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**Main Research Interest**

Behavioral and Experimental Economics, Economic Theory

**Education**The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

PhD Economics (supervisor: <a href="#">Menahem Yaari</a> )	1998
MA Economics (Summa Cum Laude, supervisor: <a href="#">Menahem Yaari</a> )	1991
BA Economics and Statistics (Summa Cum Laude)	1988

**Academic Employment**

<a href="#">University of Toronto</a>	Professor of Economics	2017-present
<a href="#">Hebrew University of Jerusalem</a>	Professor (part time)	2021-present
<a href="#">University of British Columbia</a>	Assistant, Associate and Full Professor	1999-2018;

**Visiting Positions**

<a href="#">University of Toronto</a>	7-12/2016;
<a href="#">University of California – Berkeley</a>	1-6/2016;
<a href="#">University of Melbourne, Australia</a>	3/2015;
<a href="#">Erasmus University, Rotterdam Netherlands</a>	2/2012;
<a href="#">University of Michigan - Ann Arbor</a>	8/2003-6/2004;
<a href="#">University of Pennsylvania</a>	8/1997-5/1999;
<a href="#">MIT</a> (visiting student)	1-5/1994;

**Refereed Publications**

- [Identifying Rule-Based Rationality](#) (with [Guy Mayraz](#)), *Review of Economics and Statistics* (2024), 106(5), 1369-1380.
- [Hard-to-Interpret Signals](#) (with [Larry Epstein](#)), *Journal of the European Economic Association* (2024), 22(1), 393-427.
- [Uncertainty and Compound Lotteries: Calibration](#) (with [Emre Ozdenoren](#)), *Economic Theory* (2022), 74, 373-395.
- [Randomize at your own risk: on the observability of ambiguity aversion](#) (with [Aurélien Baillon](#) and [Chen Li](#)), *Econometrica* (2022), 90 (3), 1085-1107.
- [Experimental Elicitation of Ambiguity Attitude using the Random Incentive System](#) (with [Aurélien Baillon](#) and [Chen Li](#)), *Experimental Economics* (2022), 25, 1002-1023.
- [The Relation between Behavior under Risk and over Time](#) (with [Anujit Chakraborty](#) and [Kota Saito](#)), *American Economic Review: Insights* (2020), 2 (1), 1-16.
- [Ambiguous Correlation](#) (with [Larry G. Epstein](#)), *Review of Economic Studies* (2019), 86 (2), 668-693.
- [Eliciting Risk Preferences using Choice Lists](#) (with [David Freeman](#) and [Terri Kneeland](#)), *Quantitative Economics* (2019), 10 (1), 217-237.

- [Parametric Recoverability of Preferences](#) (with [Dotan Persitz](#) and [Lanny Zrill](#)), *Journal of Political Economy* (2018), 126 (4), 1558-1593.
- [Non-Parametric Bounds for Non-Convex Preferences](#) (with [Dotan Persitz](#) and [Lanny Zrill](#)), *Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization* (2017), 137, 105-112.
- [External and Internal Consistency of Choices made in Convex Time Budgets](#) (with [Anujit Chakraborty](#), [Evan M. Calford](#), [Guidon Fenig](#)), *Experimental Economics* (2017), 20 (3), 687-706.
- [Time Consistency: Stationarity and Time Invariance](#), *Econometrica* (2015), 83 (1), 335-352.
- [Strotz meets Allais: Diminishing Impatience and the Certainty Effect](#), *American Economic Review* (2008) 98 (3), 1145-1162.
- [Ellsberg Revisited: An Experimental Study](#), *Econometrica* (2007) 75 (2), 503-536.
- [A Bayesian Approach to Uncertainty Aversion](#) (with [Vincent Feltkamp](#)), *Review of Economic Studies* (2005) 72 (2), 449-466.
- [The Possibility of Speculative Trade between Dynamically Consistent Agents](#), *Games and Economic Behavior* (2004) Vol. 46, No. 1, 189-198.
- [Shiftwork](#) (with [Joram Mayshar](#)), *Journal of Labor Economics* (1997), Vol. 15, No.1 pt.2, S198-S222.

