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1. Personal Details

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2. Higher Education

A. Undergraduate and Graduate Studies

Period of Study	Name of Institution and Department	Degree	Year of Approval of Degree
2007-2010	University of Haifa Department of Psychology	PhD	2011
2007	University of Haifa Department of Psychology	MA (magna cum laude)	2007
2001-2005	University of Haifa, Law School	LLB (summa cum laude)	2005
2001-2005	University of Haifa Department of Psychology	BA (summa cum laude)	2005

3. Academic Ranks and Tenure in Institutes of Higher Education

Dates	Name of Institution and Department	Rank/Position
2019- Present	Yezreel Valley College, Communication and Health Systems Management	Senior lecturer
2014	Yezreel Valley College, Communication and Health Systems Management	Full-time faculty member
2014	Yezreel Valley College, Communication and Health Systems Management	Lecturer
2013-2014	Yezreel Valley College, Communication and Health Systems Management	Department of Communication: Part- time faculty member Department of Health Systems Management: Teaching fellow
2008-2013	Yezreel Valley College, Communication and Health Systems Management	Teaching fellow
2012-2014	Kinneret College, Behavioral Sciences and Communication	Full-time faculty member
2011-2012	Kinneret College, Behavioral Sciences and Communication	Teaching fellow
2009-2011	The Western Galilee College	Teaching fellow

Scholarly Positions and Activities outside the Institution

a. Reviewer of scientific or professional journal

Year	Name of Journal
*2021	Health Psychology [IF= 4.267, Q1]
*2019	Media Psychology [IF= 3.824, Q1]
2017	Media Frames (Hebrew)

b. (a) Academic Position Within Departments

Years	Academic Position
*2020 - present	Managing Marketing Committee of the Department of Communication
2017-2019	Advisor for Student Affairs, Department of Health Systems Management
2014 -2019	Organizer of the faculty seminars, Department of Health Systems Management
2014 -present	Head of Marketing Committee of the Department of Communication
2013-present	Advisor for Student Affairs, Department of Communication
2013-present	Member of Teaching Committee, Department of Communication

(b) Academic Positions Within College

2014 -present Member of Disciplinary Committee

(c) Activities outside Academy

*2019 - present Facilitator for young people recovering and dealing with cancer at "Halas-Sartan" Association, an association for young people dealing with cancer.

2017- present I am a volunteer lecturer at "Enosh") An Israeli association for mentally challenged people organization. I Lecture for people dealing with mental disorders

2015- present I lecture voluntary from time to time in the regional council where I live to different populations (schoolchildren, adults, and the village women's forum) .

c. Membership in professional/scientific societies

Years	professional/scientific societies
**2022 - present	Member of the European Society of Criminology Association
**2022 - present	Member of the Israeli Criminology Association
2017- present	Member of DGOF - German Society for Online Research
2015 - present	Member of the Israeli Communication Association
2005 - present	Member of the Israeli Bar Association, License Number 45143
2005-present	Member of the Israeli Psychological Association, License Number 27-91236

4. Participation in Scholarly Conferences

a. International Conferences

Date	Name of Conference	Place of Conference	Subject of Lecture/Discussion	Role
**2023	General Online Research	Kassel, Germany	Online vs. Offline political engagement in irregular election campaigns	Co-Presenter
**2023	General Online Research	Kassel, Germany	Media consumption patterns during the Russian-Ukrainian War	Co-Presenter
**2023	The 23rd Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology Eurocrim2023	Florence, Italy	The distinct role of guilt and shame proneness among people in custody in promoting restorative justice process	Presenter
**2023	The 23rd Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology Eurocrim2023	Florence, Italy	Incremental beliefs and attitudes toward restorative justice: the cases of sexual, violent and property offenses	Co-Presenter
**2023	The Criminology Symposium 2023	Stockholm, Sweden	Proneness to Guilt and Shame and Restorative Justice among People in Custody	Co-Presenter

