SHORT CV **Varytimiadis Savvas:**

Thematic Area: TA7
Key areas of Expertise in Digital Heritage:

Evaluation of digital applications
Digitization of cultural material,
Planning and development of digital applications
User experience evaluation

Savvas Varytimiadis is a field archaeologist and cultural informatics specialist. He holds a bachelor degree in History and Archaeology of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Faculty of Philosophy. Also holds two masters, one in cultural informatics, University of Aegean and one in Information Systems, University of Macedonia.

From 2006 works at the IT company Aegean Solutions S.A. as a specialist in project management, content writing, digitization and digital editing. Also he is an expert in planning and developing web portals and digital mobile applications for cultural organizations, museums and touristic sites.

From 2011 he works also as an active field archaeologist in excavations in northern Greece and also develops databases and web applications and tools that can be used in excavations. From 2016 he works also as a web designer of small websites for freelancers – www.archaeotech.gr

His scientific interests are:

− Creating metadata and documenting cultural archives,

− Creating digitization plans and directives,

− Digitizing and processing digital items.

− Planning and development of digital applications, websites and databases for museums, cultural institutions and tourism organizations,

− The evaluation of digital applications and user interfaces, the use of VR/AR applications and the use of social media.