## Working Papers

- [Piercing the ‘Payoff Function’ Veil: Tracing Beliefs and Motives](#) (with [Guidon Fenig](#) and [Giovanni Gallipoli](#)).
- [Magic Mirror on the Wall, who is the Smartest One of All?](#) (with [Johannes Hoelzemann](#) and [Terri Kneeland](#)).
- [Difficult Decisions](#) (with [David Walker-Jones](#) and [Lanny Zrill](#))
- [How Real is Hypothetical? A High-Stakes Test of the Allais Paradox](#) (with Uri Gneezy, Brian Hall, Theo Offerman and Jeroen van de Ven)
- [Diminishing Impatience: Disentangling Time Preference from Uncertain Lifetime](#) (inactive).

## Awards and Distinctions: Research

- [John Rea Prize \(2020\)](#): awarded every second year by the [Canadian Economic Association](#) to the Canadian economist with the best research record during the last five years ([writeup](#)).
- Economic Science Association World Meeting keynote lecture (2019).
- [American Economic Review](#) excellence in refereeing award (multiple years).
- [American Economic Review: Insights](#) excellence in refereeing award (2021).

## Awards and Distinctions (as student)

- Joseph Levy Postdoctoral Fellowship in Social Sciences while visiting [University of Pennsylvania Department of Economics](#) (1997/8).
- [Lady Davis Fellow](#) while being a visiting scholar at [MIT Department of Economics](#) (1994).
- J. David Blazouske Memorial Doctoral Fellowship (1991-1993, 1994/5).
- The Asseo Fellowship Fund, Hebrew University of Jerusalem (1989).
- The Knesset’s (Israel’s parliament) certificate of appreciation for outstanding academic achievements (1988/9).
- Golda Meir Fellow, Hebrew University of Jerusalem (1988/9).
- Rector’s Prize for Outstanding Students, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem (1986-1988).

## **PhD and Postdoctoral Students (main advisor)**

- [David Freeman](#) (graduated UBC 2013. First job: Simon Fraser University)
- [Terri Kneeland](#) (graduated UBC 2013. First job: University College London. Currently at University of Calgary)
- [Lanny Zrill](#) (graduated UBC 2015. First job: Langara College, HEC Montreal, currently at Carleton University)
- [Evan Calford](#) (graduated UBC 2016. First job: Purdue University, currently at Australian National University)
- [Guidon Fenig](#) (graduated UBC 2016. First job: University of Saskatchewan, currently at University of Ottawa)
- [Anujit Chakraborty](#) (graduated UBC 2017. First job: University of California – Davis)
- [Johannes Hoelzemann](#) (postdoc 2018-2022 at UofT. First job: University of Vienna)
- [En Hua Hu](#) (co-supervised with [Colin Stewart](#), graduated UofT 2024. First job: Postdoctoral Prize Research Fellow at Nuffield College, Oxford)
- [Stanton Hudja](#) (postdoc 2022-2024. First job: Illinois Institute of Technology)
- [Hugo Yi-Tsung Hsieh](#) (graduated UofT 2025)
- [Alex Ballyk](#) (graduated UofT 2025. First job: Postdoc at New York University)
- [Billur Gorgulu](#) (UofT, co-supervised with [Marcin Peski](#), **On the job market**)
- [Pegah Rahmani](#) (UofT, **On the job market**)
- Xiaoya Gao (UofT)
- Yehonatan Caspi (HUJI)
- Mattar Klein (HUJI, co-supervised with [Ori Heffetz](#))

