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(a) Professional Preparation

Tel-Aviv University, Tel-Aviv	Physics	B.Sc.	1988
Technion - Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa	Physics	M.Sc.	1994
Technion - Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa	Physics	Ph.D.	1998
Postdoctoral: U. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	Quantum Physics	1999 -	2001
Postdoctoral: Weizmann Institute of Science	Biological Physics	2002 -	2004

(b) Appointments

2021 - present	Professor, Department of Chemical Physics, Weizmann Institute of Science
2012 – 2013	Mayent-Rothschild Visiting Professor, Institute Curie, Paris; CNRS Visiting Professor, Institute Néel, Grenoble, France
2009 - 2021	Associate Professor, Department of Chemical Physics, Weizmann Institute of Science
2004 - 2009	Assistant Professor, Department of Chemical Physics, Weizmann Institute of Science

(c) Synergistic Activities

- Diversity: Head of the Board of Studies of the Faculty of Chemistry (2011 to 2014), promoting diversity and successful integration of students of all genders and backgrounds.
- Organizer and chair in international conferences:
“7th World Congress of Biomechanics” (Boston, U.S.A. July 6 to 11, 2014), “Physics of Biological Membranes and Cell Shapes” (International Institute of Physics, Natal, Brazil 6-10 December 2010), “6th World Congress on Biomechanics” (Singapore 1-6 August 2010), “Physics of Biological Matter, Safed Summer Workshop” (Research Workshop of the Israeli Science Foundation, Tzfat, Israel 2-7 September 2007), “3rd Curie-Weizmann Symposium - At the Interface of Physics and Biology” (Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel 7-11 September 2008)
- Organizer of international scientific schools for students:
“Weizmann Institute of Science Summer School: Introduction to Biological Physics for Students of Science and Engineering” (Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel October 7 to 11, 2018)
- Editorial member of scientific journals: PLoS Computational Biology, BMC Biophysics, Frontiers Cell and Developmental Biology, Physical Biology, Advances in Planar Lipid Bilayers and Liposomes.
- Reviewer for 15 scientific journals and for several funding agencies, including grant reviewing committees: BSF (U.S.-Israel Binational Science Foundation), ERC (European Research Council), ISF (Israel Science Foundation), Agence Nationale de la Recherche, Fonds de la Recherche Scientifique (FNRS) and others.