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CURRENT APPOINTMENT:

04/2012-ongoing Full Professor, Bar Ilan University; Israel
2016-ongoing Deputy director, Head of the Retraining program
School of Social Work, Bar Ilan University; Israel
2016-2018 Head of the MSW program
School of Social Work, Bar Ilan University; Israel

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS:

2015-ongoing Senate member, Bar Ilan University; Israel
2013-2014 Head of the MSW program
School of Social Work, Bar Ilan University; Israel
10/2009-4/2012 Associate Professor
School of Social Work, Bar Ilan University; Israel
10/2007-10/2009 Senior Lecturer (tenured)
School of Social Work, Bar Ilan University; Israel
10/2005-10/2007 Lecturer
School of Social Work, Bar Ilan University; Israel

EDUCATION

07/2003-6/2005 HRSA Postdoctoral Clinical/ Research Fellow in Geriatrics
Department of Medicine- Division of Geriatrics; University of California San
Francisco, San Francisco, CA
Mentor: Patricia Areán, Ph.D.

Selected coursework in Training in Clinical Research
Department of Epidemiology & Biostatistics; University of California San
Francisco, San Francisco, CA
07/2002-06/2003 Clinical Psychology Internship (APA Approved)
Department of Psychiatry, University of California San Francisco, San Francisco, CA
Mentor: Patricia Areán, Ph.D.
06/1998-05/2002 Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology (APA Approved)
Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, IL
Dissertation Title: "An explanatory model of racial variations in illness behaviors".
Comprehensive examination passed with commendation
03/2001 Adviser: Michael Young, Ph.D.

- 06/1998-12/2000 M.S. in Psychology
Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, IL
Thesis Title: "A comparison of depressive symptoms in African Americans and Caucasian Americans".
Adviser: Michael Young, Ph.D.
- 10/1993-07/1996 B.A. (Cum Laude) Behavioral Sciences
Ben-Gurion University, Bee'r Sheva, Israel
Bachelor's thesis title: " Motherland or home country: a comparative study of quality of life among Jews from the Soviet Union, who immigrated to Israel, Jews in Russia, and Israeli non-immigrants".
Reader: Marianne Amir, Ph.D.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2017 Coordinator: Euro-Ageism Innovative Training Network (MSCA-ITN), Horizon 2020
- 2016 The Innovative Research on Aging Award honorable mention-
Mather LifeWays
- 2015-2019 Global Young Academy
- 2014-2018 Chair: IS-1402 Ageism: A Multi-National, Interdisciplinary Perspective. COST,
Horizon 2020
- 2014-2018 Israel Young Academy
- 7-8/2013 Andrews Fellow- Summer Institute in Survey Research Techniques; Visiting Professor-
Institute of Gerontology, University of Michigan
- 9/2010 International College of Geriatric Psychoneuropharmacology Junior Investigator Award
- 5/2009 Merck/ American Geriatrics Society New Investigator Award
- 3/2008 State of Israel-Ministry of Science Culture and Sports Travel Award to attend the
symposium on Science as Diplomacy of Confidence, Berlin, Germany
- 11/2005 National Institute of Mental Health Award to attend the Critical Research Issues in
Latino Mental Health Conference
- 07/2005 Summer Research Institute in Geriatric Psychiatry/ National Institute of Mental Health
- 08/2004; 06/2005 Scholarship of the American Psychological Association (APA) Advanced Training
Institute in Structural Equation Modeling
- 01/2004 National Science Foundation (NSF) Scholarship to attend selected coursework at the
Evaluators' Institute
- 03/2001 Departmental commendation on outstanding comprehensive examination
Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, IL
- 12/2000; 05/2002 Dean's Honor Award for Academic Achievements
Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, IL
- 11/2000; 11/2001 Departmental Travel Award

Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, IL

- 10/1993-07/1996 An Interdisciplinary Program for Advanced Students
Ben-Gurion University, Be'er Sheva, Israel
- 10/1993-07/1996 Scholarship for Advanced Students
Ben-Gurion University, Be'er Sheva, Israel
- 1993-1995 Dean's Award for Distinguished Undergraduate Students for 1993-1994 and 1994-1995
academic years, Ben-Gurion University, Be'er Sheva, Israel

AWARDED GRANTS

- 2018-2021 PI (with Schwartz) Ageism in the healthcare system. The Israel National Institute for
Health Policy & Health Services Research \$85,000
- 2018-2021 Gendering age-Representations of masculinities and ageing in contemporary European
literatures and cinemas (Israeli Principal Investigator, 100,000 Euro; as part of a
GENDER-NET consortium- 997,392 Euro in total)
- 2017-2021 Coordinator (with 7 other beneficiaries; 5 partners): Euro-Ageism Innovative Training
Network (MSCA-ITN), Horizon 2020 (approx. 4,000,000 Euro)
- 2016-2019 PI (with Shinan-Altman) Evaluation of a training program for paraprofessional home
care workers with older adults. National Insurance Institute of Israel (\$80,000)
- 2016-2017 PI (with Ateret Gewirtz-Meydan, Margalit Goldfracht, Uri Gur) The quality of
healthcare services provided to older adults regarding sexual functioning and sexual
satisfaction. The Israel National Institute for Health Policy & Health Services Research
\$35,000
- 2019 PI An international workshop on social network analysis. Israel Science Foundation.
\$20,000
- 2016-2020 PI A longitudinal study of social networks in the continuing care retirement community.
Israel Science Foundation \$150,000
- 2018 PI An international workshop on longitudinal research methods. Israel Science
Foundation. \$20,000
- 2016-2018 PI Home care to older adults in the North of Israel: A cross-cultural comparison.
National Insurance Institute of Israel. \$50,000
- 2016-2018 co-PI (with Shinan-Altman, Soskolni). Barrier to pursuing home care positions among
job seekers. National Insurance Institute of Israel. \$30,000
- 2014-2016 co-PI (with Palgi & Dassa) " Mentalization ability and behavioral problems in older
adults." The Alzheimer's center. \$8,500
- 2014-2018 Chair: IS-1402 Ageism: A Multi-National, Interdisciplinary Perspective. COST
(approx. 600,000 Euro)
- 2014 PI (with Lachman & Segel-Karpas) "The effects of retirement on cognitive
functioning". Bronfman Brandeis-Israel Collaborative Research Program. \$8,500
- 2013-2016 PI "A longitudinal perspectives on family relationships in the context of the continuing
care retirement community. Israel Science Foundation. \$100,000

- 2011 PI "Plans for the future among family members of continuing care retirement community residents and non-residents." Mishan Diur Mugan. \$3,500
- 2011 PI (with Margalit Goldfracht, Igor Bleichman, Khaled Karkabi)" Examining the role of population group membership in primary care patients' and physicians' attitudes towards pharmacological and non-pharmacological approaches for the management of depression and anxiety." The Israel National Institute for Health Policy & Health Services Research \$35,000.
- 2011 PI (with Sara Halevi-Levin and Zvi Ben-Itzachak) "Foreign home care workers in acute medical settings: Examining the care of older adults, who receive round the clock foreign home care services, upon their admittance to an acute medical setting." Israel Ministry of Health. \$7,500
- 2010 PI (with Daniel Gotlib, Tami Eliav, Miriam Shipra) "Home care of older adults with disability." National Insurance Institute of Israel. \$33,000
- 2010 Co-Investigator (PI-Sharon Shiovitz-Ezra, Israel Doron) "Evaluating ageism in health care professionals." The Israel National Institute for Health Policy. \$80,000
- 2009 PI-"Violence towards home care workers in Israel" Bar Ilan University, Israel \$2,500
- 2008 Co-Investigator (with Aviv Yaari (PI), Goldfracht Margalit, and Revital Gross)- The treatment of depression and anxiety in primary care: Characteristics of the patient and the physician. Clalit Health Care System- \$13,000
- 2007 PI- The new caregivers of the 21st Century: "The case of Filipino home care workers" German Israeli Foundation-Young Investigators' Program- 32,070 Euro
- 2006 PI-"Foreign home care workers in Israel" Bar Ilan University, Israel \$5,000
- 2006 PI- "Validating depression measures in primary care", Investigator's Initiated Award, Lundback International (in collaboration with Prof. Per Bech) \$16,900
- 2002 PI- "An explanatory model of racial variations in illness behaviors". Institute of Psychology Research Grant, Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, IL (\$1,000)

HIGH MARKS BUT NOT FUNDED

- 2017; 2018 PI- "Towards a transnational theory of elder care networks in the 21st century" ERC finalist (passed step 1 and invited to an interview in Brussels)
- 2015; 2017 PI (with Chaya Koren)- "Re-partnering in the continuing care retirement community" Binataional Science Foundation. High marks but not funded

SERVICES TO THE COMMUNITY

2009-Consulting JDC-Israel on the application of short-term therapy with Russian Jews.

2009-2010 Member in a national research group on ageism funded by Van Leer Institute

2009-ongoing Consulting JDC-Israel and the Ministry of Health on the development and implementation of a national program for the prevention of elder suicide to be implemented in primary care and over hot-lines for older adults.

