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Curriculum Vitae

1. Personal Details

Born June 7, 1955, Kibbutz Maagan Michael, Israel
Citizen of Israel, Married, 3 sons.
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2. Higher Education:

B.A., 1979, University of Haifa, Graduated with High Honors,
Sociology and Economics.

M.A., 1980, The Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio. Magna Cum Laude,
International Communication.

M.A. 1983, Stanford University, Independent Program,
Institute for Communication Research, ICR

Ph.D., 1985, Stanford University, Independent Program, ICR

3. Academic ranks and tenure:

2005 - Present	Graduate School of Management, University of Haifa	Full Professor (tenured)
1997 – 2005	Graduate School of Management, University of Haifa	Associate Professor (tenured)
1992, 1993, 1995, 1996, 1997- Present	School of Business Administration, University of Michigan	Visiting Professor
2002 – Present	Open University	Visiting Professor
2013	Hebrew University of Jerusalem	Visiting Professor
1999-2005	Industrial Engineering & Management, Technion, Israel	Visiting Associate Professor

2004 – 2006	Arison School of Business Administration, Hertzelia IDC (Inter Dicipinary Center)	Visiting Professor
1991 – 1997	School of Business Administration, Hebrew University of Jerusalem	Senior Lecturer (tenured)
1985 – 1991	School of Business Administration, Hebrew University of Jerusalem	Lecturer
1996 – 1997	School of Business Administration, University of Haifa	Visiting Senior Lecturer
1990 – 1991	School of Business Administration, University of Michigan	Visiting Assistant Professor
1989 – 1990	Michigan State University	Visiting Assistant Professor
1985 – 1989	Stanford University	Visiting Assistant Professor
1993 – 1994	University of Sydney, Australia	Adjunct Associate Professor

4. Offices in University Academic Administration:

1999 – Present	Director and Co-Founder, Center for the Study of the Information Society, Center for Internet Studies, Sagy Center for Internet Research (InfoSoc, http://infosoc.haifa.ac.il)
2009 – Present	Member, Israel Council for Higher Education (MALAG) National Tenure and Promotion Committee
2005 – 2011	Head, Graduate School of Management, University of Haifa
2006 – 2012	Member, University of Haifa Executive Board
2006 – Present	Member, University of Haifa Board of Governors
2005 – 2012	Member, University of Haifa Senate
2002 – 2008	Member, University of Haifa E-Learning Steering Committee
2001 – 2006	Chair, University of Haifa Computer Committee
2001 – 2007	Member, University of Haifa Graduate Studies Council
2000 – 2008	Chair, University of Haifa Graduate School of Management Graduate Research Committee

1998 – Present Member, GSB teaching committee

1998 – 2003 Member, University of Haifa Library Committee

1992 – Present Member and Chair, Multiple MALAG
(Israel Council for Higher Education) evaluation committees

1986-1989,
1991-1998, Chair, Hebrew University, School of Business Administration,
Management Information Systems Area.

Invited and Ad-hoc Reviewer: *The Information Society, ACM-TOIS The ACM Transactions on Information Systems, IJKL- International Journal on Knowledge ad Learningl International Journal of Man-Machine Studies, Megamot, Status, JCMC – Journal of Computer Mediated Communication, Communication Research, Organizational Behavior and Human Decision Processes, Information and Software Technology, Journal of Communication, Computers and the Social Sciences, Computers and Social Science Review, Computers and Education, JAIS – Journal of the Association of Information Systems, Computers in Human Behavior(CHB), Journal of Organizational Computing (JOC), Organization Science.*

