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#### **DESIRED RESEARCH AND TEACHING FIELDS:**

PRIMARY SECONDARY

Labor Economics Economics of Crime
Applied Econometrics Public Policy
Public Finance

**DISSERTATION TITLE:** "Essays in Labor Economics and Criminal Justice"

Expected Date of Completion: May 2019

Principal Advisor: Professor Patrick Kline

Other References: Professors David Card, Steven Raphael, and Christopher Walters

# PRE-DOCTORAL STUDIES:DEGREEDATEFIELDTel Aviv UniversityM.A.2012Economics

Tel Aviv University B.A. w/honors 2010 Economics and Philosophy (dual major)

#### **PAPERS:**

"Does Incarceration Increase Crime?" (Job Market Paper) (with Evan K. Rose)

"The Effects of Teacher Quality on Criminal Behavior" (with Evan K. Rose and Jonathan Schellenberg), 2018

"Make or Buy? The Provision of Indigent Defense Services in the U.S.", 2018. Under review

"Inference on a New Class of Sample Average Treatment Effects" (with Jasjeet Sekhon), 2018. Revise and resubmit at *Journal of the American Statistical Association* 

"The Classification Permutation Test: A Non-Parametric Test for Equality of Multivariate Distributions" (with Johann Gagnon-Bartsch), 2018. Revise and resubmit at *The Annals of Applied Statistics* 

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

#### RESEARCH:

Research Assistant to Prof. Steven Raphael (2016-2017), U.C. Berkeley Research Assistant to Prof. Jasjeet Sekhon (2014-2018), U.C. Berkeley

### **TEACHING:**

Teaching Assistant for Graduate The Statistics of Causal Inference in the Social Science, Department of Statistics, U.C. Berkeley (Fall 2014 to Spring 2017)

Teaching Assistant for Graduate Public Economics, Department of Economics, U.C. Berkeley (Spring 2016, 2017)

# FELLOWSHIPS, GRANTS, AND AWARDS:

201	7-2018	Graduate Research Fellowship Program for Criminal Justice Statistics (\$45,000), Bureau of Justice Statistics
201	6-2017	Center for Equitable Growth Fellowship for Continuing Students, U.C. Berkeley
201	6	George Break Prize for Best Performance in Public Finance courses, U.C. Berkeley
201	1	E. Berglas award for best economics paper by a graduate student, Tel-Aviv University

#### **REFEREE SERVICE:**

American Economic Review, Journal of Public Economics, Journal of Statistical Software, Political Analysis

#### OTHER INFORMATION:

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