2010-2011; 2018-2019-Israel Science Foundation-Committee member

2012-2015- Scientific advisory board of the 45th conference of the European Association for Behavioral and Cognitive Therapies.

2013-2014- The chair of the scientific committee of the bi-annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society.

2013- Awards committee member: the annual meeting of elder abuse. Tel Aviv, Israel

2013- Amutat Ale- Pro-bono talks on ageism, loneliness and long term care to older volunteers.

2013-2015- Israeli representative-European Union, COST Action IS1102 *Cohesion - Social Services, Welfare State and Places*

2013-2016- Israeli representative-European Union, COST Action IS1210 *Appearance matters: Tackling the physical and psychosocial consequences of dissatisfaction with appearance*

2013-2019- Volunteered to give invited talks in nursing homes and informal social clubs of older adults

2014-2015- Israeli Ministry of Pensioner's Affairs & IGDC Project Executive Committee member

2015- Israel Ministry of Science and Technology grant scheme - Committee member.

2016-2019- A committee member Alon Scholarship. The Council for Higher Education, Israel.

2016-ongoing A WHO core group member to combat ageism

2018- The chair of the scientific committee of the first meeting of the Asian Young Academies in Israel

2018- Member of the International Working Group, in support of the European Commission's Scientific Advice Mechanism on the topic of 'Transforming the Future of Ageing'; Scientific Advice for Policies by European Academies

Michel, J. P., Kuh, D., Kenny, R. A., Reilly, R., Ayalon, L., Boersch-Supan, A., ... & Grodzicki, T. (2019). Transforming the future of ageing: informs the forthcoming Scientific Opinion of the European Commission Group of Chief Scientific Advisors.

2019- Member of the committee of the Israel Academy of Science and Humanity on the state of science in Israel

2019- Member of the committee of the Israel Academy of Science and Humanity to promote the humanities and social sciences

2019-Member of the Prime minister roundtable initiative to plan for the future of ageing in Israel

2019- Expert center member International Federation on Ageing

2019- Israel Science Foundation committee member

2019- Steering group member of the JDC Eshel initiative to develop a program to delay deterioration among frail older adults

2019- Steering group member of the National Insurance Institute initiative to develop a program to reduce loneliness in older adults

PUBLICATIONS

Books

Ayalon, L. & Tesch-Roemer, C. (Eds.) (2018). *Contemporary perspectives on ageism*. Berlin, Germany: Springer.

Ayalon, L. (2018). *Sex, meds and rock n' roll: Who said that the world only belongs to the young*. Matar (Hebrew)

Book Chapters

12. Chen., A. X.*, Tsang., V-A., L.*, Wong., J.T.K.*, Fung., H., H., & **Ayalon., L.** (2019). Three Ways that Ageing Affects Women Differently from Men: Menopause, Changes in Physical Appearance and Caregiving. *Cambridge International Handbook on Psychology of Women*. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

11. Gewirtz-Meydan, A.*, Hafford-Letchfield, T., Benyamini, Y., Phelan, A., Jackson, J., & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Ageism and sexuality. In **Ayalon, L.** & Tesch-Roemer, C. (Eds.). *Contemporary perspectives on ageism* (pp. 149-162). Berlin, Germany: Springer.

10. Lev, S., Wurm, S., & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). The origins of ageism at the individual level. In **Ayalon, L.** & Tesch-Roemer, C. (Eds.). *Contemporary perspectives on ageism* (pp. 51-72). Berlin, Germany: Springer.

9. **Ayalon, L.** & Arean, P.A. (2017). Counseling and support needs of dementia caregivers. In BJ Sadock, VA Sadock, P Ruiz. (Eds.), *Kaplan & Sadock's Comprehensive Textbook of Psychiatry*, Ninth Edition. Baltimore, MD: Lippincott Williams & Wilkins.

8. **Ayalon, L.** & Koren, C. (2015). Marriage, second couplehood, divorce and singlehood in old age. P. Lichtenberg, B. Mast & J. Wetherell (eds.). *APA Handbook of Clinical Geropsychology*. American Psychological Association. pp. 617-644.

7. **Ayalon, L.** (2013). The last year of life: First results from the end of life interviews. In L. Achdut and H. Litwin (Eds.). *The Financial, Health and Social Status of Older Israelis: Findings from the Second Wave of SHARE-Israel*. Jerusalem: Van Leer. pp. 1-14. (Hebrew)

6. **Ayalon, L.** & Meir, A.* (2013). Predictors of change in cognitive function among older Israelis by population group. In L. Achdut and H. Litwin (Eds.). *The Financial, Health and Social Status of Older Israelis: Findings from the Second Wave of SHARE-Israel*. Jerusalem: Van Leer. (Hebrew). pp. 1-20

5. Shiovitz-Ezra, S., **Ayalon, L.**, Brodsky, J. (2013). Measuring and evaluating ageism. In Israel (Issi) Doron (Ed.). *Ageism in Israel*. Jerusalem: Van Leer. (Hebrew)

4. Arean, P.A., & **Ayalon, L.** (2010). Major depression. In J. Thomas and M. Hersen. *Handbook of Clinical Psychology Competencies*. New York: Springer. pp. 637-670.

3. Arean, P.A., & **Ayalon, L.** (2010). Preventing depression relapse in older adults. In C. S. Richards & M. G. Perri. *Relapse Prevention for Depression*. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.

2. **Ayalon, L.** (2010). Foreign home care workers in Israel- The role of human rights organizations. *Transnational Carework: Legal Framework, Social Practices, Socio-political Challenges*. Part 4 (pp. 77-288).

1. **Ayalon, L.**, Feliciano, L., Areán, P.A. (2005) Aging changes that affect communication. In K.L. Mauk (Ed.). *Gerontological Nursing: Competencies for Care*. Sudbury, MA: Jones and Bartlett Publishers. pp. 87-

Articles in Periodicals

182. **Ayalon, L.** & Yahav. (in press). Location, location, location: Close ties among older continuing care retirement community residents. *PlosOne*
181. Roy, S* & **Ayalon, L.** (in press). Age and gender stereotypes reflected in Google's "Autocomplete" function: The portrayal and possible spread of societal stereotypes. *The Gerontologist*
180. Shinan-Altman, S., Soskolne, V. & **Ayalon, L.** (in press). Becoming a home care worker: Job seekers' push and pull factors. *Research on Aging*
179. **Ayalon, L.** & Gweirtz-Meydan, A.* (in press). Physicians' moral dilemmas in the age of Viagra. *Men and Masculinities*
178. **Ayalon, L.** (in press). Sense of belonging to the community in continuing care retirement communities and adult day care centers: The role of the social network. *Journal of Community Psychology*
177. **Ayalon, L.** (in press). Perceived discrimination in the context of the Long Term Care Insurance Law from the perspectives of Arabs and Jews in the North of Israel. *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*
176. Segal-Karpas, D. & **Ayalon, L.** (in press). Loneliness and hostility in older adults: a cross-lagged model. *Psychology & Aging*
175. Shinan-Altman, S., Gum, A., **Ayalon, L.** (in press). Moving to a continuing care retirement community or staying in the community? A comparison between American and Israeli older adults. *Journal of Applied Gerontology*
174. Gweirtz-Meydan, A.* & **Ayalon, L.** (2019). "Shades of grey": Exploring public opinion about later-life sexuality. *Canadian Journal on Aging/La Revue canadienne du vieillissement*.
173. **Ayalon, L.** (2019). Subjective social status as a predictor of loneliness: The moderating effect of the type of long term care setting. *Research on Aging*
172. **Ayalon, L.**, Dolberg, P., Mikulionienė, S., Perek-Bialak, J., Rapoliene, G., Stypińska, J., Willińska, M., & de la Fuente Núñez, V. (2019). A systematic review of existing ageism scales. *Ageing Research Reviews*
171. **Ayalon, L.** (2019). Social network type in the continuing care retirement community. *Archives of Gerontology and Geriatrics*
170. **Ayalon, L.**, Gweirtz-Meydan, A.*, Levkovich, I.*, & Karkabi, K. (2019). Older men and women reflect on changes in sexual functioning in later life. *Sexual and Relationship Therapy*
169. Wu Y, Levis B, Riehm KE, Saadat N, Levis AW, Azar M, Rice DB, Boruff J, Cuijpers P, Gilbody S, Ioannidis JPA, Kloda LA, McMillan D, Patten SB, Shrier I, Ziegelstein RC, Akena DH, Arroll B, **Ayalon L**, Baradaran HR, Baron M, Bombardier CH, Butterworth P, Carter G, Chagas MH, Chan JCN, Cholera R, Conwell Y, de Man-van Ginkel JM, Fann JR, Fischer FH, Fung D, Gelaye B, Goodyear-Smith F, Greeno CG, Hall BJ, Harrison PA, Härter M, Hegerl U, Hides L, Hobfoll SE, Hudson M, Hyphantis T, Inagaki M, Jetté N, Khamseh ME, Kiely KM, Kwan Y, Lamers F, Liu S-I, Lotrakul M, Loureiro SR, Löwe B, McGuire A, Mohd-Sidik S, Munhoz TN, Muramatsu K, Osório FL, Patel V, Pence BW, Persoons P, Picardi A, Reuter K, Rooney AG, Santos IS, Shaaban J, Sidebottom A, Simning A, Stafford L, Sung S, Tan PLL, Turner A, van Weert HC, White J, Whooley MA, Winkley K, Yamada M, Benedetti A, Thombs BD. (2019). Equivalency of the diagnostic accuracy of the PHQ-8 and PHQ-9: a systematic review and individual participant data meta-analysis. *Psychological Medicine*.

