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Citizenship: Italian and Israeli, U.S. Permanent Resident

Education:

Ph.D., Economics, Yale University, 2017
M.Phil., Economics, Yale University, 2014
M.A., Economics, Yale University, 2013
M.A., Economics (*summa cum laude*), Tel-Aviv University, 2009
B.A., Computer Science and Biology (*magna cum laude*), Tel-Aviv University, 2003

Employment

Assistant Professor of Economics, Carleton College 2017-Present

Fields of Concentration:

Primary: Macro-Finance
Secondary: Computational Economics, Behavioral Finance

Teaching:

Macroeconomics
Financial Crises
Financial Economics
Computational Economics

Publications:

“Tracking Decision Makers under Uncertainty” (2011) with Ariel Rubinstein and Amos Arieli, *American Economic Journal: Microeconomics*, 3(4): 68–76.

Working Papers:

“Banking Crises as Self-Defeating Prophecies”

“Walrasian Economies with Debt: Leverage Causes Multiplicity” with John Geanakoplos.

“Doom Triangles: Sovereign-Banking-Corporate Crises as Endogenous Leverage Disasters”
with John Geanakoplos.

Referee Service:

Journal of Economic Behavior and Organization, Journal of Economic Education, Economic Journal, Agricultural Economics

Fellowships, Honors and Awards:

Carl Avid Anderson Prize Fellowship in Economics, Yale University, 2015-2016

University Dissertation Fellowship, Yale University, 2016-2017

Lester Page Hoole Scholarship Fund Fellowship, Yale University, 2014-2015

Cowles Foundation Fellowship, Yale University, 2011-2015

Yale University Doctoral Fellowship, 2011-2016

Berglas School of Economics Prize for best master’s thesis, 2010

Award for Excellence in M.A. studies, Tel-Aviv University, 2008-2009

Alfred Akirov Honor Fellowship, Tel-Aviv University, 2006-2008

Teaching Experience:

Assistant Professor of Economics, Carleton College:

Principles of Macroeconomics, 2017-2018

Intermediate Macro Theory, 2017-2018

Teaching Fellow, Yale University:

Introductory Macroeconomics (instructor: Aleh Tsyvinski), 2016

Honors Macroeconomic Theory (instructor: Anthony A. Smith, Jr.), 2015

Financial Theory (instructor: John Geanakoplos), 2014

Intermediate Macro (instructor: Giuseppe Moscarini), 2014

Ph.D Macroeconomics I (instructor: Eduardo M.R.A. Engel), 2013

Instructor, NYU in Tel-Aviv:

Intermediate Macro, 2011

Teaching Assistant, Tel-Aviv University:

Graduate Macro Theory (instructor: Zvi Hercowitz), 2011

Intermediate Macro (instructor: Leonardo Leiderman), 2007, 2011

Graduate Financial Crisis (instructor: Daniel Tsiddon), 2009, 2010

Introduction to Economics (instructor: adjacent faculty), 2010

Graduate Topics in Macroeconomics (instructor: Zvi Hercowitz), 2007, 2008, 2009

Graduate Macro Theory (instructor: Daniel Tsiddon), 2008

Languages:

English (fluent), Hebrew (native)

References:

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