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Academic Positions

Lecturer (assistant professor), Division of Governance and Political Theory, School of Political Science, University of Haifa (2018 –)

Postdoctoral Fellow, The Munk School of Global Affairs and Department of Political Science, University of Toronto, 2017–2018

Education

Ph.D. Political Science, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 2018

Dissertation topic: “Formative experiences and their political consequences: The role of generations in the explanation of political behavior”

Committee: Prof. Orit Kedar and Prof. Michael Shalev (chairs), Prof. Michal Shamir, Prof. Martin Kroh

M.A. Political Science (*Magna Cum Laude*), Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 2011

B.A. Psychology and Political Science (*Summa Cum Laude*), University of Haifa, 2007

Additional Training

Factorial survey designs led by Prof. Thomas Hinz, Haifa, 2018

Leuven-Montréal Winter School on Elections and Voting Behavior, Montréal, 2016

Bayesian workshop led by Prof. David Kaplan, Jerusalem, 2012

Multivariate Statistical Analysis, ECPR Summer School, Ljubljana, 2011

Research Interests

Political Behavior; Comparative Politics; Electoral Politics; Gender and Politics

Publications

Kedar, Orit, **Liran Harsgor** and Or Tuttnauer. “Permissibility of Electoral Systems: A New Look at an Old Question” Conditionally accepted, *Journal of Politics*

Harsgor, Liran. 2018. “The Partisan Gender Gap in the United States: A Generational Replacement?” *Public Opinion Quarterly*, 82(2): 231-251.

Eizenberg, Raz A. and **Liran Harsgor**. 2017. "Apples and Oranges: Putting Electoral Thresholds in Context". In *The Elections in Israel 2015*, Michal Shamir and Gideon Rahat (eds.), New Brunswick: Transaction Publishers, p. 47-69.

Kedar, Orit, **Liran Harsgor** and Raz A. Sheinerman. 2016. "Are Voters Equal Under Proportional Representation?" *American Journal of Political Science*, 60(3): 676-691.

Harsgor, Liran, Reut Itzkovich Malka and Odelia Oshri. "Politics of Recognition and Redistribution: The Effect of Feminist Consciousness on Vote Choice" (Forthcoming in a Van-Leer refereed collection, in Hebrew)

Working Papers

"(In)Security during Formative Years: Long-Term Cohort Effects on Political Attitudes"

"Constitutive Events and Cohort Cohesiveness: An Empirical Approach" (with Kaat Smets)

"Generational Polarization: Assessing the Effect of Cohort and Party on Attitudes toward Foreign Policy" (with Amnon Cavari and Shlomo Egoz)

"Leader Evaluations, Party Identification and Turnout" (with Neil Nevitte)

Work in Progress

"Representational Deficit and the Crisis of Democracy: Subjective Perceptions versus Ideological Congruence" (with Liron Lavi and Michal Shamir)

"Centripetal and Centrifugal Pressures in Coalition-Directed Voting" (with Reut Itzkovich Malka and Or Tuttnauer)

"The Gender Gap in Voting for Populist Parties: Extremism and Risk Aversion" (with Odelia Oshri, Reut Itzkovich Malka and Or Tuttnauer)

Awards and Honors

The Lawrence Longley Award for the best article on representation and electoral systems, given by the APSA Representation and Electoral Systems Section, 2017

The Best Paper Award, the 12th Annual Graduate Conference in Political Science, International Relations and Public Policy, Hebrew University, 2016

The 2nd Victor D'Hondt Prize for the best paper presented at the Leuven-Montréal Winter School on Elections and Voting Behavior, Université de Montréal, 2016

Tal Foundation Best Paper Award, Department of Political Science, Hebrew University, 2015

Glick Award for outstanding Master's thesis, Department of Political Science, Hebrew University, 2012