168. Brooke Levis, Andrea Benedetti, Brett D. Thombs and the DEPRESSion Screening Data (DEPRESSD) Collaboration. (2019). The Accuracy of the Patient Health Questionnaire-9 (PHQ-9) for Screening to Detect Major Depression: an Individual Participant Data Meta-analysis. *British Medical Journal*
167. Koren, C. & **Ayalon, L.** (2019). "Not living together yet all the time together": The construction of Living-Apart-Together in Continuing Care Retirement Communities from perspectives of residents and CCRC staff. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*.
166. Levinson, N.* & **Ayalon, L.** (2019). The Life Experiences of Old Women Diagnosed with a Gambling Disorder. *The International Journal of Mental Health and Addiction*
165. Levkovich, I.* , Gewirtz-Meydan, A.* , & **Ayalon, L.** (2019). When sex meets age: Family physicians' perspectives about sexual dysfunction among older men and women: A qualitative study from Israel. *European Journal of General Practice*
164. **Ayalon, L.**, & Gum, A. (2019). A typology of source of information about the continuing care retirement community and older adults' living arrangement. *Journal of Housing for the Elderly*
163. **Ayalon, L.**, Nevadeal, A., & Briller, S. (2019). Capturing change and stability in longitudinal qualitative research: Insights from a study about aging and life transitions in Israeli continuing care retirement communities. *Educational Gerontology*
162. **Ayalon, L.**, Gewirtz-Meydan, A.* , Levkovich, I* (2019). Older Israelis' coping strategies with changes in sexual functioning: Results from a qualitative research. *Journal of Sexual Medicine*
161. Palgi, Y. **Ayalon, L.** Avidor, S., Segel-Karpas, D., Bodner, E. (2018). On the edge: The association between extreme values of proportional felt-age and functioning. *Psychiatry Research*
160. Gewirtz-Meydan, A.* & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Why do older adults have sex? Approach and avoidance sexual motives among older women and men. *Journal of Sex Research*
159. Segel-Karpas, D., **Ayalon, L.**, Lachman, M. (2018). Retirement and Depressive Symptoms: A 10-Year Cross-Lagged Analysis. *Psychiatry Research*
158. Nevadeal, A., **Ayalon, L.** & Briller, S. (2018). A qualitative evidence synthesis review of longitudinal qualitative research in gerontology. *The Gerontologist*
157. **Ayalon, L.** Yahav, I., & Lesser, O. (2018). From a bird's eye view: Whole social networks in adult day care centers and continuing care retirement communities. *Innovation in Aging*
156. **Ayalon, L.** (2018) Loneliness and anxiety about aging in adult day care centers and continuing care retirement communities. *Innovation in Aging*
155. **Ayalon, L.**, & Levkovich, I.* , Gewirtz-Meydan, A.* , Karkabi, K. (2018). From Cradle to Cane: A Life Course Perspective on the Ways Older Men and Women Discuss Sexual Issues. *Archives of Sexual Behavior*
154. Levkovich, I.* , Gewirtz-Meydan, A.* , Karkabi, K., & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Views of family physicians on heterosexual sexual function in older adults. *BMC family practice*, 19(1), 86.
153. **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Examining alternative items for the assessment of perceived ageism. *Educational Gerontology*, 1-9.
152. Shinan-Altman, S., Riabzev, A.* , & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Mixed motivations to provide formal care to older adults: Lessons from a training program. *International Psychogeriatrics*.

151. Grean, O.,* & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). The contribution of working conditions and care recipient characteristics to work-related abuse and exploitation of migrant home care workers. *Employee Relations*, 39(7), 1001-1014.
150. Grean, O.,* & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). "Home is where my couch is": The role of possessions in the process of moving and adjusting to continuing care retirement communities. *Qualitative Health Research*. doi: 1049732318780350.
149. Green, O.* , & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Violations of workers' rights and exposure to work-related abuse of live-in migrant and live-out local home care workers—a preliminary study: implications for health policy and practice. *Israel Journal of Health Policy Research*, 7(1), 32.
148. Gewirtz-Meydan, A.* , Hafford-Letchfield, T., **Ayalon, L.**, Benyamini, Y., Biermann, V., Coffey, A., ... & Zeman, Z. (2018). How do older people discuss their own sexuality? A systematic review of qualitative research studies. *Culture, health & sexuality*, 1-16.
147. Dolberg, P.* & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Behind the iron curtain: Limited exposure to new knowledge on mental health among older primary care immigrants and their physicians. *Transcultural Psychiatry*.
146. Shamir, H.* , Shinan-Altman, S., & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Perceptions of death and aging among terminally ill older adults. *Society and Welfare*. In Hebrew.
145. Levis, B.* , Benedetti, A., Riehm, K. E., Saadat, N., Levis, A. W., Azar, M., ...**Ayalon, L.**... & Gilbody, S. (2018). Probability of major depression diagnostic classification using semi-structured versus fully structured diagnostic interviews. *The British Journal of Psychiatry*, 212(6), 377-385.
144. **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Between older adults' needs and the law: The Israeli Long Term Care Insurance Law from the Perspectives of Service Users and Providers. *Health & Social Care in the Community*.
143. Gweirtz-Meydan, A., Levkovich, I., Mock, M., Gur, U., & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Promoting a discussion on later life sexuality: Lessons from sexologist physicians. *Sexual and Relationship Therapy*, 1-18. doi: 10.1080/14681994.2018.1437258
142. Kave, G., Fridkin, S.* , & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Demographic factors and retrieval of object and proper names after age 70. *PLoS One*, 13(1). doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0191876
141. **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Family relations and elder care among Arabs in the North of Israel. *Research on Aging*. doi: 10.1177/0164027517749612
140. **Ayalon, L.** & Levkovich, I. (2018). A Systematic Review of Research on Social Networks of Older Adults. *The Gerontologist*. doi: 10.1093/geront/gnx218
139. **Ayalon, L.** & Rothermund, K. (2018). Examining the utility of national indicators of relative age disadvantage in Europe. *European Journal of Ageing*, 15(2), 189-197. doi: 10.1007/s10433-017-0435-2
138. Lev, S.,* & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). A typology of social workers in long term care facilities in Israel. *Social Work*, 63(2), 171-178. doi: 10.1093/sw/swy002
137. Lev, S.* & **Ayalon, L.** (2018). Development and content validation of a questionnaire to assess moral distress among social workers in long term care facilities. *Social Work in Health Care*. <https://doi.org/10.1080/00981389.2017.1414096>
136. Segel-Karpas, D., **Ayalon, L.**, & Lachman, M. E. (2018). Loneliness and depressive symptoms: the moderating role of the transition into retirement. *Aging & mental health*, 22(1), 135-140. doi: 10.1080/13607863.2016.1226770.