## **PhD Students (committee member)**

- [Marc Duhamel](#) (2000, UBC. Main Advisor: [Charles Blackorby](#))
- [Kam Yu](#) (2003, UBC. Main advisor: [Erwin Diewert](#))
- [Jan Schneider](#) (2006, Finance UBC. Main advisors: [Alan Kraus](#) and [Adlai Fisher](#))
- [James Wright](#) (2016, Computer Science UBC. Main advisor: [Kevin Leyton-Brown](#))
- [Christopher Dobronyi](#) (2021, UofT. Main advisor: [Christian Gourioux](#))
- [David Walker-Jones](#) (2021, UofT. Main advisors: [Rahul Deb](#) and [Colin Stewart](#))
- Guy Ishai (HUJI. Main advisor: [Ori Heffetz](#). **On the job market**)
- Guy Yanay (HUJI. Main advisor: [Moses Shayo](#). **On the job market**)

## **Honours Undergraduates**

- [Sarah Rutherford](#) (2005)
- [Nicolas Della Penna](#) (2006)
- Jiada Kadachi Ye (2018)

## **Grants (>\$5K)**

- SSHRC Insight Development Grant (C\$74,162, 2019-2021, with Guidon Fenig).
- SSHRC Insight Grant (C\$175,852, 2019-2026 with Sabrina Deutsch-Salamon and Yuval Deutsch).

- SSHRC-Department of National Defence Research Initiative (C\$60,000, 2020-2022 with Sabrina Deutsch-Salamon and Yuval Deutsch).
- SSHRC Insight Development Grant (C\$41,000, 2018-2020, with Lanny Zrill).
- SSHRC Insight Grant (C\$171,150, 2017-2026).
- SSHRC Insight Development Grant (C\$55,249, 2014-2106, with Chloe Tergiman).
- CFI & BC Knowledge Development Fund (C\$92,690, 2013-2018, with Ryan Oprea and Chloe Tergiman).
- SSHRC Insight Grant (C\$243,370, 2012-2017).
- SSHRC Research Grant (C\$37,763 2003-2006, C\$66,073 2006-2009 with Research Time Stipend, C\$70,300 2009-2012).
- UBC Hampton Fund Research Grant (C\$6,460 2000-2001, C\$20,000 2002-2004, C\$5,000 2010-2011).

## **Other Academic Activities**

- Director of the [TEEL](#) (Toronto Experimental Economics Lab): 2017-
- Director of the [ELVSE](#) (Experimental Lab VSE): 2014-2018.
- Associate Editor [Journal of Economic Theory](#) (2021-)
- Associate Editor: [Quantitative Economics](#) (2015-2021)
- Associate Editor: [Econometrica](#) (2011-2014)
- Referee for various journals and grant agencies
- Promotion assessments for various universities
- [SSHRC](#) Standard Research Grant Adjudication Committee, 2010 competition year
- [SSHRC](#) Insight Grant Adjudication Committee, 2019, 2020 (chair), 2021 (chair), 2022 (chair) competition years.
- [Risk, Uncertainty and Decision \(RUD\)](#) Scientific Committee, 2010 -
- Bounded Rationality in Choice (BRIC) Scientific Committee, 2017 -
- Econometric Society North American Summer Meetings, 2019
- European Economic Association (EEA-ESEM) Program Committee, 2017, 2018
- Co-organizer of the [Canadian Economic Theory Conference](#) 2003, 2005, 2011, 2017
- Co-organizer of the Canadian Experimental and Behavioral Economics Study Group 2009, 2020
- Co-organizer of Workshop on Applications of Revealed Preference (WARP) 2020
- Member of: [American Economic Association](#), [Econometric Society](#), [Economic Science Association](#), [Canadian Economic Association](#)

## **Teaching Experience**

- Experimental Economics, undergraduate (Toronto, UBC)
- Behavioral Economics, undergraduate and MA (Toronto, Hebrew University)
- Behavioral and Experimental Economics for PhD (UBC, Berkeley, Toronto, Hebrew University)
- Microeconomics for PhD, first semester of first year (UBC and Michigan)
- Microeconomics for MA (UBC, Toronto)
- Advanced Microeconomics for undergraduates (UBC and Michigan)

- Intermediate Microeconomics for undergraduates (UBC, University of Pennsylvania, Hebrew University)
- Principles of Macroeconomics (University of Pennsylvania, Hebrew University)
- Introductory Econometrics (University of Pennsylvania)