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EDUCATION:

Ph.D., Jewish History, emphasis on Women's Studies. University of Haifa, Haifa, Israel (cum- laude recommendation)

M.A., Jewish History. Haifa University, Haifa, Israel, with Honors.

B.A., Jewish History and Hebrew Literature, Teaching Credential.

TEACHING and ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE:

1987- Department of History, The Open University of Israel

1992-1996 Department of Eretz Israel Studies, Haifa University

1998-2002 The Institute for Research on Women and Gender, Stanford University, California, U.S.A

2001-2005 Department of History, Ben Gurion University in the Negev

2001- The Schechter Institute of Jewish Studies

ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS (2000-):

2005-2006 Coordinating the Women's and Gender Studies track, Schechter Institute for Jewish studies

FIELDS OF RESEARCH

1. Women and Gender
2. Labor Studies
3. Jewish History in Modern Times
4. History of Zionism
5. History of Eretz Israel
6. Communication (Journalism, Cinema and other Visual arts)

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RESEARCH GRANTS and SCHOLARDHIPS

2009- the Hecht Prize on behalf of the Herzl Institute, Haifa University.

2008- Research grant from the Jewish National Fund

SUPERVISION and READING GRADUATE THESES

2002- Advisor and supervisor, M.A. works and exams, Schechter Institute for Jewish Studies

RESEARCH & PUBLICATIONS (2000-):

Books

Women in Jewish Society in Pre-State Israel, 1882-1948, (Hebrew)

Raanana 2014.

Redemption In Bondage: The Women Workers Movement In Eretz Israel 1920-1939, (Hebrew), (Yad Ben Zvi and Schechter Institute, Jerusalem) 2006,

Winner of the Hecht Prize for the year 2009.

Articles

Aim to Serve: Women's Struggles for Equality and Integration in the Wake of Statehood, 1947-1949, M. Bar-on, M. Chazan (eds.), *Politics in Wartime: Studies on the Civilian Society during the Israeli War of Independence*, Jerusalem 2014.

Who Will Help the Helper? Gender Differences In Jewish Immigrant Families in Eretz Israel (Hebrew), Pnina Morag Talmon, Yael Azmon (eds.), *Immigrant Women in Israel*, Jerusalem 2013

He Walked in the Fields. Where Was She? The 'Hebrew Woman' in Her Own and Her Contemporaries' Eyes," *The Journal of Israeli History*, 30, 2 (2011).

"Beautiful Nadra and Her Exquisite Profile: Zionist Beauty Contests in the Yishuv as a Means for Molding National Identity", *Israel : Studies in Zionism and the State of Israel History, Society, Culture*, 18-19 (2011).

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'They Have Wings But No Strength To Fly: The Women Workers Movement Between "Feminine" Control and "Masculine" Dominance', in M. Shilo, R. Kark and G. Hasan-Rokem (eds.), *Jewish Women in Pre-State Israel*, (2008).

'Mothers on the Front Line: The Struggle for "National Consumerism" and the Conflict Between Gender and Nationalism (Hebrew), *Israel* 11 (Spring 2007).

, 'Who Is the Fairest of Them All? Yemeni Women as a Zionist and Ethnic Symbol, *Nashim*, (2006).

"Exemplary Female Comrades:" Yemeni Women in Eretz Israel Between Gender' Social Class and Ethnic Origin In the Labor Movement" (1920-1945) (Hebrew), *Cathedra*, 118 (January 2006).

"'A Queen without a Kingdom': Jewish Women Workers in the Labor Force in Mandatory Palestine" (Hebrew), *Economy and Society in Mandatory Palestine, 1918-1948*, Iyunim Bitkumat Israel-The Thematic Series, 2003.

"Rebels of Unimportance: The 1930s' Textile Strike in Tel Aviv and the Boundaries of Women's Self Reliance", *the journal of Middle Eastern Studies*, Vol. 33, 3 (2002).

"Recruiting and Organizing Women In the Histadrut: Establishing the Domestic Workers Trade Union In Tel Aviv-A Case Study" (In Hebrew), *Yahadut Zemanenu-Contemporary Jewry*, 14 (2001).

"Between Female and Male Dominance" (Hebrew), In Margalit Shilo, Ruth Kark and Galit Hasan-Rokem eds., *Women in the Yishuv, and Zionism: A Gender Perspective*, Jerusalem 2001.

'Gender, Class and Nationality: The Textile Strikes in Tel Aviv in the 1930s", (Hebrew) *the 12th World Union of Jewish Studies*, vol. 5, Jerusalem 2001.

Encyclopedia Articles

Stern, Margalit B.S. "Beba Idelson", to be published In the forthcoming *Jewish Women-A Comprehensive Historical Encyclopedia*

Stern, Margalit B.S. "Moezet Ha-Poalot (The Women Workers Council)", to be published in the forthcoming *Jewish Women-A Comprehensive Historical Encyclopedia*

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Review Articles

Stern, Margalit B.S, "When Fighting is Called For" ...*Cathedra*, 149 (September 2013).

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