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**2022	Western Society Of Criminology, 48th Annual Conference	Honolulu, Hawai'i	Psychological Distance, Malleability Beliefs, and Public's Punitive Attitudes	Presenter
**2022	Western Society Of Criminology, 48th Annual Conference	Honolulu, Hawai'i	The Role of Proneness to Guilt and Shame Among People in Custody in Promoting Restorative Justice	Presenter
**2022	ICA Annual Conference	Paris, France	"Understanding civilians' usage of smartphones as a second screen under fire"	Co-Presenter
**2022	General Online Research	Berlin, Germany	"Handling life under fire in a multi-media environment: Israeli civilians use of Second Screens during Operation "Guardian of the Walls "	Co-Presenter
**2022	General Online Research	Berlin, Germany	"Follow me: Social media users and factors affecting agendas during Election	Co-Presenter
**2022	Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology	Malaga, Spain	"Psychological Distance, Malleability Beliefs, and Public's Punitive Attitudes "	Presenter
**2022	Annual Conference of the European Society of Criminology	Malaga, Spain	" The Role of Proneness to Guilt and Shame Among People in Custody in Promoting Restorative Justice"	Co-Presenter
**2021	The Agenda Setting Journal Virtual Conference	Virtual Conference	Following prime ministerial candidates on social media: How does it affect the public's agenda-setting process?	Presenter
**2021	General Online Research	Virtual Conference	Psychological factors as mediators of second screen usage during	Presenter

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			viewing sport broadcasts	
**2021	the 32nd International Congress of Psychology (ICP)	Virtual Conference	The Moderating Role of Psychological Distance on the Impact of Malleability Beliefs on Public Attitudes towards Punishment	Presenter
*2020	General Online Research	Virtual Conference	Practicing citizenship and deliberation online the socio-political dynamic of closed women's groups on facebook	Co-Presenter
*2020	General Online Research	Virtual Conference	"Like me": The impact of following prime ministerial candidates on social networks on perceived public agendas	Co-Presenter
*2020	16th World Congress on Public Health	Virtual Conference	Healthcare employee's personality traits and service quality: Do team relationships matter?	Presenter
*2019	Technology, Knowledge, and Society Conference	Barcelona, Spain	The virtual women community: a supportive environment for exposure and intimacy	Presenter
*2019	Technology, Knowledge, and Society Conference	Barcelona, Spain	Handling information biases and "fake news" across the digital world	Presenter
*2019	Voices of the voiceless	Bucharest, Romania	Handling information biases: a proposition	Presenter
*2019	Voices of the voiceless	Bucharest, Romania	Anonymity, intimacy, involvement and support in women's closed Facebook groups	Presenter
*2019	Voices of the voiceless	Bucharest, Romania	Using WhatsApp while watching the World Cup 2018 broadcasts: a new	Presenter

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			form of users' engagement	
2019	24th German Congress on Crime Prevention (GCOCP)	Berlin, Germany	Prisoners' attitudes towards participating in a restorative justice process	Presenter and panel chair
2019	24th German Congress on Crime Prevention (GCOCP)	Berlin, Germany	The role of emotions in the relationship between malleability beliefs and judicial assessment	Presenter
2019	Annual Conference of the European Association of Psychology and Law	Santiago de Compostela, Spain	When there's a will, there's a way: restorative processes in prisons	Presenter
2019	Annual Conference of the European Association of Psychology and Law	Santiago de Compostela, Spain	The mediated role of emotions in the relationship between malleable beliefs and legal decision-making	Co-Presenter
2019	19th Annual Conference of the ESC	Ghent, Belgium	Promoting prisoners' positive attitudes towards participating in a restorative justice process: The effects of a victim awareness process	Presenter
2019	24th German Congress on Crime Prevention (GCOCP)	Berlin, Germany	Prisoners' attitudes towards participating in a restorative justice process	Presenter
2018	General Online Research Conference	Cologne, Germany	"Too close to call: hybrid media system approach to news topics' salience during election campaign"	Presenter
2018	General Online Research Conference	Cologne, Germany	Intimacy and sharing among closed women's facebook groups	Poster
2018	General Online Research Conference	Cologne, Germany	Seeking for healthcare information on the web	Poster

