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Education Simon Business School at University of Rochester (Rochester, NY)
Ph.D. Finance (2017)

Simon Business School at University of Rochester (Rochester, NY)
M.S.B.A. Finance (2013)

Recanati School of Business at Tel-Aviv University (Tel-Aviv, Israel)
M.B.A. Finance (2006)

Department of Computer Science at Technion (Haifa, Israel)
M.Sc. Computer Science (2002)

Department of Computer Science at Technion (Haifa, Israel)
B.A. Computer Science (2000)

Publications “*WSJ Category Kings - the impact of media attention on consumer and mutual fund investment decisions*” with Ron Kaniel
Journal of Financial Economics (2017), 123(2), 337-356

“*Fitting the errors-in-variables model using high-order cumulants and moments*”
with Timothy Erickson and Toni M. Whited
Stata Journal (2017), 17(1), 116-129

Working Papers “*Learning firm policies*”, with D. Bowen and M. Velikov
“*The dead-weight cost of the Bitcoin network*”
“*Knowledge constraints and firm growth*”
“*Searching Google for patent values*”

Media Mentions voxeu.org “*Media attention and investment decisions*”, (2016)

Teaching *University of Virginia:*
2017 Intermediate Corporate Finance

University of Rochester:
2013 Corporate Finance
2012 Mathematical Techniques in Economics

Presentations 2017 Arizona State U, Nanyang Technological U, U of Melbourne, U of Virginia (McIntire)
2016 American Finance Association, European Financial Management Association, Fordham U
2015 American Economic Association

Other professional experience IBM Corp., XIV Storage Division (Tel-Aviv, Israel)
Senior Product Manager (2009-2010)

Microsoft Corp., Israel R&D Center (Haifa, Israel)
Program and Project Manager (2006-2008)

Israel Defense Force, Intelligence Corps (Tel-Aviv, Israel)
Captain ; Researcher and head of the cyber-security academy (2000-2005)

Awards and Honors University of Rochester graduate fellowship
The Israeli Director of National Intelligence award for creative thinking
The Technion excellence fellowship

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Languages: Hebrew, English, Spanish, Farsi