

George Vithoukias is today Honorary Professor at the **University of the Aegean**, Greece, Honorary Professor at the **Moscow Medical Academy (Academy of Medical Sciences)**, Professor at the **Kiev Medical Academy**, Collaborating Professor at the **Basque Medical University** (2001-2004), Doctor Honoris Causa of “**Dr. Viktor Babes**” **University of Medicine and Pharmacy of Timisoara** (Romania) and Doctor Honoris Causa of “**Iuliu Hatieganu University of Medicine and Pharmacy of Cluj-Napoca** (Romania).

In 1996, he was honored with the **Right Livelihood Award (also known as Alternative Nobel Prize, [www.rightlivelihood.org](http://www.rightlivelihood.org))** “...for his outstanding contribution to the revival of homeopathic knowledge and the training of homeopaths to the highest standards”. In 2000, George Vithoukias was honored with the **Gold Medal of the Hungarian Republic**, by the country’s President, Arpad Goncz, for his work in the homeopathic medicine.

In 1995, Prof. George Vithoukias established the **International Academy of Classical Homeopathy** in Alonissos, Greece. Fifteen thousand (15,000) medical doctors and homeopathic practitioners from sixty-two (62) countries have been trained at the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy.

In 1980, George Vithoukias was invited by the **World Health Organization** to write the first article on homeopathy for the book, *Traditional Medicine*, published by WHO. In 1996, he was invited by the **European Parliament** to explain the position of homeopathy and after his presentation the European Parliament voted in favour for homeopathy. On 11<sup>th</sup> June, 1999, George Vithoukias was requested by the **Council of Europe** to make a day- long presentation on homeopathic medicine (as part of their evaluation of alternative therapeutic methods) before the Social, Health and Family Affairs Committee.

He has written many articles which has been published in peer review journals and many books which have been translated in 33 languages.