135. Avidor, S., **Ayalon, L.**, Palgi, Y., & Bodner, E. (2017). Longitudinal associations between perceived age discrimination and subjective well-being: variations by age and subjective life expectancy. *Aging & mental health*, 21(7), 761-765. doi: 10.1080/13607863.2016.1156050
134. **Ayalon, L.** (2017). Are older adults perceived as a threat to society? Exploring perceived age-based threats in 29 nations. *The Journals of Gerontology: Series B*. doi: 10.1093/geronb/gbx107
133. **Ayalon, L.** (2017). Retrospective reports of negative early life events over a 4-year period: A test of measurement invariance and response consistency. *Journal of Gerontology Series B: Psychological Sciences and Social Sciences*, 72(5), 901-912. doi: 10.1093/geronb/gbv087.
132. **Ayalon, L.** & Gewirtz-Meydan, A.* (2017). Senior, mature or single: A qualitative analysis of homepage advertisements of dating sites for older adults. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 75, 876-882. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.chb.2017.06.033>.
131. Noon, R. B.* , & **Ayalon, L.** (2017). Older adults in public open spaces: Age and gender segregation. *The Gerontologist*, 58(1), 149-158. doi: 10.1093/geront/gnx047.
130. Dolberg, P.* , & **Ayalon, L.** (2017). Subjective meanings and identification with middle-age. *The International Journal of Aging and Human Development*. doi: 10.1177/0091415017721932.
129. Gewirtz-Meydan, A.* , & **Ayalon, L.** (2017). Forever young: Visual representations of gender and age in online dating sites for older adults. *Journal of Women & Aging*, 1-19. doi: 10.1080/08952841.2017.1330586.
128. Green, O.* , & **Ayalon, L.** (2017). The contribution of working conditions and care recipient characteristics to work-related abuse and exploitation of migrant home care workers. *Employee Relations*, 39(7), 1001-1014. doi: 10.1108/ER-07-2016-0136.
127. Gum, A. M., & **Ayalon, L.** (2017). Self-perceptions of aging mediate the longitudinal relationship of hopelessness and depressive symptoms. *International journal of geriatric psychiatry*, 33(4), 591-597. doi: 10.1002/gps.4826.
126. Gum, A. M., Segal-Karpas, D., Avidor, S. A., **Ayalon, L.**, Bodner, E., & Palgi, Y. (2017). Grip strength and quality of life in the second half of life: Hope as a moderator. *Aging & Mental Health*, 1-6. doi: 10.1080/13607863.2017.1383972
125. Gum, A. M., Shiovitz-Ezra, S., & **Ayalon, L.** (2017). Longitudinal associations of hopelessness and loneliness in older adults: results from the US health and retirement study. *International psychogeriatrics*, 29(9), 1451-1459. doi: 10.1017/S1041610217000904
124. Shinan-Altman, S. & **Ayalon, L.** (2017). If I am not for myself, who is for me? The experiences of older migrant home care recipients during their hospitalization. *Aging & Mental Health*, 21(2), 182-189. doi: 10.1080/13607863.2015.1093604
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PRESENTATIONS

Seyoung, K.,* & **Ayalon, L.** (September, 2019). The relationship between older and younger people's employment in the context of Israel. Aging & Social Change: Ninth Interdisciplinary Conference. Vienna, Austria

Levinson, M.*, Benjamini, Y., **Ayalon, L.** (July, 2019). The making of a place: social networks in long term care institutions for older adults. Poster presented as part of the International Conference on Computational Social Science. Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

Seyoung, K.,* Melendez-Torres, G. J., & **Ayalon, L.** (May, 2019). The Association between Job participation and mental health among older adults in the Republic of Korea. Oral poster presented at the bi-annual meeting of IAGG-ER. Gothenburg, Sweden.

Segal-Karpas, D. & **Ayalon, L.** (May, 2019). Loneliness, Anger and Hostility: Using a Cross-lagged Analysis to Assess their Temporal Relationship. Paper presented as part of a symposium on Loneliness: Lifespan, social family and individual considerations co-organized by Segal-Karpas, D. & **Ayalon, L.** at the bi-annual meeting of IAGG-ER. Gothenburg, Sweden

Ayalon, L., Dolberg, P., Mikulionienė, S., Perek-Bialak, J., Rapoliene, G., Stypińska, J., Willińska, M., & de la Fuente Núñez, V. (May, 2019). Recommended measures for the assessment of ageism: Results from a systematic review of the psychometric properties of ageism measures. Paper presented as part of a symposium on Building the evidence base for a global campaign to combat ageism organized by de la Fuente Núñez, V. at the bi-annual meeting of IAGG-ER. Gothenburg, Sweden

Schwartz, E.* & **Ayalon, L.** (May, 2019). Will You Still Need Me? The Longitudinal Associations of Social Usefulness and Aging Self-perceptions. Paper presented as part of a symposium on Ageism from a Multi-Disciplinary Perspective co-organized by **Ayalon, L.** & Rothermund, K. at the bi-annual meeting of IAGG-ER. Gothenburg, Sweden

Allen, L.,* **Ayalon, L.**, & Smits, C. (May, 2019). Paternalism, Autonomy, and Quality of Life in Long-Term Care: The Administrator's Perspective. Poster presented at the bi-annual meeting of IAGG-ER. Gothenburg, Sweden

Kottl, H. * & **Ayalon, L.** (May, 2019). Longitudinal Associations between Ageism and Self-ageism and Engagement in Everyday Technology. Poster presented at the bi-annual meeting of IAGG-ER. Gothenburg, Sweden

Ayalon, L. (May, 2019). Personal Home Care Workers in the Hospital: Results from a Qualitative Research. Paper presented as part of a symposium on The complexities of informal caregiving during older adults' hospitalization co-organized by Gur-Yaish, N & Zisberg, A. at the bi-annual meeting of IAGG-ER. Gothenburg, Sweden

Sagit, L.,* & **Ayalon, L.** (May, 2019). A Typology of Social Workers in Long-Term Care Facilities in Israel. Poster presented at the bi-annual meeting of IAGG-ER. Gothenburg, Sweden

Sagit, L.,* & **Ayalon, L.** (May, 2019). Development and Validation of a Questionnaire to Assess Moral Distress Among Social Workers in Long-Term Care Facilities. Poster presented at the bi-annual meeting of IAGG-ER. Gothenburg, Sweden

Senjouti, R.* & **Ayalon, L.** (May, 2019). What Do We Want to Know About Old Age: A Cross-National Comparison Facilitated via Google. Poster presented at the bi-annual meeting of IAGG-ER. Gothenburg, Sweden

Ayalon, L. (May, 2019). A life course perspective on ageing: A contribution to the SAPEA panel on the Future of Ageing. Paper presented as part of a symposium on Forecasting and Addressing the Care Needs of the Ageing EU Population organized by Michel, J-P. at the bi-annual meeting of IAGG-ER. Gothenburg, Sweden

- Shinan-Altman, S., Soskolnik, V., & **Ayalon, L.** (February, 2019). Push and pull factors of job seekers who consider employment as home care workers for older adults. Paper presented at the Annual meeting of Espanet-Israel, Rupin, Israel
- Ayalon, L.**, Yahav, I., Lesser O. (November, 2018). From a Bird's Eye View: Whole Social Networks in Adult Day Care Centers and Continuing Care Retirement Communities. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.
- Ayalon, L.**, de la Fuente Núñez, V., Dolberg, P., Mikulionienė, S., Perek-Bialak, J., Rapoliene, G., Stypińska, J., Willińska, M. (November, 2018). Separating the Wheat From the Chaff: A Systematic Review of Measures for the Assessment of Ageism. Paper presented at the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.
- Ayalon, L.** (November, 2018). Engaging older people's views with students who are researchers in training. (November, 2018). Discussant as part of a symposium. Symposium discussant at the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.
- Ayalon, L.** (November, 2018). Ageism in everyday contexts: factors that influence perceptions and outcomes. (November, 2018). Discussant as part of a symposium. Symposium discussant at the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.
- Koren, C. & **Ayalon, L.** (May 2018). The Meaning of Living-Apart-Together in Continuing Care Retirement Communities: Perspectives of Residents and Healthcare Professionals. International Congress of Qualitative Inquiry. University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, IL, USA
- Shinan-Altman, S. & **Ayalon, L.** (September, 2018). Mixed motivations to provide formal care to older adults: Lessons from a training program. Paper presented at the Aging and Rejuvenation conference, Rome, Italy.
- Lachman, M. Segal-Karfes, D. **Ayalon, L.** (February 2018). Loneliness and depressive symptoms: the moderating role of retirement. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Israeli Society of Gerontology, Tel Aviv, Israel
- Levkovitch, I.* Karkavi, C. Gervitz-Miden, A.* **Ayalon, L.** (February 2018). "I will not hear about it, because I will not ask"; Family doctors' perceptions of the sexuality of the elderly. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Israeli Society of Gerontology, Tel Aviv, Israel
- Koren, C. **Ayalon, L.** (February 2018). "We do not live together but are together all the time": The meaning of a second relationship in old age in protected housing from the perspectives of tenants and professionals. Paper presented in the annual meeting of the Israeli Society of Gerontology, Tel Aviv, Israel
- Lev, S. **Ayalon, L.** (February 2018). The discourse on expanding the definition of ageism - a critical view. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Israeli Society of Gerontology, Tel Aviv, Israel
- Levkovitch, I.* Gervitz-Miden, A.* **Ayalon, L.** (February 2018). Physicians' response to sexual dysfunction presented to them by younger patients compared with older patients. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Israeli Society of Gerontology, Tel Aviv, Israel
- Ben-Nun, R. **Ayalon, L.** (February 2018). The city streets as a continuation of old people's private living room. Analysis of elderly activity in urban areas. Paper presented at the Annual Meeting of the Israeli Society of Gerontology, Tel Aviv, Israel
- Levkovich, I*, Gweritz-Meydan, A.* & **Ayalon, L.** (March 2018). Primary care physicians' perceptions of sexuality among older adults. Paper presented as part of the Ben Meyir conference. Kfar Hamachabia, Israel

