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EDUCATION:

Ph.D., Economics, **Northwestern University**, Illinois, 2003

Dissertation committee: Michael Whinston(chair), Rob Porter(co-chair), Asher Wolinsky

B.Sc., Statistics and Computer Science, **Tel Aviv University**, Israel, 1992

RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Industrial Organization, Economics of Organizations.

CURRENT AND PREVIOUS ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

2018-: *Senior Lecturer (with tenure)*, Tiomkin School of Economics, IDC Herzliya

2014-: *Senior Lecturer*, Tiomkin School of Economics, IDC Herzliya

2010- 2014: *Lecturer*, School of Economics, IDC Herzliya

2007-2010: *Visiting Assistant Professor*, Berglas School of Economics, Tel Aviv University

2003-2007: *Assistant Professor*, University at Albany, SUNY, Department of Economics.

GRANTS:

Israel Science Foundation, 2012-2015, “Partial Vertical Integration, Ownership Structure and Foreclosure,” joint with Yossi Spiegel (240,000 NIS, three years)

Ministry of National Infrastructures, Energy and Water Resources Research Grant, 2016-2017, “Implementation of Microgrid systems in Israel,” joint with Yael Parag and ISEA (490,000 NIS)

PUBLISHED PAPERS:

“Commitment, Exchange Autonomy and the Boundary of the Hierarchical Firm”,
Journal of Law, Economics and Organization, 2008, Vol. 24, No. 1, 184-214.

“Technology Sharing and Tacit Collusion”,
International Journal of Industrial Organization, 2012, Vol. 30, No. 2, 204-216

“Government's Credit-Rating Concerns and the Evaluation of Public Projects”, (with Ady Pauzner)
Journal of Public Economics, 2014, Vol. 115, 117-130

“Domain Knowledge, Ability and the Principal's Authority Relations”,
RAND Journal of Economics, 2014, Vol. 45, No. 2, 370-394

“Search Costs and Investment in Quality” (with Arthur Fishman),
Journal of Industrial Economics, 2015, Vol. 63, No. 2, 625-641

“Partial Vertical Integration, Ownership Structure and Foreclosure” (with Yossi Spiegel and David Gilo) , *American Economic Journal: Microeconomics*, 2018, Vol. 10, No. 1, 132-80

“Termination Risk and Agency Problems: Evidence from the NBA,” (with Alma Cohen and Roy Sasson), *Journal of Law, Economics and Organization*, 2018, Vol. 34, No. 4, 579-618

COMPLETED PAPERS:

“Equity Ownership, Influence, and Investment in Vertical Relationships.” , submitted

“Make vs. Buy Externalities and the Organization of Input Supply”.

WORK IN PROGRESS:

“Partial ownership: Evidence from M&A data,” (with Yossi Spiegel)

“Information Costs and the Demand for Experts,” (with Arthur Fishman)

“Relational Contracts, Incentives, and Cooperation within Firms.”

FELLOWSHIPS AND AWARDS:

Northwestern University, The Center for the Study of Industrial Organization fellowship, 2001.

Northwestern University, Distinguished Teaching Assistant Award, 1999-2000

Northwestern University, Distinguished Teaching Assistant Award, 1998-1999

Northwestern University, University Fellowship, 1997-1999.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Referee, *Rand Journal of Economics*, *Journal of Industrial Economics*, *International Journal of Industrial Organization*, *European Economic Review*, *Journal of Law, Economics and Organization*, *Games & Economic Behavior*

COURSES TAUGHT:

Industrial Organization (Ph.D.), Industrial Organization (undergraduate), Intermediate Microeconomics (undergraduate), Principles of Economics (undergraduate)