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EDUCATION

Harvard Business School, Boston, MA

2026 (expected)

Ph.D., Organizational Behavior – Sociology

Committee: Professors Frank Dobbin (chair), Lakshmi Ramarajan, and David Pedulla

Tel Aviv University, Tel Aviv, Israel

2017

M.A., Sociology, summa cum laude

Advisor: Prof. Alexandra Kalev

Thesis Title: "Does Transparency Breed Meritocracy? Networks, Gender and Promotions

in a Virtual Technology Organization" (Thesis grade: 98)

Bar-Ilan University, Ramat Gan, Israel

2013

B.A., Multidisciplinary/Humanities, summa cum laude

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Organizational Theory; Labor Markets; Inequality; Careers; Quantitative Methods

RESEARCH

Working Papers

Spiegler, Y. Attending to the Hierarchy: Job Seeker Responses to Diversity Signals and the Perpetuation of Labor Market Segregation. *Job market paper*.

Spiegler, Y. & Lakshmi Ramarajan. Gender and Past Promotions in Engineering: How Bias-Amplified Signals Shape Women's Advancement in Male-Dominated Professions.

Spiegler, Y. Spatial Racial Congruence: Localized Demographic Differences and Workplace Diversity.

Research in Progress

Spiegler, Y. Congruence between past and potential employers: How context shapes the value of work experience. *Data collection and analysis*.

Dobbin, F., Kalev, S., & Spiegler, Y. Organizational Diversity and Firm Performance. *Data analysis*.

Spiegler, Y. Competing for Diverse Talent: Environmental Competition and Workplace Diversity. *Data collection*.

Spiegler, Y. The "Cool Factor": Hiring based on non-work-related attributes. *Data collection*.

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

Spiegler, Y. & Ramarajan, L. "Gender and Past Promotions in Engineering: How Bias-Amplified Signals Shape Women's Advancement in Male-Dominated Professions". People and Organizations Conference. Wharton, Upcoming in September 2025.

Spiegler, Y. "Attending to the Hierarchy: Job Seeker Responses to Diversity Signals and the Perpetuation of Labor Market Segregation".

- People and Organizations Conference. Wharton, September 2024.
- OB NEWS. Harvard University, April 2024

Spiegler, Y. "Spatial Racial Congruence: Localized Demographic Differences and Workplace Diversity". Work, Organizations, and Markets Workshop, Harvard University, November 2021.

Spiegler, Y. & Kalev, A. "Merit and Favoritism in High Transparency: Networks, Gender and Promotions in a Virtual Organization". The Annual Meeting of the American Sociological Association. August 2017.

Spiegler, Y. "Available Data – Accessible Data: An integration of computer-science methodology in social science research". The Interdisciplinary Conference for Research Students. Tel Aviv, Israel, May 2016.

TEACHING AND SERVICE

Harvard College , Cambridge MA Proctor - In-residence staff, living and working with 40 first-year students, per year.	2020-present
Harvard College, Cambridge MA Undergrad academic advisor	2020-present
Leading with People Analytics, Harvard Business School Teaching Fellow for Prof. Jeffrey Polzer.	2022
Quantitative Research Methods, Tel Aviv University Instructor (6 sections) for Prof. Hadas Mandel. (rating: 6.86/7.0)	2015-2017
Foundations of Social Research and Academic Writing, Tel Aviv University <i>Instructor</i> (2 sections) for Prof. Anastasia Gorodzeisky. (rating: 6.34/7.0)	2014-2015

Israeli Sociological Association, Tel Aviv, Israel Annual Conference Organizing Committee	2014
HONORS AND AWARDS	
Best Master's Thesis Award	2018
The Israeli Sociological Society	
Graduate Scholarship for Academic Excellence	2015
Tel Aviv University, Social Science Department	
Dean's Honor List	2012-2013
Bar-Ilan University, Dean's Office	
Rector's Award for Academic Excellence (first in class)	2012
Bar-Ilan University, Rector's Office	
OTHER EXPERIENCE	
Aluna Software, Giv'at Shmuel, Israel	2008-2010
Back-end Software Developer	
Israeli Air Force	2003-2005
Intelligence NCO (Sergeant)	
References	

Frank Dobbin (Chair)

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