

Vered Vinitzky-Seroussi
Curriculum Vitae, February 2014

A. General

1. Higher Education

1981-1984	Bar-Ilan University	Criminology and Political Science	B.A. – Summa cum Laude
1985-1987	Hebrew University	Criminology	Direct Ph.D.
1987-1989	State University of New York at Stony Brook	Sociology	M.A.
1989-1992	State University of New York at Stony Brook	Sociology	Ph.D.

3. Appointments at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem

10/1996	Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Institute of Criminology	Lecturer
12/2002	Department of Sociology and Anthropology	Senior Lecturer with Tenure
6/2009	Department of Sociology and Anthropology	Associate Professor
6/2012	Department of Sociology and Anthropology	Professor

4. Other Duties/Functions at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem

2002-2006	Member, scholarship/fellowship committee (faculty of Social Science)
2003-2006	Academic Advisor for the MA studies (Sociology and Anthropology)
2003-2007	Deputy Chair, Student Disciplinary committee
2003-2004	Member, The Hebrew University Senate
2006, 2009	Writing and implementing a new program for the MA studies (Sociology and Anthropology)
2007-2009	Member, Academic Committee, Leifer Center for Gender Studies
2007-2009	Member, University Committee for Social Involvement
2007-2009	Member, Halbert Center for Canadian Studies
2007-2009	Chair, Scholarship/Fellowship Committee (faculty of Social Science)
2007-2009	Member, Academic Committee, Davis Institute
2007-2009	Member, Amiran Fellowship Committee.
2009	Member, Cherick Post-Doc Fellowship Committee.

- 2007-2009 Member, Lady Davis Trust
- 2010-2012 Associate Dean and Chair of Teaching committee [faculty of Social Science]
- 2010-2012 Member, university committee – subcontractor workers
- 2010-2012 Member, University committee for Social Involvement
- 2011 - Member of the Hebrew University Senate
- 2012- Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences
- 2013 Member of the Ben Porat Award committee

5. Service in Other Higher Education and Research Institutions

- 2001 GIF, Sociology advisor
- 2006 Israel Science Foundation, member, reviewing committee (Sociology)
- 2006 Memorial Foundation for Jewish Culture, Sociology advisor
- 2007 Israel Science Foundation, Sociology advisor
- 2008 Israel Science Foundation, member, reviewing committee (Sociology)
- 2009 Israel Science Foundation, evaluator (Sociology)

6. Other Activity [Outside the Hebrew University]

Editorial Boards

- 2005-2008 Rose Series, American Sociological Association Press
- 2006-2009 International Journal of Politics, Culture and Society
- 2006-2008 Eshkolot Series – Magnes, Hebrew University Press
- 2011- present American Journal of Cultural Sociology
- 2014- Irish Journal of Sociology

Occasional Reviewer for:

American Journal of Sociology
 American Sociological Review
 Cultural Sociology
 Ethnic and Racial Studies
 History and Memory
 Israeli Sociology [Hebrew]
 Megamot [Hebrew]
 Social Problems
 Sociological Forum
 Qualitative Sociology
 Israel Studies
 Social Psychology Quarterly
 Sociology Compass
 Theory and Criticism [Hebrew]
 The Sociological Quarterly
 Theory and Society
 Nation and Nationalism

- 1997 Session Organizer for the Annual Meetings of the Israeli Sociological Association
- 2001 Session Organizer for the Annual Meetings of the Israeli Sociological Association.
- 2001 Session Organizer for the Annual Meetings of the Association of American Israel Studies (AIS)
- 2001/2 Vice Chair, Association of Israel Studies (AIS), Conference Program Committee
- 2002 Session organizer for the Annual Meetings of the Israeli Sociological Association
- 2004 Chair, "Best Student Award" Committee – American Sociological Association – Culture Section (ASA)
- 2005 Session organizer for the Annual Meetings of the Israeli Anthropological Association
- 2005 Session organizer for the International Institute of Sociology Annual Meetings (IIS)
- 2005 The Aviv University Press, reviewing book manuscript
- 2006 Member, "Best Student Award" Committee – American Sociological Association – Symbolic Interaction Section (ASA)
- 2006 Evaluating Dissertation Haifa University, Evaluating dissertation (Geography)
- 2007 The Open University, Evaluating a course on Qualitative Methods
- 2007 Session organizer for the Annual Meetings of the American Israel Studies (AIS)
- 2007 Evaluating thesis for "Best Thesis Award" – Israeli Sociological Association
- 2008 Haifa University, Evaluating dissertation (Sociology)
- 2009 Tel Aviv University, Evaluating dissertation (Anthropology)
- 2009-10 **Research Fellow – Center for Cultural Sociology – Yale University**
- 2009 The Vietnam War and Rabin Assassination: Commemorating a Difficult Past" -- a special invited lecture – **The Schusterman Summer Seminar for Israel Studies**, Brandeis University.
- 2009 "Israeli Commemoration of Yitzhak Rabin" -- **The Allen and Joan Bildner Annual Lecture**. Center for Jewish Life, Rutgers University.
- 2010 Sessions organizer (Collective Memory) – American Sociological Association
- 2010 Member of a tenure committee (Ben Gurion University)
- 2010 Member of the nomination committee – Culture Section – American Sociological Association
- 2010 Jerusalem, Tel Aviv and the Discourse over National Identity in Israel" – **The Special Annual Bronfman Lecture** – University of Toronto and the Munk Center.
- 2011 Invitee lecture – **University College Dublin, Dept. of Sociology**
- 2010 **Faculty fellow at the Center for Cultural Sociology, Yale University** [life nomination]
- 2011 Reviewing manuscript for Magnes Press.
- 2011 **Author Meets Critique** – on "Yitzhak Rabin's Commemoration and the Dilemmas of Commemoration." **Eastern Sociological Society**

