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## EDUCATION

- 2013 – present: PhD in Social Psychology**, Tel Aviv University, “Paradoxical thinking as a new conflict resolution intervention”. Supervisors: Prof. Arie Nadler, Prof. Daniel Bar-Tal and Prof. Eran Halperin.
- 2010 – 2013: MA in Social Psychology**, Tel Aviv University. Supervisor: Prof. Arie Nadler.
- 2006 – 2009: BA in Psychology (Magna Cum Laude) and Communication**, Tel Aviv University.

## ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- Starting 2018: Postdoctoral Fellow:** Beyond Conflict Innovation Lab postdoctoral fellow in the Peace and Conflict Neuroscience Lab; PI: Dr. Emile Bruneau, University of Pennsylvania.
- 2014 – 2018: Grant writer and research coordinator:** "Paradoxical thinking as a new intergroup conflict resolution intervention" (ISF – accepted 2016); PIs: Prof. Eran Halperin, Interdisciplinary Center (IDC) Herzliya, and Prof. Daniel Bar-Tal, Tel Aviv University.
- 2013 – 2018: Research assistant:** "Hearts of flesh – not stone: Does meeting the "suffering of the other" influence reconciliation in the middle of conflict?" (DFG); PIs: Prof. Dr. Martin Leiner, Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena, Prof. Arie Nadler, Tel Aviv University, Prof. Mohammad Dajani, Wasatia Institute, and Prof. Shifra Sagy, Ben Gurion University.
- 2013 – 2015: Research coordinator:** "Socio-psychological barriers to peacemaking: A longitudinal study among Jews in Israel" (ISF); PIs: Prof. Daniel Bar-Tal, Tel Aviv University, and Prof. Eran Halperin, Interdisciplinary Center (IDC) Herzliya.
- 2012 – 2013: Research Assistant** at the Faculty of Management's behavioral lab, Tel Aviv University, under the leadership of Prof. Daniel Heller and Dr. Carmit Tadmor.

## RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

### Peer-Reviewed Articles:

Idan, O., Halperin, E., Hameiri, B., & Reifen Tagar, M. (2018). A rose by any other name? Subtle linguistic cue impacts anger and corresponding policy support in intractable conflict. *Psychological Science*, 29(6), 972-983.

Shahar, E., Hameiri, B.\*, Bar-Tal, D., & Raviv, A. (2018). Self-censorship of conflict

related information in the context of intractable conflict. *Journal of Conflict Resolution*, 62(5), 957-982.

\* *Equal contribution by the first two authors.*

Hameiri, B., Nabet, E., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2018). Paradoxical thinking as a conflict resolution intervention: Comparison to alternative interventions and examination of psychological mechanisms. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 44(1), 122-139.

Hameiri, B., Sharvit, K., Bar-Tal, D., Shahar, E., & Halperin, E. (2017). Support for Self-censorship among Israelis as a Socio-psychological Barrier to Resolving the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict. *Political Psychology*, 38(5), 795-813.

Ben David, Y., Hameiri, B., Benheim, S., Leshem, B., Sarid, A., Sternberg, M., Nadler, A., & Sagy, S. (2017). Exploring ourselves within inter-group conflict: The role of intra-group dialogue in promoting acceptance of collective narratives and willingness towards reconciliation. *Peace and Conflict: Journal of Peace Psychology*, 23(3), 269-277.

Hameiri, B., & Nadler, A. (2017). Looking backward to move forward: Effects of acknowledgment of victimhood on readiness to compromise for peace in the protracted Israeli-Palestinian conflict. *Personality and Social Psychology Bulletin*, 43(4), 555-569.

Hameiri, B., Porat, R., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2016). Moderating attitudes in times of violence through paradoxical thinking intervention. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, 113(43), 12105-12110.

Hameiri, B., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2014). Challenges for peacemakers: How to overcome socio-psychological barriers. *Policy Insights from Behavioral and Brain Sciences*, 1, 164-171.

Hameiri, B., Porat, R., Bar-Tal, D., Bieler, A., & Halperin, E. (2014). Paradoxical thinking as a new avenue of intervention to promote peace. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences*, 111(30), 10996-11001.

Liberman, N., Polack, O., Hameiri, B., & Blumenfeld, M. (2012). Priming of spatial distance enhances children's creative performance. *Journal of Experimental Child Psychology*, 111(4), 663-670.

### **Book Chapters:**

Hameiri, B., Bar-Tal, D. & Halperin, E. (2017). Self-censorship as a socio-psychological barrier to peacemaking. In D. Bar-Tal, R. Nets-Zehngut, & K. Sharvit (Eds.), *Self-censorship in contexts of conflict: Theory and research* (pp. 61-78). New York, NY: Springer.

