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| OBJECT ID | F2016.61 |
| OBJECT NAME | Poster, Political |
| DATE CREATED | 1970 |
| EVENT | Michael Bakalis campaign for Illinois State Superintendent |
| MEASUREMENTS | 34.13252 cm. W x 53.6575 cm. L, Item (Overall) |
| MATERIAL | Cardboard |

OBJECT DESCRIPTION

A political campaign poster. The poster is black with white lettering. The text at the top says "Do something for your kids on election day." Below this is a close-up shot of a man's head and face. The man looks fairly young and had dark hair. Below the picture are the words "Dr. Michael J." in small letters, followed by the name "Bakalis" in large letters. Below this are the words "State Superintendent of Public Instruction". At the bottom of the poster is the text "Vote Democratic".

ORIGIN

This is a campaign poster for Michael J. Bakalis. Bakalis is a Greek-American academic and politician. Born in Berwyn, Illinois in 1938, Bakalis received his bachelor's, master's, and doctoral degrees from Northwestern University. He later served on the faculties of Northern Illinois University, Loyal University, and Triton college, and he is currently a member of the faculty at the Kellogg Graduate School of Management at Northwestern. In 1970, Bakalis was elected State Superintendent of Public Instruction for Illinois and served in that capacity until 1975. This poster is from his campaign for that position.

CITATION

Poster, Political, 1970, *National Hellenic Museum*, <https://collections.nationalhellenicmuseum.org/Detail/objects/>. Accessed 05/02/24.