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2018	Redesigning Justice: Promoting civil rights, trust and fairness	Oxford, London	The effect of malleability beliefs and emotion on judicial decision making	Co-presenter
2018	Redesigning Justice: Promoting civil rights, trust and fairness	Oxford, London	Restorative justice behind prison walls	Co-presenter
2018	The Annual Conference of the International Communication Association	Prague, Czech Republic	"Hybrid media systems during election campaigns: challenging and tracing the question of "who sets the agenda?"	Presenter
2018	International Irish Narrative Inquiry Conference	Sligo, Ireland	A persuasive story: narrative persuasion in political, public issues	Presenter
2018	Notifications from the Technological Nonconscious" conference	London, UK	The secret online world of women: intimacy and exposure among women's closed facebook groups	Presenter
2017	General Online Research Conference	Berlin, Germany	Researching agenda-setting online: challenges and dilemmas	Presenter
2017	ICA conference "Interventions: Communication Research and Practice	San Diego USA	Does character-similarity increase identification and persuasion?	Co-Presenter
2017	The International Critical PR conference	Barcelona Spain	Public Relations and Agenda-Setting Research in a Time of Convergence	Presenter
2017	Journalism, Society and Politics in the Digital Media Era	Limassol, Cyprus	Covering elections in a multimedia environment: Comparing data from traditional and new media during the 2015 Israeli election" for the	Co-presenter

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			International Conference	
2017	Journalism, Society and Politics in the Digital Media Era	Limassol, Cyprus	Agenda-setting research online: unique theoretical and empirical challenges	Presenter
2017	EHPS: Innovative ideas in Health Psychology.	Padova, Italy	The influence of moderate and extremist messages related disorder anorexia at young female population in Israel	Presenter
2016	General Online Research Conference	Dresden, Germany	Public agenda 2.0: comparing data from traditional and new media during the 2015 Israeli election	Presenter
2016	The International Association for Media and Communication Research	Leicester, UK	Analyzing users and the media agenda setting during the Israeli general elections	Presenter
2016	International Conference on Marriage and Family Therapy	Rome, Italy	Perceived power and conflict management in spousal relationships	Presenter
2012	ICA Annual Conference	Phoenix ,USA	"Exploring the similarity-identification hypothesis: story relevance and ego relevance as moderators of the similarity-identification hypothesis."	Presenter
2010	Conference on Empirical Legal Studies (CELS)	New Haven, USA.	"Stealing Sunshine"	Presenter

b. National Conferences

Date	Name of Conference	Place of Conference	Subject of Lecture/Discussion	Role
**2023	The 3rd conference of the Israeli Association for Victimology	Rishon LeZion	The effect of ethnic identity on community justice processes - findings of an empirical study	Co-Presenter
**2023	The Israel Communication Association	Yezreel Valley, Israel	Using a second screen in Israel when dealing with internal and external conflict: the May 2021 events as a case study	Co-Presenter
**2023	The Israel Communication Association	Yezreel Valley, Israel	Far from sight, close to heart: Russia-Ukraine war - analysis of news consumption patterns in Germany and Israel	Co-Presenter
**2022	The Israel Communication Association	Jerusalem, Israel	Evaluation of the use of the "second screen" during the "Wall Guard" operation	Co-Presenter
**2022	The Israel Communication Association	Jerusalem, Israel	It spreads like a plague: Spreading online rumors during the Corona plague	Presenter
**2022	Criminal Justice Association	Tel-Aviv, Israel	Restorative justice procedures in Israeli prisons	Presenter
*2019	The Israel Communication Association	Jerusalem, Israel	Israeli Wonderwoman: Israeli girls carry and give definitions of strong femininity and success	Presenter
*2019	The Israel Communication Association	Jerusalem, Israel	Watching Alone Together: Using WhatsApp while Watching World Cup 2018 in Israel	Co-Presenter
2019	The Biannual Conference of the Israeli Association of Criminology Innovations in Criminology and	Netanya, Israel	Restorative practices in Israeli prisons: The findings of an empirical study	Presenter

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	the Criminal Justice System			
2018	The Israel Communication Association	Rishon Lezion, Israel	Online imagery-laden narratives and their usage by Israeli politicians as a PR strategy to win the elections	Presenter
2018	"Awakening workout"- Are we ready for a revolution in punishment?	Yezreel Valley Academic College, Israel	Restorative justice during and after incarceration	Co-Presenter
2017	The Israel Communication Association	Sapir Academic College, Israel	Researching agenda-setting online: challenges and dilemmas	Presenter
2017	The Israel Communication	Sapir Academic College, Israel	The influence of moderate and extremist messages related disorder anorexia at young female population in Israel	Co-presenter
2016	The Israel Communication Association	Kinneret Academic College, Israel	Public agenda: traditional and new media during the 2015 Israeli elections	Co-presenter
2016	the 12 th Research Fair	Yezreel Valley Academic College, Israel	Traditional and new media during the 2015 Israeli elections	Presenter
2016	'Metaksherim' (Communicating)	Haifa, Israel	The influence of moderate and extremist messages related disorder anorexia at young female population in Israel" graduate student conference in communication	Co-presenter

