





## Biography



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Name and surname

**GNOSIS** Institute

University/company/unit represented

Human Flourishing, 5th Industrial Revolution, Future Making, Responsible Leadership, Parnering for Impact – Academics, Practitioners, Policy Makers.

Scientific and non-scientific interests

Elena is a certified coach from the International Coaching Federation (and practises as an axiologist – enabling true-self breakthroughs). She has founded the GNOSIS Institute to promote knowledge philanthropy and to avert 'humane poverty' by designing innovative leadership and organisational development programs.

Elena has been elected and served in multiple leadership roles in the top professional bodies in the management field (AOM, EURAM, EGOS, BAM) and has received several awards for her outstanding leadership and service contributions and teaching excellence. She has successfully secured funding and led interdisciplinary, international multi-stakeholder research teams on high profile research programs funded by Research Funding Councils in the UK, EU and was invited to co-author policy and evaluation reports by professional bodies and Think Tanks designed to improve professional practices.

Memberships







Selected publications (2-3 most important)

Antonacopoulou, E.P. (2024) A New Man-Agement Manifesto: An Invitation. *The Market*. Forthcoming.

Soh, W.G., Antonacopoulou, E.P., Grigg, C. and Bento, R. (2023) Embedding a 'Reflexive Mindset': Lessons from Reconfiguring the Internal Auditing Function. *Academy of Management Learning and Education Journal*. 2(1): 88–111

Antonacopoulou, E.P. (2022) Partnering for Impact: A Grand Challenge and Design for Co-creating a Just, Resilient, and Flourishing Society. *Journal of Applied Behavioural Sciences*, Special Issue Collaborating Across Organizational Boundaries: Co-Creating a More Just, Resilient and Thriving Society 58(4): 571–594

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## A sentence about Economy 4.0 and/or the conference:

As we see the makings of the Fifth Industrial Revolution, we are required to revisit the essence of management as a concept not only as a business practice. Scientific management principles have shaped corporations' functioning and have defined why we associate business with efficiency and effectiveness as a consistent feature of the history of industriousness and versions of the economy based on Capitalism as the main principle. The systematic and systemic crises exacerbate volatility, uncertainty, complexity and ambiguity as operating conditions that corporations need to function in. These conditions make us simultaneously consider our hitherto used measures of success as unsustainable. Therefore, we are called to redesign the way corporations are managed by co-creating a new management manifesto that reassesses the versions of economy that govern the practice of management and its relationship to leadership, responsibility, practical judgement and collective action. Doing so would regenerate management as originally conceived is integral to human flourishing; as, management after all is also MAN-AGEMENT.

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