Prof. **ISHAY ROSEN-ZVI**

**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**1. PERSONAL DETAILS**

**Date of Birth:** 18 November 1971

**Country of Birth:** Israel

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**2. HIGHER EDUCATION**

(in chronological order)

**1995-1997** BA Summa cum Laude, Bar Ilan University, Philosophy and comparative literature.

**1998-2004** PhD with highest honors, Tel Aviv University, Rabbinics, publication #1.

**2002-2003** Yad Hanadiv Rothchild award for study abroad, University of California, Berkeley.

**2004-2005** Lady Davis post-doctoral fellow, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

**2005-2006** Scholion post-doctoral fellow, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

**3. APPOINTMENTS AT TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY**

(in chronological order)

**2006-2010** Senior lecturer, department of Hebrew Culture

**2010-2017** Associate Professor, department of Hebrew Culture

**2018-** Full Professor, department of Jewish Philosophy

**4. ADDITIONAL FUNCTIONS/TASKS AT TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY**

(in chronological order)

**2012-2020** Head of the Talmud and Late Antiquity Section

**2021-** Head of the Jewish Philosophy and Talmud Department

**5. SERVICE IN OTHER ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS**

(in chronological order)

**1998-** Senior fellow, Shalom Hartman Institute, Jerusalem

**2002-2003** Visiting Professor, UC Berkeley, department of Near Eastern Studies.

**2003-2004** Visiting Professor, Ziegler Rabbinical School, American Jewish University.

**2006-2007** Steering Committee of the Study of Judaism Section of the AAR/

**2006-2008** Fellow of the junior segment of the Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities.

**2005-2006** Lecturer, Scholion Center, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

**2011-2012** Senior scholar, Martin Buber society of fellows, The Hebrew University.

**2013-2016** Fellow at the Israel Young Academy of Science.

**2016** Stewart Fellow at the Council of Humanities and the Department of Religion at Princeton University.

**2017/18** Organizer of a research group: "The Subject of Antiquity: Contours and Expressions of the Self in Ancient Mediterranean Cultures." Israel Institute for Advanced studies, Givat-Ram, Jerusalem.

**2021** ResearchFellow at the Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin.

**6. OTHER ACTIVITIES**

Editorial board of the Journal for the Study of Judaism (*JSJ*) and the advisory board of its Supplement Series (*JSJ-SS*).

Organization of an International conferences: Talmudic Transgressions: Engaging the Work of Daniel Boyarin, Berkeley, 8-10 April 2014.

Organization of an International Workshop: The Origins of the Origins of Evil, Fitzwilliam College, Cambridge, 2–4 September 2014.

Organizing TAU-Princeton joint Workshops (with Prof. Moulie Vidas): “Judaism and Christianity in Late Antiquity,” Tel-Aviv, 26-29 June, 2017; Princeton, 10-14 February, 2019.

Organization of a research group (with Prof. Maren Niehoff) for the *Israel Institute for Advanced Studies* (IIAS), entitled "The Subject of Antiquity: Contours and Expressions of the Self in Ancient Mediterranean Cultures, for the academic year 2017/18 (accepted).

Editor (together with Adam Afterman, Shmuel Herr and Ronit Irshai) of “Reshit: Studies in Judaism” A Peer Reviewed Journal published by the Shalom Hartman Institute (<https://heb.hartman.org.il/program/reshit/> )

**7. MEMBERSHIP IN A PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION**

Member of the World Union of Jewish Studies, the Association of Jewish Studies, and the Society of Biblical Literature.

**8. RESEARCH GRANTS and PRIZES (since 2006)**

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| Tel Aviv University | Alon Fellowship | **2006-2009** |
| "The terminology of Tannaitic Midrash: towards a hermeneutic lexicon." Chief researcher. 78,000 NIS per year (no. 41/09) | Israel Science Foundation | **2009-2012** |
| "The birth of the *goy* in ancient Jewish literature." Co-chief researcher with Prof. Adi Ophir. 115,000 NIS per year (no. 580/13) | Israel Science Foundation | **2013-2016** |
| “Interpretive Cultures in Late Antiquity: Hellenistic, Roman, Jewish and Christian Perspectives.” Collaborators from Notre Dame: Gretchen Reydams-Schils; Michael Zvi Nonick; David Lincicum. | The Schlindwein Family TAU–Notre Dame Research Collaboration Grant | **2018** |
| **Submitted**: Paul among the Jews: Rethinking Paul and Palestinian Judaism (with Markus Tiwald; Lutz Döring and Vered Noam). | German Israel Foundation (GIF) | **2019** |
| **“**The Hermeneutics of the Tannaitic Midrashim” 106,000 NIS per year (No. 293/19) | Israel Science Foundation | **2019-2022** |

**2019** Goldstein-Goren Book Award for Best Book in Jewish Philosophy 2016-2018 for *Goy: Israel Others and the Birth of the Gentile*, with Adi Ophir (Oxford 2018)

**2020** Kadar Family Award for Outstanding Research Tel-Aviv University

**9. GRADUATE STUDENTS**

**MA STUDENTS**

1. 2009-2011 Yael Fisch, "The Term 'his wife is as his self' in the Babylonian Talmud." Tel Aviv University

2. 2006-2013 Ayelet Bitan, "Environmental Thinking in the Creation Narrative according to Midrash Genesis Rabbah." Tel Aviv University.

3. 2012-2013 Yedidah Koren, "The Creation of the Foreskinned Jew in Rabbinic Literature." Tel Aviv University

4. 2012-2015 Orit Malka, "Citizenship and the limits of the Community in Rabbinic Literature." Tel Aviv University (with Prof. Shai Lavi)

5. 2019-2020 Eliyahu Friedman, “Between Passover and Pentecost: Blood and Initiation in Early Judaism.”

6. 2019- Eliana Kahan, “Covenants in Genesis Rabba.” Tel-Aviv University

7. 2020- Yossi Gameliel, “the Making of Mishnah *Terumot*.” Tel-Aviv University

**PHD STUDENTS**

1. 2011-2015 Esther Fischer, "The Physiology of Desire in Rabbinic Literiture." Bar Ilan University (with Dr. Elisheva Baumgarten.)

2. 2011-2018 Yael Fisch, "Pauline and Rabbinic Midrash." Tel Aviv University

3. 2013-2018 Avigail Manekin-Bamberger, "Legal and Magical Terminology in Rabbinic Literature," Tel Aviv University (wit Prof. Gideon Bohak)

5. 2013-2019 Sivan Nir, "the concept of Biblical "figures" in rabbinic Aggada and Medieval exegesis." Tel Aviv University (with Prof Meira Poliak).

6. 2015-2019 Orit Malka, "Testimony and Citizenship in Early Rabbinic Literature." Tel Aviv University (with Prof. Shai Lavi)

7. 2012-2020 Tamar Naaman, "Prayer in Tannaitic and Patristic Literature." Tel Aviv University

8. 2014-2021 Yedida Koren, "Those Forbidden to Enter the Congregation in Rabbinic Literature." Tel Aviv University

9. 2014- Noa Israeli, "The Land of Israel as a Myth in Tannaitic Literature." Tel Aviv University