Date	Name of Conference	Place of Conference	Subject of Lecture/Discussion	Role
2015	The Media Psychology Workshop.	University of Haifa, Israel	"Testing the similarity identification hypothesis"	Presenter
2015	The Israel Communication Association	Open University, Israel	A persuasive story: narrative persuasion in public issues	Co-presenter

c. Organization of Conferences or Sessions

Date	Name of Conference	Place of Conference	Subject of Conference/ Role at Conference	Role
**2023	The annual conference of the Israel Communication Association	Yezreel Valley College, Israel	The 25th conference of the Israel Communication Association	Co-Organizer
2016	Major reforms in the Israeli communications market	Yezreel Valley College, Israel	Israel's public broadcasting reforms	Organizer
2015	International Media and /Psychology Workshop	Ein Hod, Israel	Narrative persuasion, Media and Psychology	Co-Organizer

5. Invited Lectures\ Colloquium Talks

Date	Place of Lecture	Name of Forum	Presentation/Comments
**2023	Ramla, Prison Service	Research year summary conference	Restorative Justice in Israeli prisons
**2023	Webinar	Making Independence" in honor of the 75th Independence Day of the State of Israel	Restorative justice in Israeli prisons? Examining Prisoners' attitudes and the effectiveness of nursing practices
**2021	Crowne Plaza Hotel, Tel Aviv	Israel Customer Service Conference 2021	Personal characteristics of employees and the quality of service perceived by them
*2021	Hebrew University, Jerusalem	Doctoral Students Forum	Malleability Beliefs and restorative justice
2013	Yezreel Valley Academic College	Health Systems Management Seminar	Presentation of my PhD study
2013	Kinneret Academic College	Behavioral Sciences "psychological tasting, sociology and anthropology"	"Persuasion tactics"
2011	Yezreel Valley Academic College	the Seventh Research Fair	Presentation of the study "stealing thunder" tactic effectiveness
2011	Haifa University	Colloquium for MA students	Persuasion tactics in a legal context – does it work?
2009	University of Haifa	Communication Colloquium Talk	"Stealing the thunder and lightning"-Persuasion tactics in a legal context.
2008	Hebrew University, Jerusalem	PhD candidates' conference on Judgment and decision making	Presentation of the study "Stealing Sunshine "

6. Research Grants

a. (1) External Grants Awarded

Role in Research	Co-Researchers	Topic	Funded by/ Amount	Year
Co PI	Inbal Peleg-Koriat	Malleability beliefs and restorative justice	The Israel Science Foundation (ISF) (400,000 NIS)	**2021
Project Manager* *Although I was a full partner in all stages of the research (conceptualization, analyzing, writing, and submitting this project), due to a bureaucratic limitation, when the proposal was submitted, I did not have a permanent position, so I was not listed as Co-PI	Jonathan Cohen	Exploring the similarity-identification hypothesis: story relevance and ego relevance as moderators of the similarity-identification hypothesis.	The Israel Science Foundation (ISF) (300,000 NIS)	2011

(2) Internal Grants Awarded

Role in Research	Co-Researchers	Topic	Funded by/ Amount	Year
Co PI	Yonathan Mizrahi, Anat Yaron-Antar, Liron Inchi	Towards a 'Digital Phenotyping'-based profiling of diagnosed post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) patients - a pilot study	Research Committee Yezreel Valley College (12,900 NIS)	**2021
Co PI	Vered Elishar-Malka and Yaron Ariel	Who sets the agenda? Interaction in the 2019 elections: TV, online social	Research Committee	*2019

