### **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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## 1. Academic Education

1966-1969	B.A. Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Psychology & English
1969-1970	Towards M.A., Bar-Ilan University, Rehabilitation Psychology
1970-1971	M.A. Michigan State University, Educational Psychology
1971-1973	Ph.D. Michigan State University, Developmental & Clinical Psychology (Supervisor: J. P. McKinney)

# 2. Academic Employment

2014- 2019	Interdisciplinary Cer School of Psychology	nter Herzliya Associate Professor, Baruch Ivcher
2010-2013	Hebrew University	Tenured Associate-Professor, School of Education
1991-2010	Hebrew University	Tenured Senior Teacher, School of Education
1985-1991 Social Work	Hebrew University	Senior Teacher, School of Education and School of
1975-1979	Hebrew University	Adjunct faculty, School of Social Work
1979-1985	Hebrew University	Teacher, School of Social Work
1975-1976	Hebrew University	Adjunct faculty, Department of Psychology

## 3. <u>Academic Activities:</u> <u>At Hebrew University</u>

1996-1997	Acting-director of the Graduate Program for Early Childhood Studies, School
of Social	Work

1997-2004 Education	Head of the Educational and Child-Clinical Psychology Program, School of
1997-2004	Member of the Instruction Committee and of the Admissions committee at the Psychology Dept. and of the Instruction committee at the School of Education
1997-1999	Member of the High Appointment Committee for parallel track faculty
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2007-2009 Research	Consultant to Reshit home intervention program, operated through the Center for Innovations in Education
2009-2010	Member of the Instruction Committee of the Graduate Program for Early Childhood Studies, School of Social Work
Service in	other Academic and Research Institutions
1970-1972	Michigan State University: Graduate teaching and research assistant at the Department of Psychology
1977 Michigan State University: Visiting scholar at the Medical School Family Studies Program	
1983-1984	University of Minnesota: Visiting scholar at the Institute of Child Development
2001-2002	New-York University: Visiting Scholar at the Child Study Center
2005	Rutgers University: Visiting Scholar at the Graduate School of Applied and Professional Psychology
2006 Department	National Cheng Chi University, Taipei: Visiting Professor, Psychology
2008-2010	Member of the special committee for examining school- parent relationships, sponsored by the Israeli Academy for the Sciences
2008-present	Member of the Advisory Board and of the Research Committee at Haruv Institute for developing knowledge and practice for the field of child abuse and neglect
2010-2011 2014-2019	Visiting research scholar at the Center Family Intervention Science, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine Interdisciplinary Center Herzliya, Head of Child-Clinical Program, Baruch Ivcher School of Psychology

# Other activities

#### **Board of reviewers**

*Sihot*, Israeli Journal of Psychotherapy (1992-today)

#### Ad hoc reviewer

The U.S.-Israel Bi-national Science Foundation

Israel Science Foundation

Megamoth, Israel Journal of Social Science

Mifgash, Social-Educational Work (Hebrew)

Journal of Traumatic Stress

Journal of Children and Media

Journal of Child and Adolescent Trauma

Society and Welfare (Hebrew)

### **Organization of Conferences**

Organizer and chair of the conference on "Children of divorce: Helpful intervention strategies" (hosting Dr. Judy Wallerstein from the University of California at Berkeley). Sponsored by the School of Social Work, Hebrew University, Van Leer Institute, Jerusalem, April 1996.

Organizer and Chair of a conference on "Parental coping nowadays and parent therapy", sponsored by the School of Education of The Hebrew University. Jerusalem, June 2007

Member of the academic committee of the International Conference of the Association for Conductive Education in Israel, in cooperation with the School of Occupational Therapy at the Hebrew University, Tel Aviv, July 2007.

Member of the organizing committee of an international conference on "Family, education and media in a multicultural society", The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, January 2013.

Organizer and Chair of a conference on Attachment Based Family Therapy with Dan Hughes, IDC, March 2014

Organizer and chair of a conference on AEDP with Diana Fosha, IDC, June, 2014

Organizer and chair of a conference on AEDP with couples with David Mars and Karen Pando-Mars, IDC, Nov 2015

Organizer and chair of AEDP Immersion course with Diana Fosha, IDC, September, 2016

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### Public voluntary functions in the academic-professional field

1983-1985	"Parents" Home-Intervention Program, member of steering committee
1985-1987	"A Home for Every Child" Organization, member of Programs Committee
	Member, Curriculum Committee for training psychologists in parent counseling, Ministry of Education.
	Scientific consultant to the writers of the booklet: On children, emotions and friends: A guide for managing behavior problems by preschool teachers. Ministry of Education.
	Consultant on trauma interventions to Ackerman Institute for the family, New-York

2002-2005 Consultant to the Tourette Syndrome special clinic team, Child Neurology Clinic, Sharei-Zedek Medical Center, Jerusalem

2009-present Consultant to trauma interventions with young children, Israel Center for the Treatment of Psychotrauma

#### **Consultations and Staff development outside the University**

1983-1984 The Developmental Learning, Consultant for Project Dakota: intervention with developmentally delayed children. St. Paul, Minnesota

1988-2008 school	Municipal Psychological Services, conducted seminars and supervision for psychologists:  Ma'te Yehuda, Ma'aleh Adumim
	Kiryat Sefer, Givataim, Tel Aviv Kiryat Ono
1990-2000	Child Development Centers, Supervision of developmental psychologists
1990-1995	Supervisor of family therapists in accreditation process
2002	Visiting faculty at the Jewish Board for Child and Family Services early childhood training programs
2007-2009	Staff development and consultation to Ashalim to improve their parent intervention programs
2008	Consultation, evaluation research and program development to the trauma intervention project for distressed children following the second Lebanon war and in the Sderot area by Ashalim and Sheffi (the Psychological and counseling service of the Ministry of Education)
2009	Consultant to Ashalim's division for early childhood programs
2009	Program development and supervision of a parent- child interaction group model in Sderot (through the Israel Center for the treatment of psychotrauma)
2014	Consultant to the film "A special family playing" produced by Shekel.
2019-2020	Program Development for "Goshen"-training for leading nurses, Ministry of Health

### 4. Grants and Awards

### **Teaching Awards at Hebrew University**

Rector's List of Distinguished Teachers: 1987, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1993, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1999, 2001, 2003, 2005, 2009

The Miliken Award for Continued Excellence in Teaching: 1992.

The University award for excellence in teaching, 2007/8,

### Research grants

1996-7 Grant from the NCJW Research Institute for Innovation in Education, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem (\$ 20,000, my share- 100%) to study: "School Readiness: An ecological examination of perceptions and practices of culturally diverse parents, teachers and psychologists" (#6).

2003-4 Grant from the Eshkol Institute at the Faculty of Social Science, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem (\$3,000, my share-100%) to study: "Play and adaptation in children

exposed to terrorism" (#19)

2005-2006 Grant from the Eshkol Institute at the Faculty of Social Science, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem (\$1,500- my share-100%) to continue the study of "Play and adaptation in children exposed to terrorism

2010 Grant from the Anita Morawetz fund for research on children at risk, through the School of Socal Work at The Hebrew University of Jerusalem (with Cory Shulman) (\$18,066- my share 50%)