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Curriculum Vitae

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Education:

1998	B.Sc.	Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel. (Computer Science and Physics)
2006	Ph.D.	School of Computer Science & Engineering Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel (Machine learning, computational biology)

Postgraduate Training and Fellowship Appointments:

2006-2009	Postdoc, Department of Computer Science, Centre for Cellular and Biomolecular Research, University of Toronto, Advisors: Prof. Brendan Frey, Prof. Ben Blencowe
2009-2011	Senior Research Fellow, University of Toronto

Military Service:

1991-1995	Army Officer (Major), Chief of an operational wing in an air force unit, Commanding officer in a paratroops reconnaissance unit, An infantry officer instructor in the Officer's Academy Israel Defense Forces
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Faculty Appointments:

2012-2018	Assistant Professor of Genetics, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine
2012-2018	Assistant Professor of Computer and Information Science (Secondary), University of Pennsylvania School of Engineering
2018-present	Associate Professor of Genetics, University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine
2018-present	Associate Professor of Computer and Information Science (Secondary), University of Pennsylvania School of Engineering

Hospital and/or Administrative Appointments:

[none]

Other Appointments:

1997-1998	Algorithm and software developer - Java programming, netPost(TM) Inc
2002	Microarray gene expression analysis (joint research), Functional Genomics Unit, Tel Hashomer Hospital

Specialty Certification:

[none]

Licensure:

[none]

Awards, Honors and Membership in Honorary Societies:

1997	Dean's List for undergraduate achievements, Faculty of Science, Hebrew University
1998	Graduated Cum Laude Magna, Hebrew University
2000	Leibniz award for M.Sc. research study, Hebrew University
2002-2004	Levi Eshkol fellowship recipient, Israeli Ministry of Science
2002	Best poster award, the Annual Israeli Bioinformatics Symposium
2005	Best scientific poster award, Hebrew University
2006-2007	Charles H. Best postdoctoral fellowship recipient, University of Toronto
2010	Lap-Chee Tsui Publication Award (Biomedical Research), Canadian Institutes of Health Research

Memberships in Professional and Scientific Societies and Other Professional Activities:International:

2014	Fondation pour la Recherche Médicale (France) (Ad Hoc Grant Reviewer)
2017-2020	Israeli Science Foundation (ISF) (Ad Hoc Grant Reviewer)
2018	Prostate Cancer UK (Ad Hoc Grant Reviewer)

National:

2016	National Science Foundation (Ad Hoc Grant Reviewer)
2018-2021	National Institute of Health (Ad Hoc Grant Reviewer)
2019	American Heart Association (Ad Hoc Grant Reviewer)

Editorial Positions:

2003-Present	Reviewer, Bioinformatics
2003	Reviewer, Journal of Bioinformatics and Computational Biology

2004-Present	International Conference on Intelligent Systems for Molecular Biology (ISMB)
2005-2006	Reviewer, International Conference on Computational Molecular Biology (RECOMB)
2008	Reviewer, Genes and Development
2008	Reviewer, Nature
2008	Reviewer, Journal of Machine Learning Research (JMLR)
2010-Present	Reviewer, Nucleic Acid Research (NAR)
2010	BMC Bioinformatics
2010-2017	Reviewer, Nature Methods
2010-Present	Reviewer, Genome Biology
2011-2016	Reviewer, PLoS Computational Biology
2012-Present	International Conference for Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS)
2012	Reviewer, BMC Genomics
2014	Reviewer, RNA
2014-2020	Reviewer, Cell Reports
2014	Reviewer, Human Molecular Genetics
2015-Present	Reviewer, eLife
2016	Reviewer Human Genetics
2016-Present	Reviewer, Nature Communications
2017-Present	International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR)
2017	Reviewer, BMC Medical Genomics
2017-Present	International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML)
2018	Reviewer, Nature Communications Biology
2018	Reviewer, Nature Biotechnology
2018-2020	Reviewer, Genetics in Medicine
2021	Reviewer, Genetics
2021	Frontiers

Academic and Institutional Committees:

[none]

Major Academic and Clinical Teaching Responsibilities:

2000-2002	Teaching Assistant (frontal), Data Structures, Algorithms, Java OOD Programming, Hebrew University
2002	Teaching Assistant (frontal), Information Theory Course, Hebrew University
2002-2005	Student Supervisor, Hebrew University

Supervised numerous undergraduates in their final computational biology (CSLS) projects. Several of these (Noa Shefi, Gali Niv and Omri Peleg) later extended their work to M.Sc. and Ph.D. research in Computational Biology and machine learning.

