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**Greece's new minister of interior, former far-right activist Makis Voridis. Not "allegedly" and without a hint of exaggeration.**



His past is wikipedia-level stuff



## Political party

[New Democracy](#) (2012–present)

[Popular Orthodox Rally](#) (2005–2012)

[Hellenic Front](#) (1994–2005)

[National Political Union](#) (1984–1990)

Voridis was violently anti-Semitic amongst other things

According to a former fellow student at Athens College, writing in [Israeli](#) newspaper *[Haaretz](#)*, Voridis formed the fascist student group "Free Pupils" that painted the walls with swastikas and saluted each other using the Nazi-era greeting "[Heil Hitler](#)." It was further alleged that during school elections, Voridis would violently threaten the [Jewish](#) students who opposed his fascist group, as well as their families.<sup>[3]</sup>

He is closely connected to the French Front Nationale, but in 2017 he tried to distance himself from them. BY CLAIMING THEY ARE ACTUALLY SOCIALISTS

To paraphrase Phillip K. Dick: the Golden Dawn lost, but the Nazis won



It's not even an isolated incident. More from my colleague here <https://t.co/IOHGPSVgWC>

So, the new Deputy Minister of Migration, tasked with integration, is someone who once made the distinction between roma and people, and has claimed that the BBC is owned by arms dealers. <https://t.co/4Jibba2nhQ>

— Yannis-Orestis Papadimitriou (@iopapadimitriou) [January 4, 2021](#)

That there are still people calling this administration "liberal" is truly beyond the pale

I wrote about all this here <https://t.co/1lf095HxBs>

This piece by [@dpatrikarakos](#) also captures these tendencies very well <https://t.co/5NmyknbsJ>

This is what [@haaretzcom](#) wrote about Makis Voridis back in 2014 <https://t.co/D6tgygtq0C>

# Ignoring Pleas of Local Jews, Greece Swears in anti-Semitic Minister

A lawyer by training, the 49-year-old Makis Voridis went into politics in 1994, founding the far-right Hellenic Front party - its motto was 'Red Card to the Illegal Immigrants.'

**Danna Harman**

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I hope people still following this fucking joke of an account feel a bit of shame





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Cabinet reshuffle in [@kmitsotakis](#) government just announced in [#Greece](#), with positive steps towards improving diversity: 3 new women Ministers (Syreggela, Makri, Voultepsi) and the first ever openly gay Minister in the history of the country (Yatromanolakis).

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