Role in Research	Co-Researchers	Topic	Funded by/ Amount	Year
		networks and public attitudes	Yezreel Valley College (14,500 NIS)	
Co PI	Inbal Peleg-Koriat	The role of belief in malleability and emotions on judicial attitudes toward restorative punishment	Research Committee Yezreel Valley College (11,500 NIS)	*2019
Co PI	Vered Elishar-Malka and Yaron Ariel	Intimacy and participation in women Facebook groups	Research Committee Yezreel Valley College (14000 NIS)	2018
Co PI	Vered Elishar-Malka and Yaron Ariel	Viewers alone: using WhatsApp when watching the World Cup	Research Committee Yezreel Valley College (5000 NIS)	2018
Co PI	Inbal Peleg-Koriat	Justice procedures in the prisoner rehabilitation authority	Research Committee Yezreel Valley College (14000 NIS)	2017
Co PI	Yaron Ariel, Ruth Avidar, Vered Malka	Election study 2015 - who sets the agenda for the media	Research Committee Yezreel Valley College (10000 NIS)	2015

a. Submission of Research Proposals – Not Funded

Role in Research	Co-Researchers	Topic	Funded by	Year	Score
PI	Inbal Peleg-Koriat	Malleability beliefs and restorative Justice	The Israel Science Foundation (ISF) (400,000 NIS)	*2020	Rejected
PI	Maya Mazor Tregerman	The mall behind the camp: Israelis in Poland in the age of low-cost tourism	Ministry of Science and Technology (14,000 NIS)	2018	Rejected
Co-PI	Sybille Heilbrunn, Yariv Itzkovich, Niva Dolev, Shosh Leshem, Dorit Alt, Meiran Boniel-Nissim, Yshai Gabai, Keren Goldfrad and Arik Heshin	Development of Social-Emotional intelligence (SEI) in Higher Education	Erasmus +	2017	Rejected
PI	Akiba Cohen	The contribution of the media to the public's recognition of its health rights	The Israel National Institute for Health Policy and Health Services Research	2014	Rejected

7. Scholarships, Awards and Prizes

2014- present: Every year, since my full appointment at the college, I received the highest rank of reward for excellence in teaching, research and contribution to the college.

8. Teaching

a. Courses Taught in Recent Years

Year	Name of Course	Type of Course	Degree	Number of Students (≈)
**2022	Marketing communication summary project	Mandatory for participants in the marketing communication track	BA	30
**2021	Journalistic ethics	Mandatory	BA	50
**2021	Supervision of final projects	Master's final project	MA	10
*2020-present	Behind The Masks - People And Networks	Seminar	BA	20
*2020-present	Behind the masks - on people and networks	Seminar	BA	20
2018-2019	Consumer Behavior	Mandatory	BA	60
2017-present	Communication Psychology	Mandatory	BA	80
2016-2017	Broadcast Media	Mandatory	BA	80
2014-2019	Law & Communication	Mandatory	BA	60
2014-2020	Law & Health	Mandatory	BA	60
2014-2021	Educational Counseling on The Internet	Workshop	MA	30
2013-2017	Persuasion and Attitude Change	Seminar	BA	20
2009-2015	Methods of Persuasion	Mandatory	BA	60
2009-present	Applied Research Methods	Mandatory	BA	60
2008-2010	Law And Psychology	Elective course	BA	60

Year	Name of Course	Type of Course	Degree	Number of Students (≈)
2008-2013	Introduction to Social Psychology	Mandatory	BA	60
2008-present	Introduction to Psychology	Mandatory	BA	100
2008-present	Statistics	Mandatory	BA	60

b. Supervision of participants in the "Outstanding BA Students" program

Year	Name of Participant
**2021-2022	Shuli Shalgi – "Differences in the perception of emotions arising from the use of Emoji - and the examination of personality components"
*2020-2021	Ella Shahnuk – "Online Influencers - personality traits and the followers' needs they fulfill"
2018-2019	Etti Han – "The role of parents in a computer-mediated environment"
2017-2018	Lior Stavi – " The relationship between personal qualities and the perception of service quality among workers in health organizations"
2016-2017	Lior Brener - Communication, politics and psychology: The US television debate - persuasion through emotion and fear"
2014-2015	Hadas Dublin – "Signs of courtship: An examination of the persuasive ability of courtship elements in fashion advertisements"
2015-2016	Hadar Eliash – "The influence of moderate and extremist messages on anorexia disorder at young female population in Israel"