5. Scholarly Positions and Activities Outside the University

- 1994 – Present: Founder, Co-Editor, and Member of Editorial Board, *Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication* (JCMC).
- 2011 – Present: Co-founder and Member, Board of Governors, *Avnei Derech*
- 2010 – Present: Member, Advisory Board *CET (Center for Educational Technology)*
- 2010 – Present: Co-founder and Director, *NetDemocracy*
- 2009 – Present: Co-Founder and Member, Board of Governors *NPTEch* and *Guidestar*
- 2008 – Present: Member, Editorial board of ACM – TOIS *The ACM Transactions on Information Systems*
- 2005 – Present: Member, Editorial board of CIIM CMR Editorial Advisory Board
- 2003 – Present: Member of Editorial Board, IJKL *International Journal of Knowledge Management and Learning*
- 2010 – Present: Member, Editorial Board, *Academic Teaching*
- 2004 – 2009 Representative of State of Israel and Delegate to *United Nations WTO World Symposium on Information Society*, Tunis, Tunisia and Geneva, Switzerland
- 2008, 2009 Member, Program Committee, ISOC Annual Conference
- 2005 – Present: Vice-Chair, Doctoral Studies, ILAIS *(Israel Association for Information Systems)*
- 2005 – Present: Member, Israel National Commission for UNESCO
- 2004 – Program Chair, Association of Internet Research (AoIR) 5th Annual Conference, Sussex, United Kingdom
- 2004 – Present: Member of Academic Advisory Board, UnWire-Jerusalem Project, Jerusalem Municipality
- 2003 – Present: Member of International Academic Board, E-Academy, Jewish Agency
- 2002 – Present: Founding member, ITSharenet.org advisory board
- 1999 – Present: Jury member, Stockholm Challenge Information Technology Prize, <http://www.challenge.stockholm.se>
- 1999 – Present: Member of Academic Advisory Board, LEHAVA, National Digital Divide Elimination Project
- 1996 – Guest Editor, Special issue of *Journal of Communication*, Vol 46(1) 1996.
- 1995 – 2001 Academic Advisory Board, Center for Educational Technologies
- 1994 – Present: Co-founder and director, Macom Networking, <http://www.macom.co.il>
- 1993 – Present: Director and member of advisory board of several start-ups in Hi-Tech Industries
- 1992 – Present: Consultant, Intel, Inc.
- 1990 – Present: Consultant, Israeli Ministries of Labor & Welfare, Finance, Science, Industry and Commerce, Justice
- 1993 – 1995 Consultant, Netzivut Sherut Hamedina
- 1993 – 1999 Consultant, Merkaz Hahasbara
- 1988 – Present: Consultant, Israeli Defence Forces (IDF, Zah"al)
- 1983 – 1989 Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty Audience Research
- 1983 – 1985 ComputerPals International Project

Executive Training and Instruction:

Center for Executive Education, School of Business Administration, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 1985 - 1998

JOINT Executive Development Program, 1986 - 1998

Cyprus International Institute of Management 1995 - 2002

Tel Aviv College of Management, 1988 - 1993

Israeli Center for Management (MIL) 1986 - 1992

IBM (International Business Machines) San Jose California, Management Development, 1981 – 1984.

Regional Coordinator, Institute of Students and Faculty on Israel (ISFI) USA MidWest 1979 -- 1981; USA West Coast 1981 – 1985

1977 - 1979 Chief Education Officer, Israeli Military Academy, Civilian Rank of Major

1976 - 1977 Juvenile Delinquents Instructor (“Madrach Havurot Rechov”)

1973- 1977 Military Service, combat unit, Captain.

6.(A) Active Participation in Scholarly Conferences:

Participated in dozens of scholarly conferences, provided keynote talks, presented papers, served as discussant and chair, and prepared panels. Most recent conferences include:

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil Congresso Brasileiro de Informática na Educação (CBIE, http://www.cbie.org.br)	Keynote speaker, Brazilian and Latin American Congress on Informatics in Universities, Rio de Janeiro, December, 2012
Anahuac University, Mexico City, Mexico	Invited seminars on Social networks, Electronic Publishing, Technology, Education and Management, November 2012
GOR, General Online Research	Keynote Speaker, University of Mannheim, Germany, 2012
Electronic Business Conference	Korean National University, Seoul South Korea, 2011, 2012
TEMPUS ECOMMIS	Keynote Speaker, Dnepropetrovsk, Ukraine