2002	Project for programming skills improvement, Hebrew University Initiated, in conjunction with Prof. Danny Dolev, head of the CSE school at the Hebrew University, a project to update the curriculum for B.Sc. in CS. Aiming to improve the level of programming skills, we researched the curriculum in other leading universities in the U.S. and interviewed academy and industry figures. Conclusions from this project were adopted in following years.
2003	Teaching Assistant (frontal), Programming Lab, OOD, STL, C++-, Hebrew University
2004-2005	Lecturer, Introduction to Computational Biology Course, Hebrew University
2008-2011	Student Supervisor, University of Toronto: PhD students Hui Xiong, Boyko Kakradov in the PSI lab
2012	Independent Study for students and postdocs - Gabe Otte, Alon Witztum, Axel Bernal
2012	"Predictive Modeling for Splicing", Children Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA
2014-Present	Lecturer, GCB 752 Seminar in Genomics
2014-Present	Mentor rotation students, undergrads, and high school interns (total 17) - Alex Amile Wolf, Matt Paul, Scott Norton, Caleb Radens, Qin Zhu, Osvaldo Rivera, David Lee, David Wang, Joseph Aicher, Lev Litchevski, Kevin Yang, Raehoon Jeong, Nick Page, William Wu, Lev Litichevskiy, Moein Elzubier, Viviana Perry
2014-Present	Mentor PhD Students and postdoc (total 15) - Anupama Jha, Scott Norton, Caleb Radens, Osvaldo Rivera, David Lee, Joseph Aicher, David Wang, Matthew Gazzara, Mathieu Quesnel-Vallieres, Barry Slaff, Deependra Singh, Kevin Yang, Di Wu, Farica Zhuang, Danielle Gutman
2015-2019	Course co-director, lecturer, GCB 537 Advanced Computational Biology
2016	Lecture, UPenn Math Bio Seminar "Modeling RNA local splicing variations from large heterogeneous datasets"
2016	Lecture, PICS Symposium, "Big Data for RNA processing - From computational modeling through the wet lab to patients"
2016	Guest class moderator, CAMB 608 "Advanced discussions of eukaryotic gene regulation"
2016	Organizer/Director, CIS 701 "Topics in Deep Learning"
2017	Penn RNA Group RNA-Seq analysis Workshop organizer/presenter
2018	Organizer/Director CIS 800 course "Peeking into the black box of Deep Learning models"
2019-Present	Lecturer, GCB 533 Statistics for Genomics and Biomedical Informatics

Lectures by Invitation (Last 5 years):

- Jul, 2016 "Predictive models for RNA splicing regulation - the next generation", SINGARNA Meeting, Singapore
- Sep, 2016 "Integrating Big Data for RNA processing - From computational modeling, through the wet lab, to patients", Festival Of Genomics, San Diego, CA
- Nov, 2016 "Integrating Big Data for RNA processing - From computational modeling, through the wet lab, to patients", Rush Medical Center, Chicago, IL
- Apr, 2017 "Integrating Big Data for RNA processing - From computational modeling, through the wet lab, to patients", RNA-Seq Conference, San Francisco, CA
- Apr, 2017 "Detection, quantification, and visualization of splicing variations from RNA-Seq data", RNA-Seq Workshop, San Francisco, CA
- Jul, 2017 "Outlier detection for improved differential splicing quantification from RNA-Seq experiments with replicates", 25th International Conference on Intelligent Systems in Molecular Biology (ISMB), Prague, Czech Republic
- Oct, 2017 "Alternative Splicing and Disease: Why should we care and what can we do about it", Pfizer Inc., Boston, US
- Oct, 2017 "Big data, small data: Getting from genotype to phenotype through transcriptome variations identification, prediction, and design", BioGen Inc., Boston, US
- Oct, 2017 "Building a new view of Transcriptome Variations", Microsoft Research Symposium on Computational Aspects of Biological Information (CABI), Boston, US
- Feb, 2018 "Big data, small data: Getting from genotype to phenotype through transcriptome variations identification, prediction, and design", 3rd Annual NGS data analysis & informatics, San Diego, CA, USA
- May, 2018 "Computational modeling of alternative splicing - applications for the study of gene regulation and disease", Department of Molecular Genetics Seminar Series, UC Irvine Medical School, Irvine, CA, USA
- Oct, 2018 "Big RNA Splicing Data for studying human disease - Challenges, advancements, and lessons learned", Penn State Medical School, USA
- Nov, 2018 "Big RNA Splicing Data for studying human disease: Challenges, advancements, and lessons learned", EMBL-EBI Industry Programme workshop, Boston, USA
- Dec, 2018 "Big RNA Splicing Data for studying human disease: Challenges, advancements, and lessons learned", Hebrew University, Israel
- Dec, 2018 "Big RNA Splicing Data for studying human disease: Challenges, advancements, and lessons learned", Tel Aviv University, Israel
- Dec, 2018 "Big RNA Splicing Data for studying human disease: Challenges, advancements, and lessons learned", Weizmann Institute, Israel

