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#### **EDUCATION**

PhD Expected May 2021

Earth, Environmental and Planetary Sciences

Brown University

Advisor: Dr. Baylor Fox-Kemper

 $\mathbf{ScM}$ 

Applied Mathematics Brown University

MSc (magna cum laude) 2019

Geophysics, Atmospheric and Planetary Sciences

Tel Aviv University Advisor: Dr. Nili Harnik

BSc (Double Major)

- Geophysics, Atmospheric and Planetary Sciences
- Mathematics

Tel Aviv University

#### ADDITIONAL RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING

## Community Earth System Model (CESM) Tutorial

Summer 2019

Run by the National Center for Atmospheric Research (NCAR) in Boulder, CO.

#### Kavli Institute for Theoretical Physics Graduate Fellow

Spring 2018

Program for Planetary Boundary Layers in Atmospheres, Oceans, and Ice on Earth and Moons (University of California Santa Barbara).

#### Fundamental Aspects of Turbulent Flows in Climate Dynamics

Summer 2017

Summer school program run by Ecole de Physique des Houches (Les Houches, France).

#### Research Assistant of Dr. Nili Harnik

AY 2013-2014

Detecting wave disturbances in the stratosphere influenced by the Circumglobal Teleconnection Pattern (Tel Aviv University).

## Senior Year Project in Geophysical Fluid Dynamics

Spring 2014

Under the guidance of Dr. Eyal Heifetz, worked on a revised solution for a Non-Boussinesq stratified shear flow (Tel Aviv University).

## Research Assistant of Dr. Alon Ziv

Spring 2013

Relating the creep and slip rate of tectonic plate movements for the National Earthquake Early Warning System (Tel Aviv University).

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

Student Oral Presentation Award at the Atmospheric and Oceanic Fluid Dynamics Meeting of the American Meteorological Society

June 2019
Associate of Sigma Xi Scientific Research Honor Society

2019
Gulf of Mexico Research Initiative Scholar

Departmental First Year Fellowship, Brown University

AY 2015-2016

Rana Samuels Ofran MSc Student Excellence Award

AY 2014-2015

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Bodner, A. S., Fox-Kemper, B., Van Roekel, L. P., McWilliams, J. C. & Sullivan, P. P. (2019). A perturbation approach to understanding the effects of turbulence on frontogenesis. *Journal of Fluid Mechanics*, 883.

Bodner, A. S. & Fox-Kemper, B. (2020). A Breakdown in Potential Vorticity Estimation Delineates the Submesoscale-to-Turbulence Boundary in Large Eddy Simulations. *Journal of Advances in Modeling Earth Systems*, e2020MS002049.

Bodner, A. S., Fox-Kemper, B., Johnson, L., Van Roekel, L. P., McWilliams, J. C. & Sullivan, P. P. A parameterization for frontal evolution in the presence of submesoscale instabilities and turbulence. *In Preparation*.

Bodner, A. S., Harnik, N. & Lachmy, O. Flow regimes and vacillation cycles in the presence of topography. *In Preparation*.

## INVITED TALKS

Bodner, A. S.: "On the interaction between submesoscales and turbulence: from theory to implementation in global climate models", Physical Oceanography Dissertations Symposium (PODS) XI, Lihue, Kaua'i, October 2021 (Scheduled).

Bodner, A. S.: "On the interaction between submesoscales and turbulence: from theory to implementation in global climate models", Physical Oceanography Seminar, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution, June 2020.

Bodner, A. S.: "On the interaction between submesoscales and turbulence: from theory to implementation in global climate models", The Center for Atmosphere Ocean Science, Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences, New York University, October 2019.

Bodner, A. S.: "Frontal evolution in the presence of submesoscale instabilities and turbulence", Atmosphere, Ocean, and Climate Dynamics Seminar, Yale University, April 2019.

## SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

Bodner, A. S., Fox-Kemper, B., Van Roekel, L. P., McWilliams, J. C. & Sullivan, P. P.: "Frontal Formation in the Presence of Submesoscale Instabilities and Turbulence", Atmospheric and Oceanic Fluid Dynamics Meeting, AMS, Portland, ME, June 2019. *Oral*.

Bodner, A. S. & Fox-Kemper, B.: "Hidden Dangers in Potential Vorticity", Sources and Sinks of Ocean Mesoscale Eddy Energy Workshop (US CLIVAR), Tallahassee, FL, March 2019. *Oral*.

