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## **Employment**

**2016-            Lecturer (Assistant Professor), Psychology Department, Ben-Gurion  
University of the Negev**

## **Training and Education**

**2015-2016    New York University, Department of Psychology**

Post-doctoral Researcher

**2014-2016    Columbia University, Department of Psychology**

Post-doctoral Researcher

**2008-2014    Tel Aviv University, School of Psychological Sciences**

Ph.D. in social psychology and cognitive neuroscience

**2005-2008    Tel Aviv University**

B.A. in Psychology and Economics

## **Grant Support**

**2016-2020    BSF Israeli-American Collaboration grant (\$180,000). In collaboration with Prof. Kevin  
Ochsner, Columbia University.**

**2017-2019    Joy ventures academic grant (\$100,000).**

## **Awards and Honors**

**2014            Fulbright Post-doctoral Fellowship (\$37,500)**

**2014            Yad-Hanadiv (Rothschild) Post-doctoral Fellowship (\$50,000)**

## **Publications**

1. Ecker, Y., & **Gilead M.**, Maintenance Goals: The unique challenge of keeping things as they are (in press, *Perspectives on Psychological Science*).
2. **Gilead, M.\***, Sela\*, M., & Maril, A. That's my truth: Evidence for involuntary opinion confirmation (in press, *Social Psychology and Personality Science*).

3. **Gilead\*, M\***, Ben-David\*, Y., & Ecker, Y. Not our problem: Judgments of harmful vs. apathetic behavior towards ingroup and outgroup members (in press, *Social Psychology and Personality Science*).
4. **Gilead, M.**, Liberman, N., & Trope, Y. Thinking about the future: A construal level perspective (2018). In Oettingen, G., Sevincer, A. T., & Gollwitzer, P. M. *The psychology of thinking about the future*. New York: Guilford.
5. **Gilead, M.**, Boccagno, C., Silverman, M., Hassin, R., Weber, J., & Ochsner, K.N. (2016). Self- Regulation via Neural Simulation. *Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America*. 113(36), 10037-10042. (Citations: 0, **IF**=10.285; **Q1** Multidisciplinary Sciences, 4 of 63).
6. **Gilead, M.**, Liberman, N., & Maril, A. (2016). The effects of an action's "age-of-acquisition" on action-sentence processing. *Neuroimage*, 141, 341-349. (Citations: 0, **IF**=6.797; **Q1** Neuroimaging, 1 of 14).
7. **Gilead\*, M.**, Katzir\*, M., Eyal, T., & Liberman, N. (2016). Neural correlates of processing "self-conscious" vs. "basic" emotions. *Neuropsychologia*, 81, 207-218. doi: 10.1016/j.neuropsychologia.2015.12.009. (Citations: 1, **IF**=3.673; **Q1** Psychology, Experimental, 18 of 85).
8. Bein, O., Livneh, N., Reggev, N., **Gilead, M.**, Goshen-Gottstein, Y., & Maril, A. (2015). Delineating the Effect of Semantic Congruency on Subsequent Memory: the Role of Integration and Relatedness. *Plos One*. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0115624. (Citations: 5, **IF**=3.535; **Q1** Multidisciplinary Sciences, 11 of 63).
9. **Gilead, M.**, Gal, O., Polak, M., & Chollow, Y. (2015) Nature vs. nurture in conceptual metaphors: The case of gustatory priming. *Social Psychology*, 46(3), 167-173. doi: 10.1027/1864-9335/a000238. (Citations: 0, **IF**=1.746; **Q2** Psychology, Social, 20 of 62).
10. **Gilead, M.**, & Liberman, N. (2014). We take care of our own: Caregiving salience increases ingroup bias in response to outgroup threat. *Psychological Science*, 25(7), 1380-1387. doi: 10.1177/0956797614531439. (Citations: 4, **IF**=6.289; **Q1** Psychology, Multidisciplinary, 9 of 129).
11. **Gilead, M.**, Liberman, N., & Maril, A. (2014). "I remember thinking": Neural activity associated with subsequent memory for stimulus-evoked internal mentations. *Social neuroscience*, 9(4), 387- 399. doi: 10.1080/17470919.2014.902862. (Citations: 0, **IF**=3.382; **Q2** Psychology, 23 of 76).
12. **Gilead, M.**, Liberman, N., & Maril, A. (2013). From mind to matter: neural correlates of abstract and concrete mindsets. *Social Cognitive and Affective Neuroscience*, 9(5), 638-645. doi:10.1093/scan/nst031 (Citations: 13, **IF**=5.532; **Q1** Psychology, 9 of 76).
13. **Gilead, M.**, Liberman, N., & Maril, A. (2013). The language of future-thought: An fMRI study of embodiment and tense processing. *Neuroimage*, 65, 267-279. doi:10.1016/j.neuroimage.2012.09.073. (Citations: 9, **IF**=6.797; **Q1** Neuroimaging, 1 of 14).
14. **Gilead, M.**, Liberman, N., & Maril, A. (2012). Construing counterfactual worlds: The role of abstraction. *European Journal of Social Psychology*, 42(3), 391-397. doi: 10.1002/ejsp.1862. (Citations: 8, **IF**=2.297; **Q2** Psychology, Social, 22 of 62).

