# Yotam Shem-Tov

## Curriculum Vitae

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## Academic Education

- 2013-Present Ph.D. in Economics, University of California, Berkeley, expected graduation date: May 2019.
  - 2012 M.A in Economics, Tel-Aviv University.
  - 2010 B.A in Economics, Magna Cum Laude, Tel-Aviv University.
  - 2010 B.A in Philosophy, Tel-Aviv University.

# Awards and Fellowships

- 2017-2018 Graduate Research Fellowship Program for Criminal Justice Statistics (\$45,000), Bureau of Justice Statistics, U.S. Department of Justice
  - 2017 Center for Equitable Growth Fellowship for Continuing Students, UC Berkeley
  - 2016 George Break Prize for Best Performance in Public Finance courses, UC Berkeley
  - 2013 Economics Department Fellowship, UC Berkeley
  - 2011 E. Berglas award for best economics paper by a graduate student, Tel-Aviv University

# Working Papers

- 1. New Estimates of the Incapacitation and Criminogenic Effects of Prison, with Evan K. Rose. Job  $Market\ Paper$
- 2. Make or Buy? The Provision of Indigent Defense Services in the U.S. Submitted
- 3. Inference on a New Class of Sample Average Treatment Effects, with Jasjeet Sekhon. Submitted
- 4. The Classification Permutation Test: A Non-Parametric Test for Equality of Multivariate Distributions (with Johann Gagnon-Bartsch). Revise and resubmit at *The Annals of Applied Statistics*.

# Publications (in Refereed Journals)

- 1. Fairness and personalised pricing, with Nir Vulkan. *Economic Letters*. Volume 136, November 2015, Pages 179–183.
- 2. Entrepreneurs' Negotiation Behavior, with Sabrina Artinger and Nir Vulkan. Small Business Economics. 2015. Pages 1-21.
- 3. International Tax Competition: Zero Tax Rate at the Top Re-Established, with Tomer Blumkin and Efraim Sadka. *International Tax and Public Finance*. 2015. Pages 1–17.
- 4. A Case for Maximum Wage, with Tomer Blumkin and Efraim Sadka. *Economic Letters*. 2013. Volume 120, Issue 3, Pages 374–378.

#### Presentations and Invited Talks:

- 2018 UC Berkeley Public Finance Lunch Seminar, UC Berkeley Labor Seminar
- 2017 UC Berkeley Goldman School of Public Policy Research Seminar, UC Berkeley Labor Seminar, Berkeley Statistics Annual Research Symposium, American Law and Economics Association Annual Meeting, Atlantic Causal Inference Conference
- 2016 Annual Conference on Empirical Legal Studies, UC Berkeley Public Finance Lunch Seminar, UC Berkeley Political Economy Research Lunch.
- 2014 UC Berkeley Political Economy Research Lunch, UC Berkeley Development Economics Lunch Seminar.

- 2012 Tel-Aviv University, Applied Microeconomics Workshop.
- 2011 Israel Economic Association, Annual Meeting, Jerusalem.

## Reviewer

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

### Research Fields

Labor Economics

Applied Econometrics

Economics of Crime

# Academic Experience

## **UC** Berkeley

2016-Present Research Assistant to Prof. Steve Raphael, University of California Berkeley.

2014—Present Teaching Assistant to Prof. Jasjeet Sekhon, *The Statistics of Causal Inference in the Social Sciences* (graduate level), University of California Berkeley.

2014 Research Assistant to Prof. David Card, University of California Berkeley.

## Tel-Aviv University.

2010–2013 Research Assistant to Prof. Analia Schlosser.

2011 Research Assistant to Prof. Zvika Neeman and Prof. Nir Vulkan (Said Business School, Oxford).

2010–2013 Teaching Assistant, Microeconomics Theory 2 (Undergraduate).

2011–2012 Teaching Assistant, Statistics for Economics B (Undergraduate).