Fellowships and Grants

Postdoctoral Fellowship for women researchers, Hebrew University, 2017-2018

The Leonard Davis Institute for International Relations, Postdoctoral Fellow, Hebrew University, 2017-2018 (declined)

The President Fellowship for excelling PhD students, Hebrew University, 2013-2017

The Levi Eshkol Institute for Social, Economic and Political Research in Israel Fellowship for outstanding doctoral students, Hebrew University, 2012-2013

Pratt Fellowship, Department of Political Science, Hebrew University, 2011

Travel grant for participating in the ECPR Summer School, Department of Political Science, Hebrew University, 2011

A grant for academic distinction, the German Friends of The Hebrew University, 2010

Rector's Fellowship for excelling Master's students, Faculty of Social Sciences, Hebrew University, 2007-2009

An excellence scholarship for BA students, University of Haifa, 2005

Teaching

Israeli Politics (Undergraduate)

Elections and Voting Behavior (Undergraduate)

Research Methods workshop (Graduate)

Professional Activities

Reviewer,

American Journal of Political Science; American Political Science Review; European Political Science Review; Journal of Elections, Public Opinion and Parties; Politics and Gender; Political Studies

Member,

European Political Science Association; European Consortium for Political Research; Midwest Political Science Association; The Israeli Political Science Association

Researcher in the "Gender and Politics: Gender Gap in Voting Patterns" project, Van-Leer Institute in Jerusalem, 2012-2014

Discussant and panel chair, MPSA annual conference, Chicago, 2018

Panel chair, the Israel Political Science Association annual conference, Jerusalem, 2016

Initiator and co-organizer of the Annual Political Science Doctoral Conferences, Hebrew University, 2016

Founder and editor-in-chief of *Politon*, students' journal of the department of political

science, Hebrew University, 2012-2014

Co-founder and co-coordinator of *Chevruta* discussion group on "Quantitative Methods in Social Science", Hebrew University, 2011-2013

Selected Presentations

“Representational Deficit and the Crisis of Democracy: Subjective Perceptions versus Ideological Congruence” Scheduled for the ECPR annual conference, Wrocław, 2019

“Generational Polarization: Assessing the Effect of Cohort and Party on Attitudes toward Foreign Policy” Presented at the Israel Political Science Association annual conference, 2019

“Do Party Leaders Matter? The Effect of Parties and Leaders Evaluations on Turnout” Presented at the MPSA annual conference, Chicago, 2018

“(In)Security during Formative Years: Long-Term Cohort Effects on Political Attitudes” Presented at the EPSA annual conference, Milan, 2017; the Research Chair in Electoral Studies seminar, Université de Montréal, 2017; and at the Toronto Political Behavior Workshop, University of Toronto, 2017.

“The Partisan Gender Gap in the US: A Generational Replacement?” Presented at the EPSA annual conference, Brussels, 2016; and at the Centre for the Study of Democratic Citizenship (CSDC), McGill University, 2017.

“Replication and Data Research Transparency in Social Sciences (DA-RT)” Presented in several forums at the Hebrew University, Jerusalem, 2016. (with Noam Gal and Odelia Oshri)

“Explaining Attitudes toward the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict: The Role of Past and Current Experiences” Presented at the Israel Political Science Association annual conference, Jerusalem, 2016

“The Transformation of the Electoral Gender Gap: The Role of Generational Replacement” Presented at the European Conference on Politics and Gender, Uppsala, Sweden, 2015

“The Electoral Gender Gap: A Generational Perspective” Presented at the ECPR general conference, Bordeaux, France, 2013

“When Gender and Generation Gaps Meet: The Electoral Gender Gap from a Generational Perspective” Presented at the ISPP Annual Meeting, IDC Herzeliya, Israel, 2013

“Are Voters Equal under Proportional Representation?” Presented with co-author Raz Sheinerman at the Israel Political Science Association annual conference, Jerusalem, 2013

Languages

Hebrew (native), English (fluent)

Personal

Born on September 6, 1982, Israel

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