Electronic Business Teaching	2011 Berlin, Germany, 2012
IEEE Social Computing	MIT Media Lab, 2011
Intelligent Tutoring Systems (ITS) : 11th International Conference	Keynote speaker: ITS , Chania, Crete, Greece, June 14-18, 2010
I-Schools I-Conference	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, February 2009
International Conference on Medical Informatics and Higher Education	Invited Keynote Address on Information Sharing in Higher Education Cape Town, South Africa August 2009
Business Administration in Asia	New Delhi, India, January 2009
ICIS – International Conference on Information Systems	Paris, France December 2008
Meaningful Play	East Lansing, Michigan October 2008
WikiSym	Montreal, Canada 2007
ICIS International Conference on Information Systems	Milwaukee, Wisconsin US, 2007
AoIR Association of Internet Researchers	Vancouver, Canada, 2007
Wikimania	Harvard University, Boston US 2006; Haifa, Israel 2011
WikiSym	Aarhus, Denmark, 2006
WWW	Edinburgh, Scotland 2006
ICA (International Communication Association)	Dresden, Germany 2006
Future of the Jewish People	Wye Plantation, Maryland USA, 2006
Hong Kong Mobility Roundtable	Hong Kong, 2005
HICSS, International Conference on System Sciences	Hawaii, 2000, 2002, 2004, 2005
ICEB, International Conference on	Singapore, 2003

Electronic Business	
IADIS, International Association for Development of the Information Society	Lisbon, Portugal 2003
ICIS	San Diego, 1986; Copenhagen, 1990; New York, 1991; Washington DC, 2004
Association of Internet Researchers	Minneapolis, 2001; Maastricht, 2002
Euricom, Ford Foundation	Neijmegen, Netherlands, 2002
HEKATE	Monterey, CA, 2001; Santa Cruz, CA, 2002
CoCoNet, COOPIS	Eilat, 2000; Helsinki, 2002
UNC conference on Information Science and Knowledge Management	Chapel Hill, North Carolina, 2001
Computers in the Social Sciences	Boston, 2001
ICA, International Communication Association	San Diego, 2000
IAMCR, International Association of Mass Communication Research	Boston, Chicago, Sydney (AU) , Dublin, New Orleans, Jerusalem.
International World Wide Web Conference	Barcelona, 2001
ASIS, The Association for the Study of Information Systems, ICIS	Chicago, 1994; Paris, 1998

6 (B). Organization and Chairing of Conferences

1. Co-Chair, Mishkenot Sha'ananim Anglo-Israel Colloquium, *Ethics and Responsibility in an Interconnected World,* Mishkenot Sha'ananim, Jerusalem 2012-2013
2. Keynoter, Meital 2013 Annual Conference, *Israeli University Technology and Teaching Conference,* Hebrew University of Jerusalem
3. Co-Chair and convener, *Israeli National Conferences on Internet and Democracy,* 2011-2013

4. Co-Chair, *Wikimedia/Wikimania International Conference*, Haifa, Israel, August 2011
5. Co-Chair and Organizer, *Israel National Academy of Sciences Conference on Technology and Education*, Acadia Hertzliyah, Israel
6. Keynote Address and Chair, *Payis Culture Policy for Israel*, Jerusalem Theater, May 2009.
7. Invited Keynote Address and Chair, Bezeq (Israel Telecomm) *Conference on Bandwidth*, 2009.
8. Invited Keynote Address and Chair, *Association of Internet Researchers* (AoIR) Annual Conference, Milwaukee, WI, 2009
9. Invited presentations, session and panel chair *Meital* conferences: 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008.
10. Invited Keynote address and session chair in *ILA (Israeli Data Analysis Association)* conferences 1999 - 2005
11. Invited Keynote address, *Israel Internet Association* (ISOC-IL) Annual Conferences, 1999- 2009
12. Keynote talk presented at the *Euricom Research Conference*, Neijmegen Netherlands, October 2002.
13. Organizing Committee, *IBM conferences on Knowledge Work*, 2002, 2003, 2004
14. Chair and discussant, *ICA, AoIR, ICIS, HICSS, AECT, AERA, ICA, ISOC* and other conferences, both panels and plenary sessions.

