

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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Military Service: January-June 1979, Israel Defense Forces

## **EDUCATION**

B.A. cum laude 1967, Harvard College  
MD 1971 Duke University

## **EMPLOYMENT**

1971-1972 Resident in Psychiatry, Duke University  
1972-1974 Clinical Associate, NIMH Clinical Center  
1977 Visiting Professor of Psychiatry, Medical College of Wisconsin  
1982 Visiting Professor of Psychiatry, St. Louis University School of Medicine  
1974-1985 Research Director, Jerusalem Mental Health Center  
1974-1985 Faculty of Hadassah-Hebrew University School of Medicine, Jerusalem  
1981-1985 Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Hadassah- Hebrew University School of Medicine, Jerusalem  
1985- 1994 Director of Acute Inpatient Psychiatry Service, Beersheva Mental Health Center, Beersheva  
1985-1986 Associate Professor of Psychiatry, Faculty of Health Sciences, Ben Gurion University of the Negev, Beersheva  
1986- Full Professor of Psychiatry, Faculty of Health Sciences, Ben Gurion University of the Negev  
1988-1998 Chairman, Division of Psychiatry, Faculty of Health Sciences, Ben Gurion University of the Negev, Beersheva  
1994- Assistant Director, Beersheva Mental Health Center  
1998-2007 Director, Stanley Research Center, Beersheva, Israel  
2008-2010 President CINP (International College of Neuropsychopharmacology)  
2011- Vice President Outreach, International Society for Bipolar Disorders

1987-2012 Hoffer-Vickar Professor of Psychiatry, Faculty of Health Sciences,  
Ben Gurion University of the Negev, Beersheva  
2012- Professor Emeritus of Psychiatry, Ben Gurion University  
2012-2014 Vice President, International Society for Bipolar Disorders  
2012- President-elect, Israel Psychiatric Association  
2013- President-elect, International Neuropsychiatric Association

**LICENSURE** North Carolina, Maryland, Missouri, Israel; National Board of  
Medical Examiners, USA; Certified USA Board of Psychiatry and  
Neurology; Israel Specialist in Psychiatry

### **EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBERSHIPS**

Bipolar Disorders (Editorial Board member) 1999 –  
Bipolar Disorder (Associate Editor) 1999-2008  
Pharmacological Reports 2000-2012  
World Journal of Biological Psychiatry 1999-2009  
Neuropsychiatria i Neuropsychologia (Neuropsychiatry and Neuropsychology)  
Journal of Psychiatric Research 1978-2012  
Clinical Neuroscience Research 2000 - 2007  
Acta Neuropsychiatrica 2002-2006  
Journal of Neural Transmission 1994 -  
Anxiety and Depression 1985-2004  
International Journal of Neuropsychopharmacology 1998-2003  
Progress in Neuropsychopharmacology and Biological Psychiatry 1995 -  
Human Psychopharmacology 1991-2000  
Biological Psychiatry, 1978-1999  
European Neuropsychopharmacology 1994-1998  
Brain Stimulation, 2007- 2012  
Asian Journal of Psychiatry 2008-  
International Journal of Bipolar Disorders 2012-

### **OFFICERSHIPS**

1980 - 1982 Chairman, Organizing Committee, International Psychopharmacology  
Congress, (CINP) Jerusalem, 1982  
1983 - 1987 Organizing Committee Chairman, 6th International Catecholamine  
Symposium, Jerusalem, 1987  
1984 - 1992 Councilor of the International College of Neuropsychopharmacology  
(CINP)  
1985 - 1998 Scientific Advisory Board of the Israel Center for Psychobiology  
1989 Organizing Committee Chairman, World Federation of Societies of  
Biological Psychiatry Regional Congress, Jerusalem  
1997 Chairman, International Psychogeriatric Association Congress, Jerusalem  
1998 Scientific Committee Member, CINP Congress, Glasgow, UK  
1998-2006 Executive Committee, International Society for TMS  
2001-2002 Chairman, Nominating Committee, CINP  
2002-2004 Chairman, Israel Society for Biological Psychiatry  
2003 -2006 Board of Councilors, International Society for Bipolar Disorders  
2000 - Board of Governors, National Institute for Psychobiology in Israel

### **MEMBERSHIPS**

- 1974- Israel Medical Association
- 1974- Israel Psychiatric Association
- 1974- American Psychiatric Association
- 1978- International College of Neuropsychopharmacology
- 1979- Society of Biological Psychiatry
- 1988 - Corresponding Fellow, American Psychiatric Association
- 1989- Corresponding Member, American College of Neuropsychopharmacology
- 1991- European College of Neuropsychopharmacology

### **AWARDS**

- 1978 Bornstein Research Prize for Neuropsychiatry
- 1979 Hadassah Faculty Research Prize
- 1980 Elkes Psychobiology Prize
- 1980 AE Bennett Award for Clinical Research in Biological Psychiatry
- 1982 Research Prize of the Israel Medical Association
- 1983 Anna Monika Prize for Research in Depression
- 1986 William N. Creasy Visiting Lectureship in Pharmacology, Dec. 1-5, 1986
- 1988 Corresponding Fellow, American Psychiatric Association
- 1993 Ziskind-Somerfeld Prize for Senior Research in Psychiatry
- 1996 Eli Lilly Award of the ECNP
- 2000 The Nola Maddox Falcone Prize for Affective Disorders of NARSAD
- 2004 Research Prize of the World Federation of Societies of Biological Psychiatry
- 2007 Archived Interview, International Historical Archives of Psychopharmacology, ACNP

### **UNIVERSITY AND ACADEMIC POSITIONS**

1. Member, Helsinki Committee (IRB) 1986-
2. Member, University Academic Promotions Committee, 1988-1992.
3. Member, Israel Council for Higher Education (Moetza LeHaskala Gevoha) 1989 (six months).
4. Member, Ministry of Health Committee for Psychotropic Drug Registration, 1989-
5. Member, Faculty of Medicine Committee for Research Students (MA and PhD), 1990- 2000
6. Member, Israel Academy of Sciences Review Committee in Psychology, 1994-96
7. Member, Chief Scientist of the Ministry of Health Grant Review Committee, 1990-
8. Member, University Medical Academic Promotions Committee, 2002-2005

### **RECENT GRANT SUPPORT**

1. Stanley Foundation - Biochemical-behavioral screening tests for new antibipolar lithium-like compounds, 1992-1994.
2. German-Israel Foundation - Reversal of behavioral effects of Li by *myo*-inositol-induced changes in second messengers, 1994-1996
3. NARSAD Senior Investigator Award - Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation, 1994-1995.
4. NARSAD Junior Investigator Award - Mentor, 1996-1998 Forskolin in Psychiatry
5. NARSAD Junior Investigator Award – Mentor, 2000-2002, Phenytoin in Bipolar Illness

6. Stanley Clinical Trials – Clotiapine in Schizophrenia, 2001-2004
7. Stanley Clinical Trials – Homocysteine Reducing Strategies in Schizophrenia, 2001-2004
8. Stanley International Center Award, 1998-2007

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