- Domb, L.* & **Ayalon, L.** (November 2017). Sexuality in older adults who suffer from mental illness. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Israeli Social Work Association. Tel Aviv, Israel
- Levinson, N.* & **Ayalon, L.** (November 2017). The experience of older women who suffer from a gambling disorder. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Israeli Social Work Association. Tel Aviv, Israel
- Lev, S.* & **Ayalon, L.** (November 2017). Development and validation of an instrument to assess moral distress among social workers in long term care. Paper presented at annual meeting of the Israeli Social Work Association. Tel Aviv, Israel
- Ayalon, L.** & Klaus, R. (July 2017). Examining the utility of national disadvantage of age inequality in Europe. Paper presented as part of a symposium organized by L. Ayalon & K. Rothermund on Ageism in a global context: combining societal and individual perspectives on age discrimination at the International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics/ Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.
- Ayalon L.** (July 2017). Discussant as part of a symposium organized by A. Kydd on Challenging attitudes to ageing and ageism presented at the International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics/ Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.
- Ayalon, L.** & Tesch-Roemer, C. (July, 2017). Ageism from a multi-national, interdisciplinary perspective presented as part of a symposium organized by T Scharf & A. Lowenstein on Social gerontology without borders? New perspectives from international research at the International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics/ Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.
- Ayalon, L.** (July, 2017). Discussant as part of a symposium organized by L. Ayalon on Policies Related to Ageism: Presentations from COST IS1402 on Ageism presented at the International Association of Gerontology and Geriatrics/ Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA.
- Lev, S.* & **Ayalon, L.** (February, 2017). Psychometric properties of a measure to assess moral distress among social workers in long term care. ESPAnet, Ramat Gan, Israel.
- Lev, S.* & **Ayalon, L.** (February, 2017). A typology of social workers in long term care. ESPAnet, Ramat Gan, Israel.
- Shinan-Altman, S. & **Ayalon, L.** (February, 2017). The perceptions of older residents and their adult children regarding staff in the CCRC. ESPAnet, Ramat Gan, Israel.
- Dolberg, P. * & **Ayalon, L.** (November, 2016). Middle Age: A Tacit Peak in the Young - Old Dichotomy. Paper presented in the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, U.S.A
- Ben-Noon, R.* & **Ayalon, L.** (June, 2016). Older adults outdoors. Paper presented as part of a symposium on Ageism and the city: Representations of older people in urban development at the annual meeting of the Nordic Congress of Gerontology, Tampere, Florida.
- Gweirtz-Meydan, A.* & **Ayalon, L.** (May, 2016). PDE5i as a "cure all" for older adults: An indicator of ageist practices among physicians. Paper presented as part of a symposium at the 3th Congress of the European Federation of Sexology, Dubrovnik; Croatia
- Dolberg, P.,* Shiovitz-Ezra, S., **Ayalon, L.** (February, 2016). Loneliness among immigrants from the former Soviet Union. Paper presented as part of a symposium at the bi-annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- Ayalon, L.** (February, 2016). Symposium on COST Action IS1402 on ageism presented at the bi-annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Ayalon, L. & Reuveni, Y. (February, 2016). Symposium on the wellbeing of caregivers presented at the bi-annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Ayalon, L. (February, 2016). Do foreigners deserve rights? Reexamined attitudes towards the rights of foreign workers presented as part of a symposium at the bi-annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Shinan-Altman, S. & **Ayalon, L.** (February, 2016). Hospitalized older adults accompanied by foreign home care workers. Perceptions regarding formal and informal care presented as part of a symposium at the bi-annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Dassa, A. & **Ayalon, L.** (February, 2016). Training paraprofessional workers to use music therapy with older adults with dementia presented as part of a symposium at the bi-annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Segel-Karpas, D.*, **Ayalon, L.**, & Lachman, M. (February, 2016). Social activity and loneliness, the moderating role of cognitive functioning presented as part of a symposium at the bi-annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Cohen, L. *, Palgi, Y., Dassa, A., **Ayalon, L.**, Ophenheim, D., Sher-Tsenzor, E. (February, 2016). The relationship between emotional availability of the professional carer and neuropsychiatric symptoms of older adults with dementia presented as part of a symposium at the bi-annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Lev, S.* & **Ayalon, L.** (February, 2016). Ethical distress among social workers in long term care presented as part of a symposium at the bi-annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Ayalon, L. (November, 2015). Intergenerational relations in the continuing care retirement community. Paper presented as part of a symposium at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL, USA.

Shinan-Altman, S. & **Ayalon, L.** (November, 2015). If I am not for myself, who is for me? The experiences of older migrant home care recipients during their hospitalization. Paper presented as part of a symposium at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Orlando, FL, USA.

Ayalon, L. (May, 2015). The invisible world of home care. Paper presented as part of the annual meeting of the Global Young Academy, Montebello, Canada.

Ayalon, L. (April, 2015). Ageism from a cross-cultural, multi-disciplinary perspective. Symposium organized as part of the IAGG-ER meeting, Dublin, Ireland.

Ayalon, L. & Green, O.*(April, 2015). A typology of new residents' adjustment to the continuing care retirement community. Poster presented as part of the IAGG-ER meeting, Dublin, Ireland.

Ayalon, L. & Roziner, I. (April, 2015). A social relations model of satisfaction with the relationship within the home care setting. Poster presented as part of the IAGG-ER meeting, Dublin, Ireland.

Dolberg, P.*, Goldfracht, M., Karkabi, K., Bleichman, I., Fleisher, S., & **Ayalon, L.** (February, 2015). Barriers to mental health treatment among older adults from the former Soviet Union. Paper presented during the annual meeting of the Israel Sociological Association, Kinneret, Israel.

Goldfracht, M., Karkabi, K., Bleichman, I., Fleisher, S., & **Ayalon, L.** (March, 2015). Barriers to the treatment of mental illness from the perspective of primary care physicians. Paper presented during the annual Family Medicine Conference. Haifa, Israel.

Ayalon, L., Karkabi, K., Bleichman, I., Fleisher, S., & Goldfracht, M. (2015). Between modern and traditional values. Paper presented during the annual Family Medicine Conference on Behalf of Shabtai Ben Meir.

Green, O. * & **Ayalon, L.** (October, 2014). "To report or not to report - this is the question": Exploring the reporting behavior of abused and exploited migrant care workers. Canadian Gerontological Association, Toronto, CA

Green, O. * & **Ayalon, L.** (October, 2014). Familiarity with workers' rights among migrant home care workers, older adults and family member. Canadian Gerontological Association, Toronto, CA

Lev, S* & **Ayalon, L.** (January, 2014). The obligation dilemma in long term care: A theoretical model. To be presented at the annual meeting of Israeli Gerontological Society Tel Aviv, Israel.

Cohen, N.* & **Ayalon, L.** (January, 2014). Attitudes of older widows towards second marriage. To be presented at the annual meeting of Israeli Gerontological Society Tel Aviv, Israel.

Ashkenazi, O* & **Ayalon, L.** (January, 2014). The cross-cultural interaction of Filipino home care workers and their employers. To be presented at the annual meeting of social workers in Health. Jerusalem, Israel.

Green, O.* & **Ayalon, L.** (October, 2013). Improving the participation rate of older adults and their caregivers. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Association on Gerontology, Halifax, Canada.

Green, O.* & **Ayalon, L.** (October, 2013). "Deprived and invisible": Comparing the working condition of migrant live-in care workers and local live-out care workers. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Canadian Association on Gerontology, Halifax, Canada.

Ayalon, L. (June, 2013). Between private and public care. Paper presented as part of the COST meeting *Cohesion - Social Services, Welfare State and Places*, Reykjavik, Iceland

Green, O.* & **Ayalon, L.** (May, 2013). "Nothing to do, no one to tell?" Exploitation and abuse of migrant-worker women in Israel and their willingness to report it formally and informally, Paper presented as part of the Global Discourse in Women's and Gender Studies, Middle Tennessee state university, Murfreesboro, Tennessee

Ayalon, L. (Nov., 2012). Predictors of successful aging in three population groups of Israelis. Paper to be presented as part of a symposium on SHARE Israel organized by Prof. Litwin, the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.

Ayalon, L. (Nov., 2012). Perceived discrimination in Europe: Results from the European Social Study. Paper to be presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.

Ayalon, L. (Nov., 2012). Feelings towards older vs. younger adults in Europe . Poster to be presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.

Ayalon, L. (Nov., 2012). ethnic differences in concerns, knowledge, and beliefs about Alzheimer's disease: Results from a National Sample. Poster to be presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.

Ayalon, L. (Nov., 2012). Continuing care retirement communities: American and Israeli attitudes and residence satisfaction. Paper to be presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, CA.

Ayalon, L. (June, 2012). Ageism and modernization. Paper presented as part of the RAND dataset workshop. Oxford, United Kingdom

Ayalon, L. & Green, V. (March, 2012). Grief in the context of the continuing care retirement community. Paper presented as part of the biannual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel

Ayalon, L. & Rotstein, A. (March, 2012). Attitudes towards continuing care retirement communities. Paper presented as part of the biannual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel

Green, V. & Ayalon, L. (March, 2012). Intergenerational discussion about the transition to the continuing care retirement community. Paper presented as part of the biannual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel

Lev, S.* & Ayalon, L. (March, 2012). The moral dilemmas of social workers in long term care settings. Paper presented as part of the biannual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel

Ayalon, L. (March, 2012). The role of burden in reports of neuropsychiatric symptoms by formal and informal caregivers. Paper presented as part of the biannual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel

Ayalon, L. (March, 2012). The prevalence and predictors of suicidal ideation in Europe: Results from the Survey of Health Aging and Retirement in Europe. Paper presented as part of the biannual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel

Ayalon, L. & Green, V. (March, 2012). Social ties in the context of the continuing care retirement community. Poster presented as part of the annual meeting of the American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry, Washington, D.C.

