

AMIT LEVINSON

I am an MA student in the [Sociology & Anthropology Department](#) at [Ben-Gurion University of the Negev](#). I am currently researching illegal drug markets and technology with a focus on the online Israeli cannabis market on Telegram. In my spare time I like to learn and visualize in R.



EDUCATION

2020
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2018

MA, Sociology & Anthropology
Ben-Gurion University

📍 Be'er-Sheva, Israel

- Currently enrolled (expected 2020)
- Thesis: Exploring the authentication process in the online Israeli illegal drug market

2018
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2015

BA, Sociology, Anthropology & Political Science
Ben-Gurion University

📍 Be'er-Sheva, Israel

- Magna cum laude



EXPERIENCE

2020
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2018

Research Assistant
Department of Political Science

📍 Ben-Gurion University

- Online and Offline political participation research assistant for Dr. Jennifer Oser
- English-language research and literature survey
- Statistical coding and interpretation of literature

2017
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2016

Creative campaign manager
Ben-Gurion Student Union

📍 Ben-Gurion University

- Event branding and management of professional photographer team

2015
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2013

Israeli Liaison for the Jewish Agency
Rockville JCC

📍 Rockville, MD, USA

- Jewish Community Center: Event planning and promotion; Activity management; Presentations
- Operational responsibility for the Israeli Scouts local chapter



TEACHING

CONTACT

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SKILLS

📊 R, SPSS

💻 Microsoft Office

2020-04
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2019-10

SPSS Workshop Conductor

Department of Sociology & Anthropology, BA  Ben-Gurion University

- Reviewed assignments, provided feedback and guidance for using SPSS

2020
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2018


Statistics Teaching Assistant

Department of Sociology & Anthropology, BA  Ben-Gurion University

- Taught for two semesters
- Independent presentations; Assisting individual students; Test writing

2019-10
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2019-04

Quantitative Methods Teaching Assistant

Department of Sociology & Anthropology, BA  Ben-Gurion University

- Independent presentations; Assisting individual students; Test writing



TALKS

2020-04

Wrangling and visualizing data in R

Israel-2050 Fellows program

 Online Zoom

2020-03

“Yes I can...?” Political efficacy in the digital era

 Be'er-Sheva, Israel

- Presented at Revolutions and Counter-revolutions: Ben-Gurion University Social Science and Humanities Annual Conference
- Co-Presented with Dr. Jennifer Oser & Dr Shelley Boulianne

2019-10

Teaching Assistants Work Shop

Department of Sociology & Anthropology, BGU


 Be'er-Sheva, Israel

- Co-Presented with Eliza Frenkel

2019-05

Digital Media Use, Political Participation & Political Efficacy: A Research Agenda.

Israel Political Science Association conference

 Akko, Israel

- Co-Presented with Dr. Jennifer Oser

2019-01

Conducting a Seminar Paper for B.A students

Department of Politics and Government, BGU

 Be'er-Sheva, Israel

- Presented at the seminar course “Democratization and De-Democratization in Contemporary Russia”



MILITARY SERVICE

2012
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2009

Armored Corps

📍 Israel