Hameiri, B., & Halperin, E. (2015). Socio-psychological barriers to peacemaking and overcoming them: A review of psychological interventions. In E. Halperin & K. Sharvit (Eds.), *The social psychology of intractable conflict: Celebrating the legacy of Daniel Bar-Tal* (Vol. 1, pp. 173-187). New York, NY: Springer.

### **Encyclopedia Entry:**

Hameiri, B. (2016). Intractable conflicts. In P. Joseph (Ed.), *The SAGE encyclopedia of war: Social science perspectives*. Thousand Oaks, CA: Sage Publications.

### **Manuscripts under review:**

Sharvit, K., Bar-Tal, D., Hameiri, B., Zafran, A., Shahar, E., & Raviv, A. (under second review). *Self-censorship orientation: Scale development, correlates and outcomes*.

Weiss, N., Hameiri, B., & Halperin, E. (under second review). *Group-based guilt and shame in the context of intractable conflict: The role of beliefs and meta beliefs about group malleability*.

Maaravi, Y., & Hameiri, B. (under second review). *Do "clothes make the man"? The effect of external cues on first offers in negotiation*.

Hameiri, B., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (under third review). *Paradoxical thinking interventions: A paradigm for societal change*.

### **Conference papers:**

Hameiri, B., & Nadler, A. (2018, June). Looking backward to move forward: Effects of acknowledgment of victimhood on intergroup conflict resolution. Presented at the *Understanding and Transforming Challenging Relationships EASP Small Group Meeting*, San Sebastián, Spain.

Hameiri, B., Nabet, E., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2018, April). Paradoxical thinking as a conflict resolution intervention: Examination of psychological mechanisms. Presented at the *Society of Australasian Social Psychologists Annual Conference*, Wellington, New Zealand.

Hameiri, B., Nabet, E., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2017, December). Paradoxical thinking as a conflict resolution intervention: Examination of psychological mechanisms. Presented at the *Annual Social Psychology Doctoral Students Conference*, Herzliya, Israel.

Hameiri, B., Nabet, E., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2017, July). Paradoxical thinking as a conflict resolution intervention: Examination of psychological mechanisms. Presented at the *European Association of Social Psychology General Meeting*, Granada, Spain.

Hameiri, B., Nabet, E., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2017, June). Paradoxical thinking as a conflict resolution intervention: Examination of psychological mechanisms. Presented at the *Understanding the Winds of Change: Psychological Processes that Change Individuals in Intergroup Conflict* conference, Appingedam, The Netherlands.

Hameiri, B., Porat, R., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2017, January). Moderating attitudes in times of violence through paradoxical thinking intervention.

Presented at the *Society for Personality and Social Psychology Convention*, San Antonio, TX, USA.

Hameiri, B., Porat, R., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2016, July). Moderating attitudes in times of violence through paradoxical thinking intervention. Presented at the *International Society of Political Psychology Annual Meeting*, Warsaw, Poland.

Hameiri, B., Porat, R., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2016, July). Moderating attitudes in times of violence through paradoxical thinking intervention. Presented at the *Meeting on Intergroup Psychological Interventions*, Stanford, USA.

Hameiri, B., Nabet, E., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2016, March). Using leading questions as a paradoxical thinking intervention in intractable conflict. Presented at the *Society of Australasian Social Psychologists Annual Conference*, Brisbane, Australia.

Hameiri, B., & Nadler, A. (2015, December). Acknowledgment of victimhood: The case of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. Presented at the *Political Psychology Conference*, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Hameiri, B., Nabet, E., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2015, July). Using leading questions as a paradoxical thinking intervention in intractable conflict. Presented at the *International Society of Political Psychology Annual Meeting*, San Diego, USA.

Hameiri, B., & Nadler, A. (2015, July). Increasing readiness to make political concessions through acknowledgment of adversary's victimhood: The case of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. Presented at the *International Society of Political Psychology Annual Meeting*, San Diego, USA.

Hameiri, B., Bar-Tal, D., & Halperin, E. (2015, June). Paradoxical thinking as a conflict resolution intervention in intractable conflict. Presented at the *Identity, Emotion and Intergroup Conflict Workshop*, Jaffa, Israel.

Hameiri, B., Porat, R., Bar-Tal, D., Bieler, A., & Halperin, E. (2014, December). Paradoxical thinking as a new avenue of intervention to promote peace. Presented at the *Annual Social Psychology Doctoral Students Conference*, Haifa, Israel.