6. (C) Colloquia, Talks and other invited addresses:

Invited Keynote Speaker and provided addresses at

- Keynote, *Jerusalem International Book Fair*, "The Digital Book", Binyanei HaUma, Jerusalem, February 2013
- National Library Conference on E-Books and the Future of Books, May 2011
- Center for Educational Technology, Future of the Textbook in a Digital World, March 2011
- Mishkenot Shaananim Ethics in Computing Conference, Winter 2011
- ICIS Doctoral Consortium Paris and Essec France (2008)
- HR Congress conference (2007)
- Chair, HICSS and ACM-SIG-CHI (2004, 2005, 2006)
- AoIR Second Annual conference (Minneapolis, MN USA) (2001),
- Neijmegen Netherlands Ford Euricom conference on CMC (2002),
- CoCoNet Helsinki, Finland (2002)

- IBM COOPIS conference (2000)
- Mofet conferences (1999, 2003, 2005)

Presented invited colloquia and talks at University of Southern California, Stanford University, UC Berkeley and University of California Santa Barbara, University of North Carolina, Carnegie Mellon University, Duke University, Harvard University, Oxford University (UK), Sloan School of Business Administration, Ohio State University, Michigan State University, University of Michigan, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Van Leer Institute, Fordham University, Rutgers University, University of Washington, University of Montreal, Carleton University, Open University (UK), University of Tuebingen, University of Gottingen, University of Mannheim, University of Sydney, Technion, Tel Aviv University, Open University (Israel), Bar Ilan University (Israel), Ben Gurion University of the Negev, University of Virginia (Darden School of Business Administration), Interdisciplinary Center (IDC), Hertziya, Israel, California State University: Pomona, Monterey, San Jose and Hayward campuses..

8. Scholarships, Awards and Research Grants

1. Member and co-PI of ICORE Israeli National Center of Excellence, LINKS project, 35 million NIS, (2013-2018) (with Yael Kali, Michal Yerushalmi, Amit Schejter, Niva Elkin Koren and others).
2. Israel Internet Association, Tapuach, Grant for the Study of Digital Gaps in Education and Learning, 250,000 NIS (2012-2013)
3. Bezeq, Research support in the field of Communication Technologies, Teaching and Learning, 100,000 NIS (2012)
4. Research Award, Ministry of Labor, Online E-Government Systems and Research Annual award of 40,000 NIS (2005-2012), total of 320,000 NIS
5. Special Commendation, The Israel Chamber of Information Systems Analysts, February, 2011
6. IBM OCR: Open Collaboration Research award, \$20,000 US (2010) and \$40,000 US (2011, with Daphne Raban)
7. Research Award "Online Social Networks and Information Sharing", \$25,000 (US) Yahoo Research, (2009, with Gad Landau).
8. Research Award, "Study of Online Consumption" 150,000 NIS Ministry of Commerce, Israel, 150,000 NIS (2009)
9. Research Award, Leadership in Wikipedia, 10,000 \$US, Burda Research Center (2008, with Yaron Ariel and Zack Hayat).

10. Research Award, "Knowledge Management among Consulting Professionals, 100,000 NIS, Government of Israel (2008)
11. Research Award, ISF Israel Science Foundation, 280,000 NIS, (2006-2008, with Gilad Raviv, Shifra Baruchson-Arbiv and Judith Bar-Ilan).
12. Citation of Honor, The National Council for Voluntarism in Israel and the Israel Internet Association (2005).
13. Research Award, VATAT 135,000 NIS + matching funds, for study of Online Questionnaires and Surveys (2005)
14. Research Award, Mifal Hapayis (National Lottery Authority) 15,000 NIS for study of information systems in the service of local government, (2005, with Michal Cohen-Gilat)
15. Research Award, project on Social Use in Recommender Systems , Net-4-As, \$30,000, (2005).
16. Intel Academy Relations, \$20,000, "Unwired Jerusalem" Evaluation and Formative Process (2004-2005)
17. IBM, International Business Machines, Grant for participation in IBM Academic Days, London and Paris (2004).
18. CRI \$30,000 for futher development of QSIA: Online Knowledge Assessment and Sharing Initiative (2003 - 2004)
19. Excellence in Teaching Award, Technion MBA program (1999, 2002, 2004)
20. Grants for implementation of HULIA Business Management and Leadership Online Simulation game. Granting agencies include Bank HaPoalim, Bank Leumi, Rafael Industries, Intel Corp., Tower Semi-Conductors, Tivol Food industries, Kibbutz industries. (1999 – present, Total of \$142,000)
21. Prechel Foundation, University of Mannheim Travel Grant 1000 Euro (2003)
22. Meital, Competitive Inter-University Higher Education and Technology Research Award, \$3000 (2003)
23. Caesarea Rothschild Foundation for Interdisciplinary Applications (CRI) \$40,000 (2001) for development and study of an e-learning system, and with I. Meshulam , \$36,000 (2002) for an online simulation
24. Ford Foundation, Scholar Travel grant (\$1200) (2002)
25. US-Israel BiNational Science Fund BSF & NCIP, with Prof. Adoni, \$6000/\$25,000 (2001)

