

Bolanakis Giannis, CV

Personal Information & Contact Info

Giannis Bolanakis was born at 18/2/1997, in Chania (Crete, Greece).

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Education

Giannis Bolanakis finished his **bachelor** degree at the University of **Crete** (Department of **Biology**), in 2019. He acquired his **master** degree in «**Environmental Biology – Management of Land & Marine Biological Resources**», from University of **Crete** (Department of **Biology**), in 2021.

Research Activity

From the pre-graduate level he focuses his research interest in Coleoptera (and other Arthropods) of Crete (systematics, biogeography, ecology, conservation). He has participated in a plethora of samplings in Crete with various methods of trapping (fermenting traps, pitfall traps) and in continental Greece for the concentration of biological material (Arthropods). During his pre-graduate work in the Arthropods lab of Natural History Museum of Crete (NHMC) he was occupied with the identification of samples of the family Cerambycidae from Greece and moreover the curating of the alcohol and dry collections of NHMC that belong to this family. He finished his bachelor thesis at the Arthropods Lab of NHMC, with subject “The Saproxyllic Beetles of Crete”. During his master thesis with subject “The Endemism of Cretan Arthropods” in the Arthropods lab of NHMC he created data bases and maps for the Cretan Arthropods. Today he is occupied with the enrichment, identification and cataloging of the Arthropods collection at NHMC, as well as the preparation of his phd thesis.

SCIENTIFIC PUBLICATIONS

1. **Bolanakis, I. & Trichas, A., 2018: First record of *Steraspis squamosa* (KLUG, 1829) in Europe (Greece, Crete) (Coleoptera, Buprestidae) – *Nachrichtenblatt der Bayerischen Entomologen*, 067: 108-111.**

CONFERENCE REPROTS

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2. I BOLANAKIS, A TRICHAS (2019): A FIRST EVALUATION OF THE SAPROXYLIC COLEOPTERA FAUNA OF CRETE. PROCEEDINGS OF INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS ON THE ZOOGEOGRAPHY AND ECOLOGY OF GREECE AND ADJACENT REGIONS (14TH ICZEGAR, 27-30 JUNE 2019), THESSALONIKI.
3. TRICHAS, A., BOLANAKIS, I., CHRISTAKIS, V., PAPADAKI E., MYLONAS, M. (2018) CATALOGUING THE FAUNA OF CRETE IN THE NHMC: MORE NEW OR RARE FINDINGS OF COLEOPTERA TAXA ON CRETE -POSTER PRESENTATION-. 9TH HELLENIC CONFERENCE OF ECOLOGY, HELECOS-9, 4-7 OCTOBER, 2018 IRAKLEION, CRETE, GREECE. P.237.

PROGRAMMS

1. Pappas E., Alexandropoulou E., Gianni A., Zacharaki T., 2019. *Deliverable B 3.1: «Issue TA1. Special Environmental Study for the first group of protected areas (Introduction-Description of the protected objectives). Study 9: Special Environmental Studies and Management Plans for the Natura 2000 areas of the Crete Region»*. Ministry of Environment & Energy, OIKOM Ltd, Athens, 180 p.