Mar, 2019	"Big data, small data: Getting from genotype to phenotype through transcriptome variations identification and prediction", Stanford, USA
Sep, 2019	"Using RNA-seq to map transcriptome variations for disease studies and clinical diagnosis", The 20th Annual Ribo-Club meeting, Quebec, Canada
Sep, 2019	"A tale of two tales: Using RNASeq to map transcriptome variations for disease studies & What do air fights have to do with G-Quads?", The Crick Institute, London, UK
Nov, 2019	"Modeling RNA Splicing - from 'Big Data' RNASeq quantifications to interpreting predictive deep learning models", Northeastern University, Boston, USA
Nov, 2019	"Using RNA-seq to map transcriptome variations for disease studies and clinical diagnosis", Pfizer, Boston
Dec, 2019	"Modeling RNA Splicing - from 'Big Data' RNASeq quantifications to interpreting predictive deep learning models", UCLA, USA
Jan, 2020	"Big data, small data: studying human disease through the lense of RNA Splicing", McGill University Meeting on Clinical implementation of Genomics and Epigenomics, Barbados, 2020
Nov, 2020	"Tools and evaluation for RNA-seq splicing quantification for suspected Mendelian disorders across tissues", Kaiser Permanente, USA (virtual)
Nov, 2020	"Tools and evaluation for RNA-seq splicing quantification for suspected Mendelian disorders across tissues", Boston Children's Hospital, Boston, USA (virtual)
Jan, 2021	"RNA Splicing analysis - How to get the signal out of the noise?" Universität Stuttgart, Germany (virtual)
Feb, 2021	"RNA Splicing analysis - How to get the signal out of the noise?" Arrakis Therapeutics, Boston, USA (virtual)
Oct, 2021	"Tools and evaluation for RNA-seq splicing quantification for suspected Mendelian disorders across tissues", Murdoch Children's Research Institute, University of Melbourne, Australia (virtual)

Organizing Roles in Scientific Meetings:

Jul, 2011	Co-organizer, 8th SIG Meeting on Alternative Splicing Vienna, Austria
Jul, 2012	Co-organizer, 9th SIG Meeting on Alternative Splicing Long Beach, CA
Jul, 2013	Co-organizer, 10th SIG Meeting on Integrative RNA Analysis and Disease Berlin, Germany
Apr, 2014	Session Chair, 5th International Conference on Visualizing Biological Data (VIZBI) EMBL, Heidelberg, Germany

- Jul, 2014 Co-organizer, 11th SIG Meeting on Integrative RNA Analysis and Disease
Boston, MA
- Jul, 2015 Co-organizer, 12th SIG Meeting on Integrative RNA Analysis and Disease
Dublin, Ireland
- Jun, 2016 Co-organizer, Workshop on computational methods for RNA data analysis, International RNA Society Meeting
Kyoto, Japan
- Jul, 2016 Co-organizer, 13th SIG Meeting on Integrative RNA Analysis and Disease
Orlando, Florida
- Jul, 2017 Co-organizer, 14th SIG Meeting on RNA at the International Conference on Intelligent Systems in Molecular Biology (ISMB)
Prague, Czech Republic
- Mar, 2018 Session Chair, 9th International Conference on Visualizing Biological Data (VIZBI)
The Broad Institute, Boston, USA
- Jul, 2018 Co-organizer, 15th Meeting on Integrative RNA Biology (iRNA) at the International Conference on Intelligent Systems in Molecular Biology (ISMB), Chicago, USA
- Jun, 2019 Workshop on Computational Methods for RNA data analysis, International RNA Society Meeting.
Krakow, Poland
- Jul, 2019 Co-organizer, 16th Meeting on Integrative RNA Biology (iRNA) at the International Conference on Intelligent Systems in Molecular Biology (ISMB), Basel, Switzerland
- Nov, 2019 Co-organizer, 3rd Meeting on RNA Informatics
Wellcome Genome Campus, Cambridge, UK
- Jul, 2020 Co-organizer, 17th Meeting on Integrative RNA Biology (iRNA) at the International Conference on Intelligent Systems in Molecular Biology (ISMB) – Virtual
- June, 2021 APAeval Community Challenge and Computational Workshop at the RNA Society Meeting 2021 - Virtual
- July, 2021 Co-organizer, 18th Meeting on Integrative RNA Biology (iRNA) at the International Conference on Intelligent Systems in Molecular Biology (ISMB) – Virtual
- June, 2022 APAeval Community Challenge (Results) at the RNA Society Meeting 2022
- July, 2022 Co-organizer, 19th Meeting on Integrative RNA Biology (iRNA) at the International Conference on Intelligent Systems in Molecular Biology (ISMB)

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2. Barash, Yoseph, Bejerano, Gill, Friedman, Nir: A Simple Hyper-Geometric Approach for Discovering Putative Transcription Factor Binding Sites. Algorithms in Bioinformatics. Springer Berlin / Heidelberg, 2149: 278-293, 2001.
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8. Barash, Y., Elidan, G., Kaplan, T., Friedman, N.: CIS: compound importance sampling method for protein-DNA binding site p-value estimation. Bioinformatics 21(5): 596-600, 2005.
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13. Xiong, Hui Yuan*, Barash, Yoseph*, Frey, Brendan J.: Bayesian prediction of tissue-regulated splicing using RNA sequence and cellular context. Bioinformatics 27(18): 2554-2562, 2011.
14. Yoseph Barash, Jorge Vaquero-Garcia, Juan González-Vallinas, Hui Yuan Xiong, Weijun Gao, Leo J Lee and Brendan J Frey: AVISPA: a web tool for the prediction and analysis of alternative splicing. Genome Biology 14(10), 2013
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