c. Supervision of final project MA Students

Name of Student	Title of Thesis	Degree	Date of Completion
Katrin Gurlick	Examining the effect of smartphones use on cognitive, emotional, and social functions	MA in Educational counseling, Yezreel valley College	**12/24
Tal Lugassi	The variables that predict attitudes of educational consultants towards the integration of technology in their role as consultants	MA in Educational counseling, Yezreel valley College	**12/24
Amal Asalla	The relationship between social networks use and mental well-being, social relationships and educational achievements among adolescents	MA in Educational counseling, Yezreel valley College	**12/24
Abir Saadi	Social networks effect on self-perception	MA in Educational counseling, Yezreel valley College	**12/24
Aviva Takala	The effect of #bodypositive on self-image among teenagers	MA in Educational counseling, Yezreel valley College	**12/23
Anat Adele Israelov	Self-destruction following increased exposure to social networks	MA in Educational counseling, Yezreel valley College	**12/23
Inbar Malka	The relationship between the environmental conditions and the personal characteristics of the teacher and the erosion from the teaching profession.	MA in Educational counseling, Yezreel valley College	**12/23
Claudeen Salman	The relationship between the use of social networks and the relationship between parents and adolescents	MA in Educational counseling, Yezreel valley College	**12/23
Yafit Shabach	The effect of the variety of communication platforms on the relationship between parents and kindergarten teachers	MA in Educational counseling, Yezreel valley College	**12/23

Name of Student	Title of Thesis	Degree	Date of Completion
Eden Shabi-Moyal	The effect of using the social networks on the body image of young girls with eating disorders	MA in Educational counseling, Yezreel valley College	**12/23
Maayan Bar Zur	Girls' attitudes towards sex according to source of information	MA in Educational counseling, Yezreel valley College	**12/23

d. Supervision of Ph.D Students

Name of Student	Title of Thesis	Degree	Date of Completion
Anat Orenstain-Kronenberg	Prosecutorial discretion and Incentives in decisions pertaining to filing indictments and pressing charges: Influences for sub-enforcement of the criminal law in Israel	Ph.D In Haifa University, Joint supervision with Prof. Ron Shapira and Prof. Doron Menashe	**10/25

PUBLICATIONS

[a]- Same Contribution for all authors of the article due to all stages of the research. I was involved in all phases of the research, including conceptualization, analyzing and writing the paper

[b] - Research written in collaboration with an undergraduate student. I led all phases of the research, including conceptualization, analyzing and writing the paper

[c] - All phases of the research, including conceptualization, analyzing and writing the paper were made exclusively by me.

A. Ph.D Dissertation

"Stealing the thunder and lightning" - an examination of the impact of borders persuasion tactics legal context. PhD dissertation in Psychology, supervised by Dr. Michael Katz and Dr. Nurit Tal-Or (2011), University of Haifa, Israel.

B. Articles or Chapters in Scientific Books

*1. Peleg-Koriat, I, & **Weimann-Saks D.** (2021). Prisoners' attitudes towards restorative justice processes: Implications for treatment and rehabilitation. In Elisha, A., Zelig, A., & Timor, U. (Eds). *Offender Rehabilitation*. (Hebrew). [a]

2. **Weimann-Saks, D.**, Ariel, Y., Malka, V., & Avidar, R. (2017). "Trends in public and media agenda-setting during the 2015 Israeli elections", in E. Orkibi, & M. Gerstenfeld (Eds.). *Israel at the Polls 2015 A Moment of Transformative Stability*. London: Routledge. [a]

3. Weimann, G. & **Weimann-Saks, D.**, (2014). "Urban Legends in Israeli Media", in Elias, N., Nimrod, G., Reich, Z., & Schejter., A (Editors). *Media in Transition*, Jerusalem: Tzivonim Publishing. (Hebrew). [a]

C. Articles in Refereed Journals

Published

1. Elishar-Malka, V., Ariel, Y. & **Weimann-Saks, D. (2023). Between the Homefront and the Battleground, Between Television and the Smartphone: Evaluating the Use of a Second Screen during Israel's Operation "Guardian of the Walls" Accepted for publication on *Mass Communication And Society*. [impact factor=3.309] Q1 (in Communication). [a]

2. **Weimann-Saks, D. (2022). Young adults searching for Health-Related Information on the Internet. *Asia Pacific Journal of Health Management*. [impact factor=0.49] Q3 (in Health Information Management). [c]

3. **Weimann-Saks, D., Elishar-Malka, V., Ariel, Y., & Weimann, G. (2022). Spreading online rumours during the COVID-19 pandemic: the role of users' knowledge, trust and emotions as predictors of the spreading patterns. *The Journal of International Communication*, 1-16. [Impact Factor=0.9] Q2 (in Communication). [a]