26. Israeli Ministry of Labor and Welfare, Total of 380,000 NIS (~ 50,000 US\$) (1997, 1998, 2000, 2001, 2003-4)
27. Israeli Ministry of Science (with Dr. M. Beller) Hypertextual Intranet "Tools for Teaching" 200,000 NIS, (1996/7).
28. Israeli Ministry of Science (with Dr. N. Tractinsky) Online counseling system (Shi"l) 290,000 NIS, (1996/7)
29. Comuserve Inc. : Study of Electronic Distribution lists: the qualities of "threads". \$2000 (US) (1992 – 1993).
30. Research Grant, The Communication Technology Laboratory, E. Lansing, Michigan, \$8000 (US) (1990 – 1991)
31. Top Three Paper Award: International Communication Association, Human Communication Technology, (1989).
32. Alon Scholarship, Israeli Council for Higher Education, (1985-1988).
33. The Annual Researcher Award, Best Research Paper Association for Educational Communication Technology, AECT AERA January, (1985)
34. Stanford University - academic merit scholarship, (1981 – 1983).
35. Ohio State University - academic merit scholarship, (1980 – 1981).
36. Kappa Tau Alpha - National Scholastic Honor Society, (1980).

9. Teaching:

A. Courses taught:

- Virtual Communities
- Online Games and Simulations (graduate, Executive and corporate versions)
- E-Business, The Computer as a Medium, *both undergraduate and graduate versions.*
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- New Communication Technologies, *both undergraduate and graduate versions.*
- Organizational Communication, *a graduate, MBA course.*
- Business Management Integrative Game (*graduate level*)
- Supply Chain and Information Systems (*graduate and Ph.D. level*)

- Information Visualization Research in Information Systems
a graduate research seminar.
- Introduction to Computers and Information Systems,
an undergraduate and a graduate version.
- Computer Programming in Management, *an undergraduate course.*
- Managerial Computing, *an undergraduate course.*
- Advanced Spreadsheets in Management Science *a graduate, MBA course.*
- Research Methods, *a graduate, MBA course.*
- Computer Applications in Social Science Research, *an undergraduate course.*
- Analysis and Design of Information Systems *a graduate, MBA course.*
- Strategic Uses of Information Systems *a graduate, MBA course.*
- Microcomputer Laboratory, *an undergraduate course.*
- Communication Technologies and Social Change *a graduate, MBA course.*

B. Supervision of graduate students in recent years:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Relationship and topic</u>	<u>Time period</u>
Moshe Yerushalmy, Miriam Barak, Pavel Andreev, Susan Hazan	Post-Doc Fellows	2008-9
Gad Quentin Jones	Ph.D.	2001
Michael Dahan	Ph.D.	2002
Orly Turgeman	Ph.D.	2004
Gilad Ravid	Ph.D.	2004
Daphne Raban	Ph.D.	2004
Avi Noy	Ph.D.	2005
Yuval Dan-Gur	Ph.D.	2007
Yoram Kalman	Ph.D.	2008
Shiri Magen	M.A.	2008
Zack Hayat	M.A.	2009
Fay Sudweeks	Doctoral diss., Australia	1994 – 2004
Yaron Ariel	Ph.D.	2009
Asmaa Genayem	Ph.D.	2009
Ruth Avidar	Ph.D.	2010
Jumanah Issa, Amit Rechavi, Benny Bornfeld Gili Korner, Dorit Geifman, Roni Ram, Vova Soroka, Itai Banner, Alex Rosenberg	Dissertations in progress Doctoral proposals in progress (“shlav aleph”)	
Gilad Ravid	Masters Thesis, Hebrew University	MA, 1997
Yaron Ariel	Masters Thesis, Dept. of Comm.	MA, 2004
Vova Soroka	Masters Thesis, Dept. of Comm.	MA, 2005
Shamir Ahituv	Masters Thesis, Hebrew University	MA, 1995
Noam Tractinsky	Masters Thesis, Hebrew University	MA, 1991
Shlomo Lazar	Masters Thesis, Hebrew University	MA, 1990
Benjamin Czaczkes	Masters Thesis, Hebrew University	MA, 1989
Itamar Shabtai, Ilan Lamdan,	Masters Theses, Hebrew University	

I am currently serving on several additional doctoral committees in Israel and abroad as an external member.