Ayalon, L., Gross, R., Yaari, A., Feldhamer, I., Balicer, R., Goldfracht, M. (2012). Patients' and physicians' characteristics associated with the purchase of benzodiazepines by older primary care patients in Israel. Poster presented as part of the annual meeting of the American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry, Washington, D.C.

Ayalon, L., & Shiovitz-Ezra, S. (November, 2011). The relationship between loneliness and passive death wishes in the second half of life. Poster presented as part of the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, MA.

Ayalon, L. (September, 2010). The prevalence and predictors of passive death wishes in Europe. Paper and poster presented as part of the annual meeting of the International College of Geriatric Psychoneuropharmacology. Athens, Greece.

Ayalon, L. (June, 2010). Fears come true. The experiences of older care recipients, their family members, and their foreign home care workers. Paper presented as part of the annual meeting of the Israeli Social Work Association. Tel Aviv, Israel

Bachner, G. Y., & Ayalon, L. (February, 2010). Initial Examination of the Psychometric Properties of the Short Hebrew Version of the Zarit Burden Interview. Paper presented as part of the annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society. Tel Aviv, Israel.

Kaniel, M.,* & Ayalon, L. (February, 2010). Examining gender differences among foreign home care workers. Paper presented as part of the annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society. Tel Aviv, Israel.

Shiovitz-Ezra, S. & Ayalon, L. (February, 2010). Loneliness in foreign home care workers. Paper presented as part of the annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society. Tel Aviv, Israel.

- Ayalon, L.** (February, 2010). Satisfaction with foreign home care services: Results from triadic data. Paper presented as part of the annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society. Tel Aviv, Israel.
- Ayalon, L.,** Gum, A., Rotstein. (February, 2010). Characteristics and attitudes of residents of continuing care retirement communities. Poster presented as part of the annual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society. Tel Aviv, Israel.
- Ayalon, L.** (Nov., 2009). The many roles of foreign home care workers under the live-in home care system in Israel. Paper presented as part of a symposium on the roles of home care workers organized by Anne Martin-Matthews as part of the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. Atlanta, Georgia.
- Ayalon, L.** (June, 2009). Family and family-like interactions in households with round the clock foreign home carers in Israel. Talk presented as part of the conference on Diasporic Encounters, Sacred Journeys: Gendered Migrants, Sociality and the Religious Imagination. Keele, England.
- Ayalon, L.** (July, 2009). Home care to older adults: Challenges and promise. Symposium presented at the World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics. Paris, France.
- Ayalon, L.** (July, 2009). Fears and fears come true: The experience of older care recipients and their family members of foreign home care workers. Paper presented at the World Congress of Gerontology and Geriatrics. Paris, France.
- Ayalon, L.** (May, 2009). Using structural equation modeling to examine the relationship between problem behaviors and caregivers' well being: Results from triadic data. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Geriatrics Society. Chicago, IL.
- Mackin, S., Savla, G*, Gillung, E*, **Ayalon, L.,** McKay, E*, Areean, P. (February, 2009). Paper presented at the annual meeting of the International Neuropsychological Society, Atlanta, Georgia
- Ayalon, L.** (November, 2008). Willingness to participate in Alzheimer's research and attitudes towards proxy informed consent. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. National Harbor, Maryland.
- Ayalon, L.** (November, 2008). Dementia knowledge and practice of foreign home care workers in Israel. Paper presented as part of a symposium on Behavioral Symptoms in Dementia: Translating knowledge into practice organized by Kimberly Curyto, Ph.D. at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America. National Harbor, Maryland.
- Ayalon, L.,** & Itzhaki, H. (March, 2008). The moderating role of health status and trauma in determining sense of well being immediately after the war. Poster presented as part of the annual meeting of the American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry, Orlando, FL.
- Ayalon, L.** (March, 2008). Subjective cognitive functioning as a predictor of all cause mortality. Poster presented as part of the annual meeting of the American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry, Orlando, FL.
- Ayalon, L.** (March, 2008). Volunteering as a predictor of all cause mortality: What aspects of volunteering really matter? Poster presented as part of the annual meeting of the American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry, Orlando, FL. Also presented as a poster at the bi-annual meeting of Israel Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- Ayalon, L.** (February, 2008). Using a mixed-methods approach to evaluate the working conditions of foreign home care workers in Israel. Paper presented at the bi-annual meeting of Israel Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel.
- Ayalon, L.** (February, 2008). Cognitive functioning of older Israeli. Presented as part of a symposium of first results of SHARE-Israel at the bi-annual meeting of Israel Gerontological Society, Tel Aviv, Israel

Ayalon, L. (Nov. 2007). No place like home? Challenges associated with foreign home care work in Israel. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA

Ayalon, L., Arean, P.A., Bornfeld, H. (2007). Knowledge, attitudes, and beliefs about depression among long-term care staff. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA

Ayalon, L. (March, 2007). Knowledge about evidence based practices among long-term care staff. Paper presented as part of a symposium on the Senior Behavioral Mental Health Services, organized by Arean, P.A. at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Francisco, CA

Ayalon, L., & Covinsky, K. (March, 2007). Long term mortality in Jewish survivors of the Nazi regime. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry. New Orleans

Gum, A., McDougal, S.,* & **Ayalon, L.** (March, 2007). Utilization and preferences for psychotherapy modalities in racial and ethnic minority older adults. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry. New Orleans

Ayalon, L. (March, 2007). Improving the knowledge and clinical practices of long-term care staff. Paper to be presented as part of a symposium on Innovations in Behavioral Interventions for Agitation Management in Assisted Living chaired by Arean, P. at the annual meeting of the American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry. New Orleans

Ayalon, L., Kaniel, M.*, Rosenberg, L.* (June, 2006). The development of an acculturation measure of Filipino home care workers in Israel. Paper presented at the second Qualitative Methods Research Conference, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Kaniel, M.*, **Ayalon, L.,** Rosenberg, L.* (June, 2006). Gender roles and their impact on Filipino home care workers in Israel. Poster presented at the second Qualitative Methods Research Conference, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Rosenberg, L.* **Ayalon, L.,** Kaniel, M.* (June, 2006). Intergenerational solidarity in the face of foreign home care workers. Paper presented at the second Qualitative Methods Research Conference, Tel Aviv, Israel.

Bornfeld, H.L., Areán, P.A., Linkins, K., Beard, R., **Ayalon, L.** (May, 2006). Senior Behavioral Health Services Project: Improving implementation of evidence-based treatments for neuropsychiatric symptoms of dementia through staff training and consultation in residential care facilities for the elderly. Poster presented at the Bay Area Health Care Quality & Outcomes Research Conference. San Francisco, CA

Ayalon, L., & Areán, P.A. (March, 2006) Integration of Mental Health Services into Primary Care Overcomes Ethnic Disparities in Access to Mental Health Services between Black and White Elderly. Poster presented at the American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry. San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Ayalon, L., Mackin, S. & Areán, P.A. (March, 2006) Cognitive functioning predicts thoughts of hurting one self and thoughts of death. Poster presented at the American Association of Geriatric Psychiatry. San Juan, Puerto Rico.

Ayalon, L., Alvidrez, A., Areán, P.A. (November, 2005). Beliefs about mental illness predict mental health service use in a sample of ethnic minority elderly. Poster presented at the Latino Mental Health Conference. Princeton, New Jersey, NY.

