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EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor of Finance, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, July 2011 – present

Lecturer, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, July 2010 – July 2011

EDUCATION

Stanford University, Graduate School of Business, Stanford, CA

Ph.D. in Finance, January 2011

Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel

M.A in Financial Economics, Summa Cum Laude, 2006

B.Sc in Computer Science and Economics, Magna Cum Laude, 2004

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Corporate Finance Theory, Corporate Governance, Mergers and Acquisitions

PUBLICATIONS

- 1. "Non-Binding Voting For Shareholder Proposals", with Nadya Malenko, *Journal of Finance*, 66(5), 1579-1614, October 2011
- 2. "The Labor Market for Directors and Externalities in Corporate Governance", with Nadya Malenko (forthcoming, *Journal of Finance*)

WORKING PAPERS

- 3. "Advising Shareholders in Takeovers" (R&R, *Journal of Financial Economics*)
- 4. "Expertise, Structure, and Reputation of Corporate Boards"
- 5. "Soft Shareholder Activism"
- 6. "Governance and Comovement Under Common Ownership", with Alex Edmans and Devin Reilly
- 7. "Governing through Intervention and Communication"

INVITED TALKS

2014 - GSU Risk and control conference, SFS Finance Cavalcade 2014, FIRS 2014, WFA 2013, AFA 2014, LBS, LSE, IDC, Ackerman Conference on Corporate Governance

2013 - Ninth Annual NYU / Penn Conference on Law & Finance, SFS Finance Cavalcade 2013, EFA 2013, NFA 2013, INSEAD, 2013 Five-Star Conference on Research in Finance

2012 -Summer Finance Conference IDC, EFA 2012, NFA 2012, Finance Theory Group Seventh Meeting, Chicago-Minnesota Theory Conference 2012, Annual Conference on Corporate Finance 2011 Olin Business School, UNC Roundtable

2011 -Binghamton University Annual Conference on Corporate Finance 2011 Olin Business School

2010 - Berkeley Hass, Wharton, Chicago Booth, MIT Sloan, Kellogg, NYU Stern, Oxford Said, UNC Kenan-Flagler, Washington University in St. Louis Olin.

2009 - Tel Aviv University, Hebrew University of Jerusalem (Economics department), Hebrew University of Jerusalem (Business school)

HONORS, AWARDS

Stanford GSB Fellowship, 2006-2010

UBC Finance Summer Conference - Distinguished PhD Student, 2009

Participant NBER Entrepreneurship Research Boot Camp, 2008

Solomon Fund Scholarship, 2006

Outstanding (Graduate) Academic Achievement award, Hebrew University,

School of Business and Administration, 2006

Outstanding (Graduate) Academic Achievement Scholarship, Hebrew University Department of Economics, 2005-2006

Outstanding (Undergraduate) Academic Achievement Scholarship, Hebrew University Department of Economics, 2002-2004

Dean's Prize\List for Excellence in Undergraduate Studies, Hebrew University, Faculty of Science, 2002-2004

REFEREEING

Journal of Finance, Journal of Financial Economics, Journal of Financial Intermediation, Journal of Accounting Research, Review of Financial Studies

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching, Wharton School

The Finance of Buyouts and Acquisitions (MBA, Undergraduate), spring 2011, spring 2012, spring 2013, spring 2014 Corporate Theory (PhD), spring 2013, spring 2014