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Academic Positions	Tel Aviv University, Department of Political Science Post Doctoral Fellow	2017-2018
	Saltzman Institute for War and Peace Studies, Columbia University Associate Research Scholar	2017-2018
Education	Columbia University Ph.D. Political Science MA awarded 2012	May 2017
	Doctoral Dissertation: “Intimate Rivals or Enemies of the Nation: Radical Right Movements and Transformative Populism” (Jack Snyder and Sheri Berman, advisors)	
	Tel Aviv University , Tel Aviv, Israel Department of Molecular Microbiology and Biotechnology	2006
	MSc Ecology and Environmental Quality, <i>magna cum laude</i>	
	Tel Aviv University , Tel Aviv, Israel BSc Biology <i>Magna cum laude</i> ; Dean’s List 2002	2004
Research Interests	Populism, Nationalism, Political Narratives, Ethnic Conflict, Right Wing Politics	
Publications & Working Papers	"Reaching Across the Border - Internationalizing Citizenship as Domestic Strategy". Collaboration with Emily Holland. Revise and resubmit at <i>Problems of Post Communism</i> . 2016 APSA 2015; MPSA 2016; ASN 2016	

““The Struggle for Independence Will Never End”: Populism, Nationalism, and Conflict. Collaboration with Emily Holland. 2017. (under review)

“Megalomania and Ruritania within the Nation: The Center Periphery Cleavage and the Rise of Right Wing Populism in Central Europe” ASN 2017; APSA 2017 (forthcoming)

"Monopolizing the Nation - Israeli Settlements and Right Wing Capture of National Lexicon and Symbols." 2016 (working paper) MPSA 2016; APSA 2016

“Taking Over the State from Below - The Ku Klux Klan in the US in 1920s” 2017 (Working paper)

"The Nationalist Capture: The State and Far Right Groups in Central Europe" 2016 (working paper)

“The Political Economy of Decision-Making in Radio Playlists,” collaboration with Professor Gideon Doron; in edited volume - *Poetry and Politics*, Ed. Assaf Meydani and Nadir Tsur 2010 (Hebrew)

**Visiting
Research
Positions**

Central European University. Budapest, Hungary Fall 2014
Hungarian Academy of Science. Budapest, Hungary Fall 2014

Certifications

Institute for Qualitative and Multi-Method Research (IQMR), 2013
Summer Workshop on the Analysis of Military Operations (SWAMOS), 2014

**Awards &
Fellowships**

Columbia University GSAS Funding 2010-2017
Carnegie Corporation of New York Borderlands Project, Consultant 2017
Columbia University GSAS Teaching Scholars Program 2015-2016
Columbia University GSAS Conference Travel Grant 2015, 2016
Cordier Fellowship SIPA (Declined) 2015-2016
Academic Exchange (AE) Dissertation Fellowship for Israel Research 2014-2015
Harriman Institute PepsiCo Travel Grant 2014, 2015
Columbia PoliSci Department Dissertation Development Grant 2014
Saltzman Institute of War & Peace Studies, CQRM Award 2013
Tel Aviv University, Department of Microbiology Funding 2004-2006
Tel Aviv University Grant for a cancer related research project for outstanding students 2002

Conference

“The Nationalist Capture: The State and Far Right Groups in Central Europe”

& Workshop Presentations Penn Program on Democracy, Citizenship and Constitutionalism, Graduate Workshop, Spring 2017

Future Scenarios for Russia and the West, Harriman Institute Conference, Fall 2016

"Monopolizing the Nation - Israeli Settlements and Right Wing Capture of National Lexicon and Symbols." Politics and Protest Workshop, CUNY Graduate Center, Fall 2016

"Policing of Violent Non-State Actors: The state of Hungary and Non-State Violence toward the Roma People" Paper presented at ISA 2015 and APSA 2015

"State Ethos and the Policing of Non-State Actors – The Case of the Settlers in Israel in the 1970s and 1980s" Presented at Comparative Secularism and Democracy, Spring 2015, Columbia University

"The Role of Legitimacy in the Success of Interest Groups – The case of the Settlers in Israel" Paper Presented at Columbia University APSA Conference 2012

Teaching

Teaching Development and Fellowships:

- Senior LEAD Teaching Fellowship, Center for Teaching and Learning, Columbia University 2016-2017
- Instructor of 'Reflective Teaching' a semester length workshop. Spring 2017
- Instructor of the workshop series "Addressing Race and Gender Bias in the Classroom" Fall 2016
- LEAD Teaching Fellowship, Center for Teaching and Learning, Columbia University 2015-2016
- Columbia University Innovative Teaching Summer Institute (ITSI), 2015

Teaching Experience:

Instructor, Columbia University, Fall 2015

- "Social Movements – Political Protest and Contentious Politics" (originally designed syllabus, undergraduate seminar)

Teaching Fellow, Columbia University, 2011-2017

- Introduction to Comparative Politics. Prof. Kimuli Kasara
- International Relations Theory (Graduate Field Survey). Prof. Jack Snyder
- Introduction to International Relations. Prof. Robert Jervis
- Scope and Methods in the Social Sciences. Prof. Dorian Warren
- Democracy and Dictatorship in Europe. Prof. Sheri Berman
- Introduction to Human Rights. Prof. Andrew Nathan
- American Politics. Prof. Judith Russell

- Introduction to Chinese Politics. Prof. Xiaobo Lu

Instructor of International Relations, Oxbridge Academic Programs, Summer 2017

Guest Lecturer

- “Eastern Europe after 1989” Democracy and Dictatorship in Europe Fall 2011
- “Hungary – The Dual Backslide” Democracy and Dictatorship in Europe Fall 2013
- “Scientific Exploration, Description & Explanation” Scope and Methods in the Social Sciences Spring 2014
- “Intimate Rivals or Enemies of the State: State Ethos and the Policing of Non-State Actors in Israel” Democracy and Democratization Spring 2015
- “Monopolizing the Nation – Israeli Settlements and Right Wing Capture of National Lexicon and Symbols” Israeli Politics Fall 2016

Instructor, Interdisciplinary Center, Herzliya, Israel, 2009-2010

- “From Pilot to Air - Introduction to the Radio Medium.” (undergraduate course)

Lab Instructor, Tel Aviv University, Israel, 2004-2006

- Microbiology Lab

**Relevant
Work
Experience**

Galei Tzahal Radio, Tel Aviv, Israel, 1998 – 2010

Head of Broadcaster Department and Senior Broadcaster.

Wide experience in production of music, news, sports and entertainment programs, interviews, and teaching and training of young broadcasters in Israel’s dominant radio station.

Tel Aviv University, Tel Aviv, Israel, 2002 – 2003

Research Assistant, Professor Eugene Rosenberg, Department of Molecular Microbiology and Biotechnology, Tel Aviv University. Conducted research on Alzheimer’s beta amyloid aggregates.

**University
Service**

Columbia University

- Political Science Department Graduate Research Seminar Coordinator 2016-2017
- Senior LEAD Teaching Fellow. 2016-2017
- LEAD Teaching Fellow. 2015-2016
- Initiator and Organizer of Graduate Dissertation Writing Seminar with Prof. Alfred Stepan. 2015
- Graduate Student Recruitment Panels Participant and Coordinator. 2012-2013

Professional Memberships International Studies Association (ISA), American Political Science Association (APSA), Midwest Political Science Association (MPSA), Association for the Study of Nationalities (ASN)

Languages & Skills *Languages:* Hebrew (Native); French (Intermediate); Arabic (Basic); Hungarian (Basic)
Software: Stata, R, NVivo
Field Work: Hungary, Israel