4. **Weimann-Saks, D. & Peleg-Koriat, & Halperin, E. (2022). Incremental beliefs and public attitudes toward restorative justice: the cases of sexual, violent and property offenses. *Journal of Offender Rehabilitation*, 61(4), 169-187. [impact factor=1.598] Q1 (in Law). [a]

5. Ariel, Y., Elishar-Malka, V., She, S., Wang, Q., **Weimann-Saks, D. (2022). #RumorsCOVID-19: predicting the forwarding of online rumors in Wuhan, China and in Israel. *International Communication Gazette* . [impact factor=1.859] Q1 (in Communication). [a]

6. **Weimann-Saks, D., Elishar-Malka, V. & Ariel, Y. (2022). The More I Open Up, the More You "Like" Me: Self-Disclosure and Intimacy Predict Engagement in Women's Facebook. *International Journal of Web Based Communities*. [impact factor=0.852] Q2 (in Communication). [a]

- *7. Peleg-Koriat, I, & **Weimann-Saks D.** (2021). The role of proneness to guilt and shame among people in custody in promoting restorative justice processes. *Criminal Justice and Behavior*, 48(7), 999-1017 [impact factor=2.168], Q1 (in Law), Q1 (in Psychology). [a]
- *8. Elishar-Malka, V. & Ariel, Y & **Weimann-Saks, D.** (2021). Migrating to social networks while watching televised sports: A case study of the effect of enjoyment on second screen usage during the World Cup. *International Journal of Sport Communication*, 1(aop), 1-13 [impact factor=0.789], Q2 (in Communication). [a]
- *9. Ariel, Y., Elishar-Malka, V. & **Weimann-Saks, D.** (2021), If you follow me, I might (mis) lead you: following prime ministerial candidates on social networks as a predictor of the public agenda during an election campaign. *The Agenda Setting Journal : Theory, Practice, Critique*. 5(2), 266-291. [no impact factor]. [a]
- *10. Gur, A., **Weimann Saks, D.**, & Stavi, L. (2021). Healthcare employee's personality traits and service quality: Do team relationships matter? *The Study of Organizations and Human Resource Management Quarterly*, 6(1) (Hebrew). [b]
- *11. Peleg-Koriat, I, **Weimann-Saks D.**, & Halperin E. (2020). The moderating role of psychological distance on the impact of malleability beliefs on public attitudes towards punishment. *Journal of Offender Rehabilitation*, 59(7), 416-432 [impact factor=1.598], Q1 (in Law). [a]
- *12. **Weimann-Saks, D.** & Peleg-Koriat, (2020). Promoting prisoners' positive attitudes towards participating in a restorative justice process: The effects of a victim awareness process. *Prison Journal*, 100(3), 381-398. [impact factor=1.067] Q1 (in Law), Q1 (in Social Science). [a]
- *13. She, S., Wang, Q., & **Weimann-Saks, D.** (2020). Correlation factors influencing terrorist attacks: political, social or economic? A study of terrorist events in 49 "Belt and Road" countries. *Quality & Quantity*, 54(1),125-146. [impact Factor = 1.02] Q1 (in Social Sciences). [a]
- *14. **Weimann-Saks D.** & Eliash H. (2020). Media images of anorexia: effects of moderate vs. extreme anorexia-related messages on young women. *Community Mental Health Journal*, 56, 823-829. [impact factor=1.54] Q2 (in Health (Social Science)). [b]
- *15. **Weimann-Saks, D.**, Peleg-Koriat, I. & Halperin, E. (2019). The effect of malleability beliefs and emotions on decision making. *Justice System Journal*, 1-18 [impact factor=0.538] Q1 (in Law). [a]
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E. Summary of my Activities and Future Plans

As a lawyer and social psychologist, I have focused my academic work on these two domains – law and psychology. At the beginning of my career as a researcher, most of my research work and publications centered on studying the effectiveness of persuasion tactics and interpersonal communication. My PhD thesis examined the use of a particular persuasion tactic called "Stealing the Thunder", as used in the legal process. I was the first to study this tactic in the Israeli legal system. The findings of my PhD research served for two additional publications: an article about the tactic's effectiveness and another article, in a leading journal of law, which examined a new persuasion tactic - "Stealing the Lightning". Later, as I joined the Department of Communications, I focused my research on the psychology of the media.

