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2015/2016 Post-doctoral Studies: Harry S. Truman Research Institute for the Advancement of Peace

2011-2015 Ph.D. Studies: Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Department of Islamic and

Middle Eastern Studies (Humanities).

Topic of dissertation: State-Religion Relations in Egypt: The Evolution of the 'Civil State' *(Dawla Madaniyya*) Concept in the Intellectual Discourse since the Mubarak Era

(1981-2014) (Honorable mention by the Middle East & Islamic Studies Association of

Israel – MEISAI, 2017)

Supervisor: Prof. Elie Podeh & Prof. Rami Ginat

2006-2008 M.A. Studies: Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Contemporary Middle Eastern

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Topic of Thesis: The Establishment of the Arab Common Market and Its Failure,

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2002-2005 B.A. Studies: Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Department of International Relations &

Islamic and Middle Eastern Studies (Magna cum Laude. Dean's List)

**List of Academic Publications**

Limor Lavie, *The Battle over a ’Civil State’ (Dawla Madaniyya): Egypt’s Road to June 30, 2013’s Soft Coup*, SUNY Press [forthcoming]

Limor Lavie, "The Egyptian Muslim Brothers' Ideal State Model: A Religious State – Out; A Civil State – In," *Middle Eastern Studies*, issue 6 (2017), pp. 996-1012 <http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/00263206.2017.1350845>

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**Other Selected Publications**

Limor Lavie, "Egypt between Revolts," A Chapter in a book for High School matriculation examination [forthcoming]

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<http://www.haaretz.com/print-edition/opinion/still-waiting-for-the-revolution-1.409089>

Elie Podeh & Limor Lavie, "Elections in Egypt: A Test of the Revolution," *Haaretz*, 23 May 2012 [Hebrew]**.**

Elie Podeh & Limor Lavie, "Egypt's Choice,"*Haaretz*, 28 November 2011 [Hebrew].

**Journal Reviewer**

*International Journal of Middle East Studies* (2016).

**Academic Conferences**

"The Loyalty Dilemma of the Official Newspapers in Egypt during the Arab Spring," The 41st Conference of the Middle East & Islamic Studies Association of Israel (MEISAI), The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, June 19, 2017.

"The Civil Model in Egypt: Competing Meanings and Political Influence," The 6th Abir Conference: Political Islam in the 21st Century – Old Dilemmas; New Directions, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, December 20-21, 2016.

"The Muslim Brotherhood in Egypt Replace Model: Religious State - Out; Civil State – In," Harry S. Truman Research Institute for the Advancement of Peace. March 28, 2016.

"June 30th 2013 as Part of the Struggle over Egypt's Identity: A Civil State, Not a Religious One," The 38th Conference of the Middle East & Islamic Studies Association of Israel (MEISAI), Sapir College, May 12, 2014.

"State-Religion Relations in Egypt: A Chronicle of Ambivalence towards Religion," Guest Lecture, State-Religion Seminar, Tel Aviv University, June 5, 2014.

"Post January 25th 2011 Egypt: A State in Disarray," Guest Lecture, Arab and Islamic History Seminar, Tel Aviv University, May 25, 2012.

**Work Experience**

2015-2017 Prime Minister's Office – Research Position

2006-2015 MEMRI (Middle East Media Research Institute) – Senior Researcher

2009-2012 Open University, Raanana – Development of online Arabic courses

2007-2009 IntuView – Analyst, developer and provider of semantic text-analysis

2005-2006 Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Department of International Relations – Research

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2003-2005 Hebrew University of Jerusalem – Teaching assistant of Prof. Asher Kaufman and Prof.

Elie Podeh, The Middle East in the 20th Century

2002-2005 Hebrew University of Jerusalem – Ayalon-Shenar and Menahem Milson's online Arab-

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**Military Service**

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