Ayalon, L., Gum, A., Areán, P.A. (November, 2005). "In the absence of a magic pill": the evidence for behavioral interventions for the treatment of neuropsychiatric symptoms in demented elderly. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, New Orleans, Louisiana

- Huyck, M.H., **Ayalon, L.**, Yoder, J. (July, 2005). Evaluating the impact of the SeniorCare program. Paper presented at the International Congress of Gerontology, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- Gum, A., **Ayalon, L.**, Greenberg, M.*, Palko, B.*, Areán, P.A. (November, 2004). Development of a measure of utilization and preferences for mental health services for ethnic minorities. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington D.C.
- Ayalon, L.**, Perri, C.*, Horowitz, M, Areán, P.A. (November, 2004). “How come I survived?” Learning about resilience from testimonies of Holocaust survivors. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Washington D.C.
- Amber, G., **Ayalon, L.**, Palko, B. *, Greenberg, J.M.*, Ruffo, E.*, & Areán, P.A. (June, 2004). Older adults’ utilization and preferences for mental health services. Poster presented at the National Research Services Award (NRSA) Trainees Research Conference, San Diego, California
- Wyman, M., **Ayalon, L.**, Gum, A., & Areán, P.A. (April, 2004). Mental health research and treatment issues with minority older adults. Lecture/mini workshop presented at the joint conference of the National Council on Aging/ American Society on Aging, San Francisco, California.
- Huyck, M., **Ayalon, L.**, Rowland, S. & Yoder, J (November, 2003). Evaluating impact of caregiving support programs. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, California
- Ayalon, L.**, & Areán, P.A. (November, 2003). Knowledge of Alzheimer’s Disease in Four Ethnic Groups of Older Adults. Talk presented as part of a symposium “ Ethnic differences in knowledge of Alzheimer’s disease and their implications for educational and treatment interventions” by L. Ayalon, P.A. Areán (D. Gallagher-Thompson as a discussant) at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, California
- Ayalon, L.**, Areán, P.A., & Alvidrez, J. (November, 2003). The role of perceived stigma and patient-physician relationship in compliance with antidepressant medications among older adults. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, San Diego, California
- Areán, P.A., **Ayalon, L.**, Alvidrez, J. (August, 2003). Consumer-based research methods for recruiting and retaining ethnic minorities into mental health research. Talk presented as part of a symposium “Enhancing Research Participation for Ethnic Minority Elders: An American Problem with International Implications “, by W.E. Faison at the International Psychogeriatrics Association, Chicago, Illinois.
- Ayalon, L.** & Young, M.A. (May, 2003). Understanding Racial Group Differences in Service Use. Poster presented at the American Psychiatric Association, San Francisco, California.
- Ayalon, L.** & Young, M.A. (January, 2003). Alexithymia- A personality style or a socio-cultural variant? Poster presented at the Second Multi-Cultural Summit, Hollywood, California.
- Ayalon, L.** & Young, M. A. (November, 2002). Locus of control as a mediator of racial variations in symptom expression. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Association for Advancement of Behavior Therapy, Reno, Nevada.
- Ayalon, L.** & Huyck, M.H. (November, 2002). Cultural variants of caregiving or the culture of caregiver. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Boston, Massachusetts
- Ayalon, L.** & Young, M.A. (September, 2002). Examining racial Group differences in symptom report. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, San Francisco, California.

Huyck, M. H., Yoder, J., Lopez, G., & **Ayalon, L.** (April, 2002). Developing effective urban caregiving support programs. Lecture/mini workshop presented at the joint conference of the National Council on Aging/ American Society on Aging, Denver, Colorado.

Huyck, M.H., Rich, A., Rybal, T., Yoder, J., & **Ayalon, L.** (December, 2001). Marketing effective caregiving support programs: from the novice to the professional. Session presented at the Governor's Conference on Aging and Human Services, Chicago, Illinois

Ayalon, L., Huyck, M. H, Lopez, G., & Yoder, J. (November, 2001). Providing informal care to an elderly family member- the Latino perspective. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Gerontological Society of America, Chicago, Illinois

Ayalon, L. & Young, M. A. (November, 2001). Somatic versus psychological expressions of depression- Can they be differentiated? Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Madison, Wisconsin.

Ayalon, L. & Young, M. A. (November, 2000). A comparison of depressive symptoms in African Americans and Caucasian Americans. Poster presented at the annual meeting of the Society for Research in Psychopathology, Boulder, Colorado.

** Work conducted with students*

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Mental health service use and clinical outcomes in older adults
Formal and informal care
Ageism

INVITED TALKS

12/2019- New directions in the field of gerontology, The future of gerontology, Haifa University, Haifa, Israel

11/2019- Our ageing futures, Anglo-Israel colloquium, Jerusalem, Israel

11/2019- Lessons from SHARE-Israel, the Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel

11/2019-Success stories. The advantages of collaborating on an ITN. ISERD, Jerusalem, Israel

11/2019- The pathways and implications of ageism: Is it possible to eliminate ageism. Social, Behavioral, and Environmental Enablers for Healthy Longevity. National Academy of Medicine, Washington, D.C.

11/2019-Understanding ageism. The 12th meeting of the UNECE's intergovernmental Working Group on Ageing meeting in Palais des Nations, Geneva, Switzerland

11/2019- Ageing as an opportunity. Ageing from basic science to policy advise. International Antonio Feltrinelli Conference. Rome, Italy

7/2019- Addressing the challenges of ageing across the life course. Transforming the future of ageing: Lessons from the SAPEA report and its application to the Israeli context. The Israel Academy of Science, Jerusalem, Israel

7/2019- Panel discussant. Human Rights' Council 41st session side event. Can human rights education curtail ageism? United Nations, Palais des Nations, Geneva, Switzerland.

5/2019- Keynote Speaker- Ageism: Challenges and new directions. The annual meeting of IAGG-ER. Gothenburg, Sweden

5/2019-IAGG Master class on ageism- speaker and mentor

3/2019- Challenges and new directions in the conduct of transnational elder care research. Presented as part of the Long term care crisis: Tapping into labour resources within and across national borders. Mainz, Germany.

2/2019- Old age and ageing in long term care. Presented as part of the ISF subjective ageing conference. Haifa, Israel

10/2018- Active aging. The Prime Minister's round table on aging. Tel Aviv, Israel

8/2018- Participation of older adults in society. The Tvuna Forum on ageing (A program organized by various governmental and non-governmental agencies to develop a comprehensive ageing agenda in Israel. Jerusalem, Israel

6/2018- Ageism 101. A colloquium in the department of Psychology. The Open University, Israel

5/2018- Innovations in social gerontology- A University of Southern California course on aging. The IDC, Herzlia, Israel

4/2018- An introduction to aging in the 21st century. An introductory conference concerning older adults and aging. Rupin college, Israel.

4/2018- What do we mean when we say 'old age?' The Hackathon forum, organized by the National Insurance Institute of Israel, Tel Aviv, Israel

4/2018- Older adults living at home: Challenges and opportunities. Forum Tvuna (all Israeli governmental and non-governmental officials in the field of aging), Neve Ilan, Israel.

3/2018- Everything about ageism. The interdisciplinary colloquium, Bar Ilan University, Israel.

11/2017- What do we mean by ageism? The EU contribution to the WHO global campaign to combat ageism. Brussels, Belgium.

11/2017- Challenges associated with age and aging. Presented as part of the annual meeting of the association of rehabilitation psychology. Ashkelon, Israel

10/2017- Assessing change using longitudinal qualitative research. Qualitative Research in Communication, Bucharest, Romania

7/2017- Ageism from a multi-disciplinary perspective. Presented as part of the postdoctorate training at Palo Alto VA, Palo Alto, CA

7/2016- Challenges associated with the assessment of ageism. Paper presented as part of the Ageing as Future Conference. Institute of Psychogerontology, Nuremberg, Germany.

3/ 2016- The Israeli Young Academy: Addressing social issues in academia. Paper presented as part of a conference of the Asian Young Academies. Science Council of Japan, National Young Academy of Japan, Tokyo, Japan

12/2015- Loneliness as a source of inequality. The annual meeting of the conference on Inequalities in Health. The Ministry of Health, Tel Aviv, Israel

10-11/2015; 3/2016- Foreign home care workers in Israel. EMDA, Raanana, Israel; National Insurance Institute of Israel, Ramat Efal, Israel; Dorot, Ranana, Israel

6/2015- Preliminary findings from a meta-analysis and systematic review of elder abuse interventions. The National Elder Abuse Day, Ramat Gan, Israel

11/2014- Migrant home care workers in Israel: Challenges and advantages. Emda, Haifa, Israel

5/2014-The intersection of home care and hospital care. Israel Ministry of Health, Jerusalem, Israel

4/2014- Ageism in the health care system. Haifa University, Haifa, Israel

3/2014- Ageism. Tirat Rishonim (nursing home), Rishon Lezion, Israel

11/2013- The measurement of ageism. A meeting to honor the new book on ageism in Israeli society. Tel Aviv University, Israel

4-5/2013- Program evaluation. National Insurance Institute of Israel, Jerusalem, Israel

3/2013- Functionally disabled older adults-An exploration of the options of care. Psychogeriatric Unit, Ichilov Hospital, Tel Aviv University, Israel

3/2013- Home care workers in the hospital unit. Paper presented at the Multi-disciplinary conference on aging. Bar Ilan University, Ramat Gan, Israel

2/2013- Home care to older adults- What are the options. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the European Network for Social Policy Analysis. Jerusalem, Israel.

11/2012- Older adults accompanied by their live-in migrant home care workers during hospitalization. Paper presented at the annual meeting of the Geriatrics Conference. Tel Aviv, Israel

10/2012- Cognitive changes in older Israelis. Presented as part of the SHARE workshop. The Hebrew University, Israel

9/2012- Evidence based practice. National Insurance Institute of Israel (to be presented)

6/2012- Violence behind closed doors. Opening talk of the elder abuse day, Tel Aviv, Israel

3/2012- Innovation in social gerontology. The opening talk of the biannual meeting of the Israeli Gerontological Society.