In 2012 I started a research project with Prof. Jonatan Cohen from Haifa University, and we received the Israel Science Foundation (ISF) grant for our study on narrative persuasion. In 2015, as part of the research project we organized an international Media and Psychology workshop, hosting leading experts in this field from all over the world. These days I am continuing this research project with my research partner, Dr. Mazor-Tregerman.

My research agenda is centered on several studies that combine psychological traits and measures and new media; these included studies on new media and the 2015-2021 elections, closed woman groups on social networks, the use of a second screen and its psychological impact on the experience of watching television, etc. In addition, I am conducting two main research projects with Dr. Peleg-Koriat, the Israel Prison Service and the Prisoner Rehabilitation Authority, on the innovative concept of restorative justice (RJ) procedure among inmates and ex-inmates. In the same vein, I am conducting a research project on emotions regulation in the legal process with Dr. Peleg-Koriat and Prof. Eran Halperin, a full professor of psychology at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Products from these projects have been published in highly reputable journals. Moreover, a research proposal in this field has been accepted and funded by the ISF foundation. In the proposed research, we intend to conduct six experimental studies to examine the hypothesis that malleability beliefs play an essential psychological role in shaping attitudes toward RJ among the parties to the process (offenders, victims, and community members), and even in predicting the effectiveness of RJ practices.

Additionally, the proposed research seeks to reveal the mechanism underlying the effect of belief in malleability on attitudes toward RJ, and the effectiveness of RJ practices, by examining the mediating effect of distinct emotions and possible boundary conditions.

Over the years, I have specialized in quantitative research methods and recently participated in an international workshop on mediation, moderation, and conditional process analysis under the direction of Prof. Andrew F. Hayes, one of the world's leading experts in this area.

In my work, I am trying to incorporate my studies and my teaching. This combination yielded over the years several new courses: psychology and law, communication psychology, persuasion and attitude change, a seminar on methods of persuasion and a new and original seminar called "Behind the Masks" on people and social networks. Moreover, in recent years I have tried to combine my research fields (social psychology, communication and healthcare). For example, my studies in the field of restorative justice connect the field of law with the field of psychology. The studies on the psychological aspects of social networks also combine psychology and communications. Moreover, In the field of research that combines communication and healthcare I studied the impact of searching medical information on the Internet from the psychological perspective. I also conducted research on the presentation of anorexia in the media and these days I am participating in research on COVID-19 and spreading rumors on social networks.

As to my teaching record: throughout the years as a lecturer, I was several times granted the Excellence Reward for teaching and my students' feedback ratings are among the highest in my college.

Finally, I have tried to use my work and findings for practical contribution to the community I live in and did so mainly by giving public lectures and talks on a voluntary basis. I lectured several times in the Moshav where I live to different populations (schoolchildren, adults and the village women's forum) and also gave lectures to "Enosh" organization, serving mentally ill people. I recently joined the "Halas-Sartan" Association, an association for young people recovering from cancer, where I serve as a facilitator for young recoverees. As a facilitator I contribute from my personal experience and professional knowledge I have as a social psychologist and participate in the empowerment circle for those recovering from cancer.

At present I am working on several major research projects: First, the implementation of the research funded by ISF on the subject of RJ in prisons and the role of the psychological trait - Belief in Malleability. Following the academic publications on RJ, we have recently started a research collaboration with the Prison Service's research unit in which we will investigate and advise on the introduction of RJ proceedings in Israeli prisons.

Second, I recently started a research project on 'Digital Phenotyping'-based profiling of diagnosed post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) patients. This project is conducted in collaboration with my colleagues, Prof. Yonathan Mizrahi, Dr. Anat Yaron-Antar and Dr. Liron Inchi. In the future we intend to submit an external research proposal to fund broader research that will also include data from mobile watches and other portable devices. Third, I continue with my colleagues in the Department of Communication to investigate psychological effects of media consumption in the age of new media and social networks. Currently, we have started a research project in collaboration with a German researcher (Dr. Julian Unkel) from the Department of Media and Communication, University of Munich. In this project, we study media consumption during the Russia-Ukraine war in Israel and Germany

and we intend to submit a research proposal to the GIF - The German Israeli Foundation.

In summary, as my record reveals, I am and will be applying the synergy of scientific disciplines, merging the areas of communication, criminology, and law with the bridging perspective of social psychology. I do believe that my background as psychologist and a lawyer as well as my methodological skills and especially the in the use of sophisticated statistical measures – provide the necessary theoretical and methodological assets for this direction.