II. Publications:

A. Ph.D. Dissertation:

Title: "On Interacting with Media", English, 112 pages, 1985. Supervisors: S. Chaffee, E. Rogers, T. Winograd, Stanford University.

B. Books

B (1) Textbooks

1. Rafaeli, S. and S. Lazar, *The Electronic Spreadsheet* Jerusalem, Academon (in Hebrew). First edition, 1988 (560 p.) Second edition, 1990 (690 p.) (authored).
2. Rafaeli, S., Information, *Information Systems, and Management*, (1995, 1998, 2000-2004) Course and book, Tel Aviv, Hebrew University, Univ. of Haifa, Ben Gurion Univ. and Open University, (in Hebrew). [Available online, <http://mis.rafaeli.net>]. (Authored. Multiple editions)
3. Rafaeli, S., *NANAS, Statistical Analysis of Data*, (book and software package, Hebrew and English), Nagid Publications, Tel Aviv, 1994. (120 p. authored).

4. "המחשב, הרשת ועידן המידע: מסע רדיופוני בין טכנולוגיה, תרבות וכלכלה",
אקדמיה באלף

Broadcast lecture series, Israeli Broadcast Association (IBA) , 24 lectures
<http://gsb.haifa.ac.il/~sheizaf/AcademyAlephSheizafW.htm>

B (2) Scientific, Edited Books

1. Sudweeks, M. McLaughlin and Rafaeli, S., *Network and NetPlay: Virtual Groups on the Internet*, AAAI MIT Press, (1998).
2. Rafaeli, S., Consalvo, M. and O'Riordan K. (Eds.) (2005) *Internet Research Compendium. Internet Research Annual*, Volume 3. Peter Lang Publishers.

C. Articles in Refereed Journals:

C (1) Refereed journal articles (published):

1. Rechavi, A. and Rafaeli, S. (2012) Knowledge and Social Networks in Yahoo Answers, *Proceedings of the 45th HICSS Annual Conference*, pp. 781-790
2. Rechavi, A. and Rafaeli, S. (2011) Not All Is Gold That Glitters: Response Time and Satisfaction Rates in Yahoo! Answers, IEEE Second Annual Social Computing Proceedings, *SocialComp/Passat*, MIT Media Lab, pp. 904-909
3. Kalman, Y. and Rafaeli, S. (2011) Online pauses and silence: Chronemic expectancy violations in written computer-mediated communication. *Communication Research*, 38 (1) 54-69.
4. Rafaeli, S. (2010), Management Studies and Business Degrees, *Status* Issue 232, pp. 20-26
5. Rafaeli, S. and Segev, L. (2010) Hinuch dot Com: Mischakim Retziniyim (Serious Games), *Hed Hahinuch* December 2010, pp. 90-93
6. Rafaeli S. (2010) Book Review of Tal Samuel-Azran and Dan Caspi's *New media and Innovative Technologies*, Edited by Tal Samuel-Azran & Dan Caspi, Beer Sheva: Ben Gurion University Press.
7. Avidar, R., & Rafaeli, S. (2010). Computer mediated charity: Israeli nonprofit use of Web 1.0 and Web 2.0 online dialogic elements. *The Journal of Global Management Research* (accepted, forthcoming)
8. Rafaeli, S., Hayat, T. and Ariel Y. (2009) Knowledge Building and Motivations in Wikipedia: Participation as "Ba". In Francisco J. Ricardo (ed.) *Cyberculture and New Media*, (pp. 52-69), Amsterdam, New York, Rodopi
9. Nov, O. and Rafaeli, S. (2009) Measuring the premium on common knowledge in computer-mediated coordination problems, *Computers in Human Behavior* 25 (2009) pp. 171-174
10. Ganayem, A.N., Rafaeli, S. and Azaiza, F (2009) Digital Gap: Internet Use in the Arab Society in Israel. (Hebrew) *Megamot*.46(1-2) pp. 164-196
11. Rafaeli, S., & Ariel, Y. (2008). Online motivational factors: Incentives for participation and contribution in Wikipedia. In A. Barak (Ed.), *Psychological aspects of cyberspace: Theory, research, applications* (pp. 243-267). Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press. Available online as <http://gsb.haifa.ac.il/~sheizaf/cyberpsych/11-Rafaeli&Ariel.pdf>. The support site for the book is here: <http://cyberpsych.yeda.info>