4/2012- Between formal and informal care. The Cathedra for Gerontologists. Tel Aviv University, Israel

2/2012- Ageism: From theory to practice. The annual conference of Israeli speech therapist. Tel Aviv, Israel

11/2011- Foreign home care workers in Israel. Sheba Tel Hashomer, Israel

9/2011-Loneliness in old adults. Eshel, Israel

6/2011- The intersection of formal and informal caregiving to older adults with disability. Ben Gurion University, Israel

2010-ongoing workshops and lectures concerning suicide prevention in older adults given in a variety of settings including Eran (hotline), mental health social workers, psychiatrists and psychologists as part of the national program for the prevention of suicide.

10/2010 Suicide in older adults-Results from the Survey of Health and Retirement in Europe. Hebrew University.

10/2009 Social and Legal Responses to Elder Abuse. The Jewish Federation-Tel Aviv-Los Angeles. *Abuse and neglect in older adults who receive round the clock home care services*. Tel Aviv, Israel

9/2009 Hebrew University, Advancing the Knowledge Concerning Older Adults- *Suicide prevention in older adults*. Talk presented to the Israel Ministry of Welfare. Jerusalem, Israel

5/2009 Hebrew University, School of Social Work-Celebrating 50 years to the school of social work- *Examining elder abuse and neglect under the live-in foreign home care system*. Jerusalem, Israel

5/2009 Hebrew University, School of Social Work- SHARE ISRAEL. *The role of cognitive functioning as a predictor of suicidal ideation in older adults*.

12/2008 Bar Ilan University, Departmental Colloquium- *The new caregivers of the 21st century*. Ramat Gan, Israel

11/2008 Alzheimer's Center Research Day- *Ethical Issues involving the enrolment of patients with Alzheimer's disease into research*. Tel Hashomer, Israel

11/2007 Israel-SHARE first results' conference- *Cognitive functioning in older adults 50 years and older*. Jerusalem, Israel

4/2007 International Psychogeriatric Association Satellite Conference- *Filipino home care workers in Israel- The new caregivers of the 21st century*. Haifa, Israel

5/2006 Continuing education at Bar Ilan University. *An introduction to cognitive behavioral therapy*. Talk given to field supervisors

4/2006 The Israeli Psychogeriatric Nursing Association-*An interdisciplinary panel on nursing in long-term care*. Talk given to psychogeriatric nurses

10/2006 University of California, San Francisco- *Developing your research in the community- How to conduct community based research*. Talk given to NIH postdoctoral students

12/2005 Lev Zahav- *Potential conflicts between family caregivers and formal caregivers*. Talk given to paraprofessional workers

ORGANIZATION OF INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

2014-2018: As the coordinator of a COST Action on ageism, I have organized multiple conferences in various locations, including, Dublin, Berlin, Barcelona, Bucharest, Krakow, Vilnius, London, Eindhoven, Brussels, and Tel Aviv.

2017-2021: As the coordinator of an international Ph.D. program funded through the European Commission on ageism, I have organized multiple conferences and training schools in various locations, including, Tampere, Aberdeen, Gothenburg, Krakow, The Czech Republic, Brussels, and Tel Aviv.

A meeting of the Asian Young Academies in Israel, Feb, 2018, The Israel Academy of Science, Israel

Israel Science Foundation workshop on longitudinal research, Jan., 2019, Bar Ilan University, Israel

Israel Science Foundation workshop on social network, Feb., 2020, Bar Ilan University, Israel

A meeting of the Science Advice for Policy work group on transforming the future of ageing, July, 2019, The Israel Academy of Science, Israel

The WHO expert group meeting to develop a measure to assess ageism, February, 2020, Tel Aviv, Israel

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

11/2005-ongoing *Bar Ilan University, School of Social Work, Israel*
Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (BA; MA); Brief Psychotherapy Interventions (BA; MA);
Psychosocial Aspects of Aging (BA;MA); Statistics (BA); Research Seminar (BA); Evidence
based therapy (BA); Qualitative Research (MA/Ph.D.)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATION

Gerontological Society of America
Israel Gerontological Society

AD HOC REVIEWER

2002- Clinical Psychologist

2004- Clinical Gerontologist

2004; 2013-2014- Psychiatric Services

2005- Mental Health Services Research

2005; 2007- International Journal of Psychiatry in Medicine

2005- Cultural Diversity

2005-2009- American Journal of Orthopsychiatry

2006- Journal of Behavioral Health Services & Research

2006- Gerontology (Israel)

2006- Journal of Abnormal Psychology

2006/2008-2010, 2012- Quality of Life Research

2007; 2012-Journal of Human Hypertension

2007;2009-2011- International Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry

2007-2014- American Journal of Geriatric Psychiatry

2008-2010- Journal of Marriage and Family

2008;2010- Journal of Happiness Studies

2008- Journal of Neuroepidemiology

2008-American Journal of Hypertension

2008- Neuroepidemiology

2008/2010/2013/2015/2017/2019- Aging and Mental Health

2008-2012; 2014- International Psychogeriatrics

2008- Cochrane Review

2009- Archives of Internal Medicine

2009- Diabetes Research and Clinical Practice

2009- Gerontological Society of America- review of proposals submitted to the annual meeting

2009-2010; 2017- The Gerontologist

2009, 2011, 2015- British Journal of Social Work

2010-2011; 2016-2017- Social Science and Medicine

2010, 2013; 2017-2019- Journal of Applied Gerontology

2010- Journal of Family Practice

2010- General Hospital Psychiatry

2010-2011- The Journal of Psychology

2011-Aging Health

2011-Bitachon Sociali (Hebrew)

2011, 2013-2014- Gerontologia (Hebrew)

2011, 2013- Ageing and Society

2011- Journal of Clinical Epidemiology

2011, 2012-Family Practice

2011- BMC Public Health

2011-Brain and Behavior

2011-International Perspectives in Psychology: Research, Practice, Consultation

2011-BMC Health Services Research

2012- Journal of Human Hypertension

2012; 2014-2015; 2017-Research on Aging

2012; 2014-2015-European Journal of Ageing

2012; 2014-Journal of Aging and Health

2012-Annals of Internal Medicine
2012-Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology
2012; 2014-2018-Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences
2014-British Journal of Psychiatry
2014-2015-Journal of Clinical Psychiatry
2014-American Journal of Geriatrics Society
2015- British Journal of Psychiatry
2015- Journal of Alzheimer's disease
2016; 2019- JAMA Psychiatry
2017- Journal of the American Geriatrics Society
2017- Journal of Health Psychology
2017- Psychology and Aging
2017; 2019- PlosOne
2017- WHO Bulletin
2018-Age and Ageing
2018-Research on Aging
2019- Innovation in Aging
2019- International Journal of Manpower
2019- American Journal of Preventive Medicine and Public Health
2019- International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health
2019-JAMA-Psychiatry

EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBER/ GUEST EDITOR

2014- ongoing- Society and Welfare (Hevra Verevacha, Hebrew)
2010- Current Gerontology and Geriatrics Research
2010- Guest editor of a special issue of Gerontologia (Hebrew) on the topic of Ageism (with Haya Koren and Sharon Shiovitz-Ezra) and on the topic of caregiving (with Yaacov Bachner)
2015- Guest editor of a special section on ageism: European Journal of Ageing
2016- ongoing- Research on Aging; Journal of Gerontology: Social Sciences; Social Security

2018-ongoing- Journal of Applied Gerontology

2019- Guest editor of the International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health for a special issue on home care for older adults

GRANT REVIEWER

2002- American Psychological Society Student Caucus Reviewer (APSSC)- Research on Socially and Economically Underrepresented Populations (RISE-UP)- Fourth Annual Research Competition and Symposium

2004; 2005; 2011- Alzheimer's Association Research Grant

2005- Israel Science and Technology Center Grant Program

2007; 2017- Israel Science Foundation

2008- American Psychological Association- Division 20, Student Award

2010-Chorev Institute

2010-Israel Ministry of Science and Technology

2011, 2016- Bi-national Science Foundation

2011- German Israeli Foundation

2012- Romanian National Council for Research and Development. Partnership Program, Joint, Applied Research Projects

2012-Latvian Council of Science Project Evaluation System

2012- Swedish Council for Working life and Social Research (FAS)

2013- The Israel National Institute for Health Policy Research

2014-The Netherlands Organisation for Health Research and Development (ZonMw) and the National Initiative Brain & Cognition (NIHC)

2015- Israel Science Foundation

2017- Competitive Research Funding Schemes for the Local Self-financing Degree Sector of Research Grants Council (RGC); Hong Kong

2017- Auckland Medical Research Foundation, New Zealand

2017- The Israel National Institute for Health Policy & Health Services Research

2018- SBO project with a primary societal finality- the Research Foundation Flanders

2019- Beethoven 2 The National Science Center. (Narodowe Centrum Nauki – NCN. Poland

2019- Austrian Science Fund