Hameiri, B., Porat, R., Bar-Tal, D., Bieler, A., & Halperin, E. (2014, July). Paradoxical thinking as a new avenue of intervention to promote peace. Presented at the *European Association of Social Psychology General Meeting*, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Hameiri, B., Porat, R., Bar-Tal, D., Bieler, A., & Halperin, E. (2014, July). Paradoxical thinking as a new avenue of intervention to promote peace. Presented at the *International Society of Political Psychology Annual Meeting*, Rome, Italy.

Hameiri, B., & Nadler, A. (2014, July). Victimhood acknowledgment as a vehicle to

promote reconciliation: The case of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. Presented at the *International Society of Political Psychology Annual Meeting*, Rome, Italy.

Hameiri, B., & Nadler, A. (2014, June). Victimhood acknowledgment as a vehicle to promote reconciliation: The case of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict. Presented at the *Jena Workshop on Intergroup Processes*, Oppurg, Germany.

Hameiri, B., Sharvit, K., Shahar, E., & Bar-Tal, D. (2013, July). Support for Self-Censorship as a Socio-Psychological Barrier to Peace in Israel: Antecedents and Consequences. Presented at the *International Society of Political Psychology Annual Meeting*, Herzliya, Israel.

Shahar, E., Hameiri, B., Raviv, A., & Bar-Tal, D. (2013, July). Self-censorship of information: An experimental examination of individual and circumstantial factors. Presented at the *International Society of Political Psychology Annual Meeting*, Herzliya, Israel.

Sharvit, K., Zafran, A., Hameiri, B., Bar-Tal, D., Shahar, E., & Raviv, A. (2013, July). Self-censorship orientation (SCO) among members of society in conflict: Construction of the SCO scale. Presented at the *International Society of Political Psychology Annual Meeting*, Herzliya, Israel.

#### **Invited talks:**

Hameiri, B., Porat, R., Bar-Tal, D., Bieler, A., & Halperin, E. (2015, June). Paradoxical thinking as a new avenue of intervention to promote peace. Presented at the *The School of Psychological Sciences at Tel Aviv University Annual Research Students Conference*, Tel Aviv, Israel.

#### **TEACHING**

**Adjunct Lecturer, School of Psychology, IDC Herzliya, 2017-2018:** Elective course: Political Psychology (B.A. Level).

**Adjunct Lecturer, School of Psychology, IDC Herzliya, 2016-2017:** Research Seminar: Psychological Interventions to Promote Intergroup Conflict Resolution (B.A. Level).

**Teaching assistant, School of Psychological Sciences, Tel Aviv University, 2012-2013:** Research Methods and Statistics (M.A. Level).

#### **SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS**

**2018:** The Walter Lebach Institute for Jewish-Arab Coexistence through Education Scholarship for Research Students.

**2017:** Faculty for Social Sciences at Tel Aviv University Award for Academic Excellence.

**2017:** The Social Sciences Faculty at Tel Aviv University Sergio Grywac Award.

**2017:** The Tami Steinmetz Center for Peace Research Scholarship for Research Students.

- 2016:** The Social Sciences Faculty at Tel Aviv University Yitzhak Rabin Award.
- 2016:** The David and Paulina Trotsky Fund Excellence Award for PhD Students.
- 2015 – 2018:** Fellow of the Azrieli Foundation.
- 2015:** Travel award received by the International Society of Political Psychology.
- 2015:** The School for Psychological Sciences at Tel Aviv University Award for Excellence in Research.
- 2014:** Travel award received by the Jena Workshop on Intergroup Processes.
- 2013:** Awarded full stipend for participating in the Friedrich-Schiller-University, Jena Summer School 2013: "Societies in Transition – Asia and Australia between Conflict and Reconciliation".
- 2013 – 2015:** The School for Psychological Sciences at Tel Aviv University Bursary for PhD Students.
- 2011:** Faculty for Social Sciences at Tel Aviv University Award for Academic Excellence.
- 2010 – 2011:** The School for Psychological Sciences at Tel Aviv University Bursary for MA Students. Awarded in recognition of academic excellence in the Bachelor degree.

## **PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:**

### **Membership in learned societies:**

- Society for Personality and Social Psychology
- International Society of Political Psychology

### **Membership in research groups/labs:**

- 2013 – 2018:** PICR (Psychology of Intergroup Conflict and Reconciliation) Lab headed by Eran Halperin, Tamar Saguy and Michal Reifen Tagar, IDC Herzliya
- 2013 – 2018:** Victimhood and power relations research group headed by Arie Nadler, Tel Aviv University
- 2013 – 2014:** Learning community headed by Daniel Bar-Tal, Tel Aviv University

### **Ad-hoc reviewer:**

- *European Journal of Social Psychology*
- *Conflict Management and Peace Science*
- *Frontiers in Psychology*