Bodner, A. S., Fox-Kemper, B., Van Roekel, L. P., McWilliams, J. C. & Sullivan, P. P.: "A Novel Approach to Understanding the Effects of Turbulence and Instabilities on Frontogenesis", Symposium on Geophysical Fluid Dynamics, Sde Boker, Israel, January 2019. *Oral*.

Bodner, A. S., Fox-Kemper, B., Van Roekel, L. P., McWilliams, J. C. & Sullivan, P. P.: "A Novel Approach to Understanding the Effects of Turbulence and Instabilities on Frontogenesis", CARTHE All Hands Meeting ,Miami, FL, November 2018. *Oral*.

Bodner, A. S., Fox-Kemper, B., Van Roekel, L. P., McWilliams, J. C. & Sullivan, P. P.: "A Perturbation Method to Understanding the Effects of Turbulence and Instabilities on Frontogenesis", Ocean Sciences Meeting, TOS/ASLO/AGU, Portland, OR, February 2018. *Oral*.

Bodner, A. S., Fox-Kemper, B., Van Roekel, L. P., McWilliams, J. C. & Sullivan, P. P.: "Arrest of Frontogenesis by Submesoscales and Turbulence", Ocean Sciences Meeting, TOS/ASLO/AGU, New Orleans, LA, February 2016. *Poster*.

Bodner, A. S., Harnik, N. & Lachmy, O.: "Global Circulation Regimes in the Presence of Stationary Planetary Wave Forcing", Geophysical Fluid Dynamics Seminar, Weizmann Institute, Israel, July 2015. Oral.

Bodner, A. S., Harnik, N. & Lachmy, O.: "Global Circulation Regimes in the Presence of Stationary Planetary Wave Forcing", 20th conference on Atmospheric and Oceanic Fluid Dynamics, Minneapolis, MN, June 2015. *Poster*.

Bodner, A. S., Harnik, N. & Lachmy, O.: "Effects of Stationary Forcing on Global Circulation Regimes", Symposium on Geophysical Fluid Dynamics, Sde Boker, Israel, January 2015. *Poster*.

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

## Studying the Ocean from the Classroom to the Bay

Summer 2018 & 2019

Course designer and co-instructor in Summer@Brown pre-college program (Brown University).

# Principles in Planetary Climate

Fall 2018

Teaching assistant under Professor Jung-Eun Lee (Brown University). Guest lecture: "Large Scale Dynamics in the Ocean and Atmosphere".

Teaching Consultant Program, Brown University Sheridan Center.

Fall 2017

#### Climate Change: Fact or Fiction?

Summer 2017

Course designer and instructor in Summer@Brown middle school program (Brown University).

Reflective Teaching Program, Brown University Sheridan Center.

Fall 2016

## Continuum Mechanics - Fluids

*Spring 2015* 

Teaching assistant under Professor Eyal Heifetz (Tel Aviv University).

## Climate Theory

Spring 2015

Teaching assistant under Professor Nili Harnik (Tel Aviv University).

## Laboratory Experiments in Atmospheric Sciences

Fall 2014

Teaching assistant under Professor Nili Harnik (Tel Aviv University).

## Earth Sciences Teacher

2012-2013

High school senior year research project (Shay Agnon High School, Israel).

Mathematics Teacher 2009-2014

Middle school gifted children program (Bar-Ilan University). High school and pre-college students (Raz Etgarim Educational Center, Israel). At-risk youth (Haklai Boarding school, Israel).

## **SERVICE**

Expert Reviewer for the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) 2019 Sixth Assessment Report Expert Reviewer for the Special Report on the Ocean and Cryosphere in a Changing 2018 Climate (SROCC) Reviewer for Journal of Physical Oceanography 2017-Present Graduate School Community Fellow 2018-2019 First Year Graduate Student Mentor 2018-2019 International Student Representative and Event Organizer 2016-2018 Leadership Alliance - Graduate Student Panel 2018 Volunteer at the Division of Fluid Dynamics Meeting (APS DFD) November 2015

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Affiliate Graduate Student in the Institute at Brown for Environment & Society (IBES)

Consortium for Advanced Research on Transport of Hydrocarbon in the Environment (CARTHE)

Graduate Fellow of the Rhode Island Consortium for Coastal Ecology Assessment Innovation & Modeling (C-AIM).

American Geophysical Union

American Meteorological Society

American Physical Society

#### SOFTWARE LANGUAGES

Matlab, Python, Fortran, C, Latex.