12. Rafaeli, S. Hayat, T. and Ariel, Y. (2008) [Virtual Knowledge-Building Communities](#), in Putnik, G.D. and Cunha, M.M. *Encyclopedia of Networked and Virtual Organizations*, New York: Information Science Reference, Volume 3, pp. 1792-1796.
13. Ravid, G., Kalman, Y.M., Rafaeli, S. (2008). Wikibooks in Higher Education: Empowerment through Online Distributed Collaboration. *Computers in Human Behavior* (24), pp. 1913-1928.
14. Harper, M. F., Raban, D. R., Konstan, J. K. and Rafaeli, S. (2008). Predictors of Answer Quality in Online Q&A sites. *Proceedings of ACM-CHI* 2008, Florence, Italy.
15. Barak, M. and Rafaeli, S. (2008) [QSIA Online Knowledge Sharing System: Shared Development and Peer Evaluation](#)", (Hebrew) *Al-Hagova*, Issue 7, pp. 25-29.
16. Rafaeli, S., Raban, D.R. and Ravid, G. (2007) "Social And Economic Incentives in Google Answers" in K. Sangeetha and P. Sivarajadhanavel (Eds.) *Google's Growth, A Success Story* ICFAI University Press, pp. 150-161
17. Lytras, M.D., Rafaeli, S. Downes, S. Naeve, A. and Ordonez de Pablos, P. (Special Issue Editors) (2007) "Learning and Interacting in the Web: Social networks and Social Software in the Web 2.0". Special Issue of *International Journal of Knowledge and Learning (IJKL)*, Volume 3, Nos 4/5, pp. 367-548. [InderScience](#)
18. Rafaeli, S. and Ariel, Y. (2007) "Assessing Interactivity in Computer-Mediated Research", in Joinson, A.N., McKenna, K.Y.A., Postmes, T. and Rieps, U.D. (Eds.) *The Oxford Handbook of Internet Psychology*, Oxford University Press, (Chapter 6, pp. 71-88)
19. Rafaeli, S., Raban, D.R. and Ravid, G. (2007) 'How social motivation enhances economic activity and incentives in the Google Answers knowledge sharing market', *International Journal of Knowledge and Learning (IJKL)*, Vol. 3, No. 1, pp.1-11
20. Ravid, G. Bar-Ilan, J. Baruchson-Arbib, S. and Rafaeli, S. (2007) [Popularity and findability through log analysis of search terms and queries: the case of a multilingual public service website](#), *Journal of Information Science*, 34(2) 131-144
21. Kalman, Y. M., Ravid, G., Raban, D. R., and Rafaeli, S. (2006). Pauses and response latencies: A chronemic analysis of asynchronous CMC. *Journal of Computer-Mediated Communication*, (JCMC) 12(1), article 1.
22. Ravid, G., Bar-Ilan, J., Rafaeli, S. and Baruchson-Arbib, S. (2006), [Analysis of Queries Reaching SHIL on the Web - An Information System Providing Citizen Information](#), in O. Etzion, T. Kuflik, and A. Motro (Eds.): NGITS

