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Short Bio:

Androniki Naska is a graduate of the Dept. of Chemistry (School of Science, NKUA), with postgraduate studies in Human Nutrition (King's College, School of Health and Life Sciences, University of London) and Epidemiology (School of Medicine, NKUA). Currently A. Naska serves as Professor of Hygiene and Epidemiology at the NKUA School of Medicine and as Vice-Chair of the Panel on Nutrition, Novel Foods and Food Allergens of the European Food Safety Authority (EFSA), and as Deputy Head (one of two) of the WHO Collaborating Center for Nutrition and Health in Athens, Greece.

Her undergraduate and graduate teaching covers the fields of epidemiology-research methodology and preventive medicine-public health. Her research work relates to nutritional epidemiology, with a focus on dietary assessment methods, evaluations of diet disease associations and the development of novel, food-related, risk benefit assessments. Within this context, A. Naska has coordinated and participated in national and international studies and consortia and she has served as Chair of the EFSA Working Groups on setting dietary reference values and tolerable upper intake levels for vitamins and minerals. In February 2025, more than 390 scientific publications by A. Naska were listed in PubMed. Her work, according to the Clarivate Web of Science, was cited more than 16.000 times (h-index = 70).