Aγαπητέ Κυρίε Κοσμαδάκη. It is a pleasure to write a letter in support of the promotion of Dr Καραγίαννη σε Αναπληρωτή Καθηγήτη.

I have known and respected Dr Caragianni for several years now. His research interests are in Applied Mathematics and Theoretical Computer Science with particular emphasis on Design and analysis of algorithms, Approximation and online algorithms, Algorithmic game theory, and Computational social choice. He is a very dynamic person with wide interests in all the areas above and his work is characterized by thorough scholarship and originality. I have also had the pleasure to work with him and publish a joint paper in the area of algorithms (antenna orientation for connectivity) for wireless sensor networks. He is a strong researcher, has a lot of academic potential and his research is widely cited and respected by his peers.

I have listened to several nice talks he gave in conferences over the last few years. It is evident that he is someone with deep understanding and devotion to his subject. His undergraduate and graduate teaching look very solid. His supervising record at the University of Patras is satisfactory both at the undergraduate and graduate level but no doubt has the potential to increase both in number of students and level (with Master’s and PhD students).

In summary, his publication record is very strong, as a researcher he is well respected in the research community and he is an evolving scholar with extensive knowledge and publication record. It is clear that he is a very hard working and dedicated researcher and valuable colleague that actively collaborates with other people in the academic community. I fully support the promotion of Dr Καραγίαννη σε Αναπληρωτή Καθηγήτη.