- 2006, LNCS 4032, pp. 26 - 37, Springer-Verlag, Berlin-Heidelberg 2006.
23. Raban, D.R. and Rafaeli, S. (2006) [The Effect of Source Nature and Status on the Subjective Value of Information](#) *Journal of the American Society for Information Science and Technology* (JASIST), Volume 57, Issue 3 (p 321-329)
 24. Raban, D.R. and Rafaeli, S. (2007) [Investigating ownership and the willingness to share information online](#), *Computers in Human Behavior* 23 (2007) 2367-2382
 25. Rafaeli, S. and Noy, A. (2006) Social Presence: Influence on Bidders in Internet Auctions, Vol. 15, issue 2 *EM – Electronic Markets the International Journal of Electronic Commerce & Business Media* pp. 158-177
 26. Noy, A. and Rafaeli, S. (2005) [Simulating internet auctions online: effects of learning and experience](#), *Int. J. Simulation & Process Modelling*, Vol. 1, Nos. 3/4, pp.161-170.
 27. Rafaeli, S., Dan-Gur, . and Barak, M. (2005) Social Recommender Systems: Recommendations in Support of E-Learning, *International Journal of Distance Education Technologies* (IJDET), Special issue on Knowledge Management Technologies, Exploiting Knowledge Flows and Knowledge Networks for Learning. 3 (2) pp. 29-45.
 28. Rafaeli, S. and Raban, D.R. (2005) Information Sharing Online: A Research Challenge, in the *International Journal of Knowledge and Learning*, (inaugural issue) Vol. 1, Issue 1-2, pp. 62-80.
 29. Ravid, G. and Rafaeli, S. (2004) Asynchronous discussion groups as Small World and Scale Free Networks, *First Monday*, volume 9, number 9 (September 2004), http://firstmonday.org/issues/issue9_9/ravid/index.html
 30. Rafaeli, S. (2004) Constructs in the Storm, in *Internet Research Annual, Volume 1*, Edited by M. Consalvo, N. Baym, J. Hunsinger, K.B. Jensen, J. Logie, M. Murero, L.R. Shade, Digital Formations, Volume 19, Peter Lang Publishers. p. 55-65
 31. Barak, M. & Rafaeli, S. (2004) Online Question-Posing and Peer-Assessment as Means for Web-based Knowledge Sharing in Learning, *International Journal of Human-Computer Studies* Vol 61, issue 1 pp 84-103
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F. Software authored :

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K. Scientific Statement

Since the early 80's I have been working on understanding computers as media. I am fascinated by the social dynamics of online behavior. My work includes attempts to unpack, measure and manipulate the notions of interactivity, subjective value of information, recommendations and testimonials, network structure, hypertextuality, online silence, chronemics, and social facilitation online. These issues permeate my research as well as my public and popular writing in the popular press.

My approach includes theoretical analyses, field studies, experimental work, and simulation. In other words, I am focused on the phenomenon, not the methodology. The saga of computers as media is unfolding in a variety of fields, which I attempt to integrate into my work. Computers as media are a story of both profound theoretical import and very important applied, real-world implications. Computers serve as media for surveillance and control inside organizations, as tools for institutional as well as extra-curricular education, teaching and learning, and for entertainment and persuasion in the home and private lives. Levels of analysis and loci of interest of computers acting as media are therefore very rich: the tools and their users can be studied at a psychological, group, sociological and network levels. In my research I try to drill through all of these levels, seeking the constructs of lasting importance.

In my work in recent years I have tried to couple the empirical approach in which I have been trained, with new methods such as network analysis, system design and simulations. I derive much pride from my work on large scale surveys of content such as ProjectH and virtual archeology (with my student Gad Q. Jones), and Yahoo Q&A data (with my student Amit Rechavi), as well as large scale sampling and testing of structural models of online interaction (such as work with Heinzl, Schoberth and my students Ravid, Ariel, Noy, Soroka and Kalman).

The field studies were accompanied by laboratory and system development work on the value of information in trading and sharing (work with Raban, Barak, and Gordon in the US). I take special pride in the large number of graduate students I have advised, with whom I continue to work. I see my scientific output as centered on the process of training new researchers.

My academic impact involves contribution as a reviewer and member of editorial boards, I also attempt to impact the real world through my research. I cofounded and edited one of the first online refereed scientific journals. I also designed and implemented what is arguably the first online e-government web site in the world. I continue to maintain and develop it to be a leading quadrilingual service that harnesses the internet for the implementation of citizen rights. I am a member of both national and international task groups on public use of the internet and digital divide. My work on subjective value of information lead to several large scale, international internet-based higher education software innovations and systems. And I co-invented several online simulation programs used in teaching and research around the world.

My fascination continues with the potential of online tools, and some of the dangers involved as well. There is much more work to do on the constructs outlined above. I intend to continue and contribute personally as well as through directing the Center for the Study of the Information Society (The Sagy Center) in work on these issues.