### Submitted:

15. **Gilead, M.**, Liberman, N., & Trope, Y. Above and beyond the concrete: The diverse representational bases of the prospective mind (invited resubmission, target article, *Behavioral and Brain Sciences*).
16. Simchon, A., & **Gilead M.** The Stages of Collective Grief: A big-data analysis of natural language use following the 2016 US presidential election.

17. **Gilead, M.,** Habermann, A., & Higgins E.T., Just be yourself: Regulatory focus moderates the effects of societal standards on personal well-being.

### Conference Participation

1. **Gilead, M.,** & Boccagno, C., Silverman, M., Hassin, R., Weber, J., & Ochsner, K.N. (2017, January). *Self Regulation via Neural Simulation*. Data-blitz presented at the Self Regulation Preconference at 18th annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Antonio, Texas.
2. **Gilead, M.,** & Boccagno, C., Silverman, M., Hassin, R., Weber, J., & Ochsner, K.N. (2016, February). *Self Regulation via Neural Simulation*. Data-blitz presented at the Emotion preconference at 17th annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, San Diego, California.
3. **Gilead M.,** & Schaller, M. (2015, May). Co-chair of *The parental Caregiving system (and why it matters)* symposium at The 27th APS Annual Convention, New York, New York.
4. **Gilead M.,** & Liberman N. (2015, May). *We Take Care of Our Own: Caregiving Salience Increases Ingroup Bias in Response to Outgroup Threat*. Talk presented at the 27th APS Annual Convention, New York, New York.
5. **Gilead, M.,** & Liberman, N. (2013, August). *Neural correlates of concrete and abstract mindsets*. Talk presented at the European Social Cognition Network 15th Transfer of Knowledge Conference, Vilnius, Lithuania.
6. **Gilead, M.** (2013, January). Chair of *The Neural Correlates of Abstraction and Psychological Distance* symposium at the 14th annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social, New Orleans, Louisiana.
7. **Gilead, M.,** & Liberman, N. (2013, January). *Neural correlates of concrete and abstract mindsets*. Talk presented at the 14th annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, Louisiana.
8. **Gilead, M.,** & Liberman, N. (2013, January). *The effect of psychological distance and factuality on the neural markers of embodiment*. Data-blitz presented at the Embodiment in Social and Personality Psychology preconference at 14th annual meeting of the Society for Personality and Social Psychology, New Orleans, Louisiana.
9. Liberman, N., & **Gilead, M.** (2011, July). *Traversing psychological distance: A construal level theory perspective*. Talk presented at the annual meeting of the European Association of Social Psychology, Stockholm, Sweden.
10. **Gilead, M.,** & Liberman, N. (2011, August). *The effect of psychological distance on embodiment of cognition: behavioral and fMRI Studies*. Talk presented at the European Social Cognition Network 13th Transfer of Knowledge Conference, Sligo, Ireland.

### Invited colloquia

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| 2016 | Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Psychology Department Seminar |
| 2016 | Bar-Ilan University, Psychology Department Seminar            |
| 2015 | Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Psychology Department Seminar |
| 2015 | Tel Aviv University, Social Psychology Program Colloquium     |
| 2015 | New York University, Social Psychology Department Seminar     |

## **Teaching Experience**

### **2016- Ben-Gurion University, Department of Psychology**

“Intersubjectivity: How do we understand how others think and feel” (BA)

“Intersubjectivity and emotion regulation” (BA seminar)

“Inter-group conflict: An evolutionary perspective”

“Social Psychobiology” (MA/PhD)

“Selected topics in social psychology” (MA/PhD)

## **Professional Service**

### **Editorial board membership:**

Journal of Personality and Social Psychology: Attitudes and Social Cognition.

### **Ad-hoc reviews:**

Social Cognitive and Affective Neuroscience, Cognition and Emotion, Neuropsychologia, Cerebral Cortex, Cognitive Affective and Behavioral Neuroscience, PlosOne, US-Israel Binational Science Foundation, Israeli Science Foundation.

## **Professional Affiliations**

Society for Social and Personality Psychology, Association for Psychological Science, Social and Affective Neuroscience Society

## **Non-Academic Experience**

### **2006-2012 Schema, Research and Development division**

I worked as a Quality Assurance Engineer in a company that develops software that optimizes cellular network performance. I Was in charge of examining the validity and effectiveness of the company's proprietary analysis and optimization algorithms.

### **2003-2006 Cellcom, Information Technologies division**

I worked as a Business-Intelligence System Administrator, managing the operations of a system used for the analysis of enterprise data.

### **2000-2003 Israeli medical corps, Information Technologies branch**

I served in the IDF as a System Administrator.