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EDUCATION

- 09/2014-Present Ph.D. Student The Jackson School of International Studies
University of Washington Seattle, WA
- 10/2011-02/2014 M.A. in Politics and Government
M.A. Thesis: The Radicalization of The Likud Party 2005-2013
Ben-Gurion University, Beer-Sheva, Israel
- 10/2005-12/2008 B.A. in Political Science and Communications
Bar-Ilan University, Ramat-Gan, Israel

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Jan-August 2013 **Research Assistant**

Research project: The relationship between Israeli diplomatic representatives and Jewish communities in English-speaking countries; Lead: Dr.Nathan Aridan

Responsibilities: Reviewed protocols, analyzed and summarized data, archival research.

AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- 2015-2016 Carnegie Junior Research Fellow in the Space Security Initiative
- 2015-2016 Deborah and Doug Rosen Fellow, Stroum Center for Jewish Studies University of Washington
- 2014-2015 The Henry M. Jackson Doctoral Fellow, Jackson School of International Studies
- 2013-2014 The Begin Center Research Fellow on Nationalism and Liberalism, Jerusalem, Israel

Teaching Experience

- 09/2015-12/2015 **Teaching Assistant:** Introduction to Area Studies JSIS 594 (Graduate)
University of Washington Seattle Campus
- 2011-2013 **Teaching Assistant:** Introduction to Politics and Government (Undergraduate)
Introduction to Public Policy (Graduate)
Ben-Gurion University, Beer-Sheva, Israel

CONFERENCES

Panel presentation: "Political Parties: Change, Continuities and their Future" at the Graduate Conference in Political Science, International Relations & Public Policy, Hebrew University December 2013

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

Jan-Sep 2014 Professional Consultant (Deputy Director)

Israel's Government Press Office, Jerusalem, Israel

- Coordination and organization of press conferences
- tours and briefings for the foreign media
- Preparation of yearly budget and strategic work plan
- Escort for foreign delegations during official visits (Pope Francis, Germany Chancellor Angela Merkel, UK Prime Minister David Cameron)

2011-2013 News Editor\Desk Reporter,

Ha'aretz Newspaper, Tel-Aviv, Israel

- Rewrite and edit news content about politics and world news: Columns, commentary and features; Working on 6 pieces a day, on average, for the website and print edition.
- Perform live transcriptions of speeches and press conferences.
- Social media: Post teaser statuses featuring the 15 most read stories, create the daily newsletter and send news alerts to smartphone users.

2013-2014 Consulting Editor and Translator

openGlobalRights on openDemocracy (E-zine)

- Edit op-eds about human rights issues in Israel - sources of funding for human rights NGOs, the dynamic between religion and human rights and the impact of international law.
- Identify and reach out to professionals and experts enriching discourse in these areas.

2009-2011 Israel Programs Coordinator

Hillel at UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, USA

- Supervised, educated and mentored student groups and leaders
- Organized events and speaking engagements with academic departments and other organizations
- Wrote grant proposals for specific events and ongoing initiatives
- Participated in and led attendees at policy conferences (Jstreet/Aipac/Israel 2020)

2007-2009 Media Monitor/On-Call Field Reporter

Ynet News, Tel Aviv, Israel

- Tracked, collected and analyzed information in electronic, broadcast and traditional media from domestic and foreign news outlets.

2000-2003 Company Sergeant

Israel Defense Forces

- Commanded and trained 140 soldiers and oversaw their operational duties and logistics.

LANGUAGES

Hebrew – Native

English –Fluent

Hungarian – Basic Command

Spanish – Basic Command