co-operation - The Bio-Environment (352 pp.)
- Publication of the Right Honourable Lord Ennals' speech on Bios in the Next Millennium, given at the British Council

#### **Media coverage**

- Feature story on Biopolitics, Athens News Agency, distributed to embassies and foreign press agents throughout the world
- Feature article on Biopolitics, National Herald, New York
- Radio interviews broadcast in Europe, N. and S. America, Australia and Africa
- Numerous articles in newspapers and magazines, including feature stories in publications in Singapore and Sri Lanka

### **1987**

#### **Awards - Distinctions**

- Gold Medal of Honour for Outstanding Achievements and Dedication to Personal and Professional Goals, American Biographical Institute

#### **B.I.O. International Conferences**

- First B.I.O. International Conference. "Biopolitics and International Co-operation," with the participation of leading representatives from 30 nations. Resolutions promoting B.I.O. ideals world-wide were unanimously accepted by all participants, who also pledged to become founding members of B.I.O.

#### **Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- Symposium on Bios in the Next Millennium cosponsored by the French Embassy in Athens, with the participation of the French Ambassador, the Minister of Technology of France and distinguished speakers
- Participation in Bio-Ethics Panel, organised by Etudes et Expansion, Belgium, the

Minister of Health, Senators and the President of the Belgian International Council of Women

- AIDS International Conference, Paris: Presentation of B.I.O. proposal to use satellites for international co-operation on bios

#### **Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Participation in roundtable discussion at the Europe at the Biopoles meeting, Belgium
- Lecture on Biopolitics at the United Nations Association Youth Forum, Athens
- Biopolitics - Theological Dimensions lecture at the World Council of Churches, Geneva

#### **B.I.O. Events**

- Initiation for the establishment of B.I.O. branches in 30 nations
- Biopolitics and International Co-operation, World Federation of UNA's, Ottawa, Canada
- Contribution of a chapter on Biopolitics in the volume published in honour of Professor C. Bonis, President of the Academy of Athens
- Resolution to introduce "Biopolitics - the Bio-Environment" in the activities of UNA'S. Resolution to include "The Role of Biopolitics," as well as "Women and Biopolitics" in the agenda of WFUNA Regional Conferences and Plenary Assembly

#### **Publications**

- Publication and world-wide distribution of "BioNews," the official B.I.O. newsletter

#### **Media coverage**

- Widespread coverage in newspapers and magazines as well as radio and TV interviews in Africa, North America, Asia and Europe

### **1986**

#### **Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- Biopolitics and Dialectics, Greek Philosophical Society Conference, Athens

#### **Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Presentation of Biopolitics at the annual meeting of the United Nations Association of Denmark in the presence of the Prime Minister and Cabinet Members
- Numerous lectures and presentations at professional and cultural institutions
- Presentation on Biopolitics at the United States Capitol, National Prayer Breakfast

#### **B.I.O. Events**

- Legal incorporation of The Biopolitics International Organisation (B.I.O.) Athens, Greece
- Biopolitics - A Pathway for International, Cultural, Technological and Environmental Co-operation, UNA Meeting, Berlin, GDR. Biopolitics as an instrument for international co-operation was recommended by the chairman and sent to 150 nations
- Official registration of the Biopolitics International Organisation Emblem

#### **Media coverage**

- Interviews on Cable Manhattan East-West Program, USA.
- Core Communications Inc. interview broadcast on 50 US radio stations
- Biopolitics and the Environment - The Chernobyl Incident, cover story Greece's Weekly



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- Biopolitics - A Pathway for International Co-operation, featured in Greek UNA Bulletin
  - Biopolitics - Bio-Economics feature article in daily financial newspaper, Express
  - Articles on Biopolitics in leading Greek publications

### **1985**

#### **Conferences - Seminars - Roundtable Discussions**

- First presentation of Biopolitics - Dimensions of Biology by Dr. Agni Vlavianos-Arvanitis, Euro-Philosophical Society Meeting, Athens, June 1985

#### **Keynote Speeches/Lectures/Special Events**

- Lectures and presentations at professional and cultural institutions promoting B.I.O. goals

#### **B.I.O. Events**

- Copyright of terms Biopolitics, bio-architecture, bio-peace, bio-assessment, bio-economics, bio-law, bio-environment, bio-art, bio-legislation, bio-diplomacy and Bank of Ideas
- Letters of support for Biopolitics received from leading international figures

#### **Publications**

- Publication of Biopolitics - Methods of Implementation (Greek and English)

#### **Media coverage**

- Articles in leading Greek newspapers and journals