2012 **Annual Meeting**, Philadelphia.
organizer of a special workshop with Chinese scholars of Collective
Memory at the **Institute of Advanced Studies**.

7. Research Grants

1997-1998	Silbert Center	\$7500
1998	Eshkol Foundation	\$2500

1998: The Israeli Institute for Democracy, "Pornography and Violence,"
Vered Vinitzky-Seroussi, \$2500 [item 29 in the list of Publications resulted
from this research].

1999: The Israeli Institute for Democracy, "Malpractice among Lawyers and
Doctors," Vered Vinitzky-Seroussi, \$1500 [item 30 in the list of Publications
resulted from this research]

2000: The Eshkol Foundation, "Delivering bad news in the Israeli Defense
Forces," Vered Vinitzky-Seroussi and Eyal Ben-Ari, \$2500 [item 12 in the
list of Publications resulted from this research]

2000: Israel Science Foundation, "Micro-Macro Collective Memory" – The
proposal won the grade of "very good" followed by compensation made by
Hebrew University.

2006: The Eshkol foundation, "Commemorating Narrative of Violence in the
Israeli Educational System," Vered Vinitzky-Seroussi, \$1500 [one of the
chapters in item 2 resulted from this research]

2009: the Shein Center, "Collective Memory? Integration and Differentiation
in the case of society in Israel" Vered Vinitzky-Seroussi \$2500.

2009: University of Toronto, Halbert Exchange Program, Faculty Exchange
network Exchange fellowship: "Diasporic Engagements: The
Multiple Encounters of Taglit-Birthright." [together with Nachman
Ben-Yehuda, Judy Taylor, Ron Levy and Ronit Dinovitch. \$45,000

2013-2016 GIF – period: three years, 150,000 Euro
Title: "Making Sense of the Past: A comparative Study of the Form and
Function of Historical Home Museums" with Prof. Klaus Eder and Dr. Irit
Dekel from Humboldt University,

Cost

8. Teaching at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem

a) Supervision of Master's and Doctoral Students

Master's degree students:

Brian-Boaz Maydan (Sociology), degree completed 2001
Tamar Bachar (Sociology), degree completed 2001
Noa Vaisman (Anthropology), degree completed 2004
Reuven Maskil- Laeitan (Law), degree completed 2004
Nir Gazit (Sociology), degree completed 2003
Chana Teeger (Sociology), degree completed 2004
Zohar Sharon-Volovelsky (Sociology), degree completed 2007
Ayana Sofer (Anthropology), degree completed 2007
Yehuda Truan (Sociology), degree completed in 2008
Shimi Gonen (Sociology), degree completed in 2008
Noam Kastel (Anthropology), degree completed in 2011
Yemima Cohen (European Studies), degree completed (cum laude) in 2012
Noa Shpindel (Sociology), expected in 2012
Ori Katz (Anthropology), expected in 2012 (won the Kahana Award 2013)
Estehr Amon (Sociology), expected in 2014

Doctoral Degree Student:

Tamar Tomer-Fishman, Criminology, Cultural Defense - Received 2007
(with David Weisburd)
Nir Gazit, Sociology, Fragmented Sovereignty – Received 2009 [with
distinction] (With Eyal Ben-Ari)
Judah Troen, Sociology [was award the Hoffman fellowship]
Hagai Eithan, Sociology (With Sigal Goldin)
Yemima Cohen, Sociology (Recipients of Hoffman Fellowship)

b) Post doctoral visitors:

2011-2012 Yifat Guttman (Awarded Lady Davis)

c) Courses Taught in Recent Years

<u>Year</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	<u>Duration</u>	<u>Level</u>	<u>Status</u>
2007-2013	Society in Israel	Yearly	BA	Required
2006-2009	MA Forum	Semester	MA	Required
2002-2008	Introduction to Qualitative Methods	Yearly	BA	Required
2004-2006	Sociology of Courtrooms	Semester	MA	Elective
2004-2009	The City as Text	Yearly Seminar	BA	Elective
2004-2012	Collective Memory	Yearly Seminar	BA	Elective

B. List of Publications

1. Doctoral Dissertation

Dissertation title:

“The Social Construction of Identities: The case of High School Reunions.”

Doctoral advisor: Prof. Robert Zussman

Date of Ph.D.: September 1992, State University of New York at Stony Brook

2. Books

1. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. **After Pomp and Circumstance: High School Reunion as an Autobiographical Occasion.** 1998. Chicago: University of Chicago Press. 203 pp.
2. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. **Yitzhak Rabin's Assassination and The Dilemmas of Memory.** 2009. Albany: State University of New York Press. 213 pp.

3. Books Edited

3. Jeffrey K. Olick^c, Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered^c, and Daniel Levy^c (eds). **The Collective Memory Reader.** New York:Oxford University Press. **2011.** [carefully selected, extensively annotated, **with a 60 pages definitive Introduction, 5 short introductions and 90 blubs**]. 498 pp

4. Chapters in Collections

4. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. “Who We Were, Who We Are: The Official Story.” Pp. 17-39 in Azmi Bishara (ed), ***Between the “I” and “We”: The Construction of Identities and Israeli Identity.***1999. Tel Aviv: The Van Leer Jerusalem Institute and Hakibbutz Hameucahd. (in Hebrew)
5. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Social Memory and Commemoration: Some 'After the Fact' Thoughts: Pp. 231-245 in Tsu Yun Hui, Jan Van Bremen and Eyal Ben-Ari (eds). 2005. ***Perspectives on Social Memory in Japan.*** England: Global Oriental.
6. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "'Round Up the Unusual Suspects': Banal Commemoration and the Role of the Media." In ***On Media Memory***, edited by Oren Meyers, Motti Neiger and Eyal Zandberg. 2011. England: Palgrave MacMillan. Pp. 48-61

5. Articles

7. Weisburd, David^{pi} and Vered Vinitzky-Seroussi^c. “Vigilantism as Rational Social Control: The case of the Gush Emunim Settlers.” ***Political Anthropology***, Vol. IV: 69-87, 1984.

8. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered^{pi} and Robert Zussman^c. "High School Reunions and the Management of Identity." *Symbolic Interaction*, Vol. 19(3): 225-239, 1996.

Reprint in *Sociological Odyssey: Contemporary Readings in Sociology*. Patricia A. Adler and Peter Adler (eds.) Belmont, CA: Wadsworth. 2000, 2005

9. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Jerusalem Assassinated Rabin and Tel Aviv Commemorated Him: Rabin's Memorials and the Discourse of National Identity in Israel." *City and Society*: 1-21. 1998

An advanced version of this work also appeared in

Greenberg Lev (ed), *Contested Memory: Myth, Nationality and Democracy*, Beer-Sheva: Ben Gurion University and the Hamphry Institute, 2000. pp. 19-37 (in Hebrew)

10. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "The Social Reaction to Treason within a Pluralistic Society: The Pollard Affair." *Advances in Criminological Theory*, Vol. 8: 389-408, 1999.
11. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "My God, What am I Gonna Say?: Reunions as Social Control." *Qualitative Sociology*, Vol. 23(1): 57-75, 2000
12. Vinitzky-Seroussi^{pi}, Vered and Eyal Ben-Ari^c. "A Knock on the Door: Managing Death in the Israeli Defense Forces." *The Sociological Quarterly*, Vol. 41(3): 391-411, 2000
13. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Commemorating Narratives of Violence: The Yitzhak Rabin Memorial Day in Israeli Schools." *Qualitative Sociology*, Vol. 24(2): 245-268, 2001
14. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Commemorating a Difficult Past: Yitzhak Rabin's Memorial." *American Sociological Review*, Vol. 67(1): 30-51, 2002.
15. Schuman, Howard^{pi}. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered^c and Amiram Vinokur^c. "Keeping the Past Alive: Memories of Israeli Jews at the Turn of the Millennium." *Sociological Forum*, Vol. 18(1): 103-136. 2003.
16. Chana Teeger^s and Vered Vinitzky Seroussi^c. "Controlling for Consensus: Commemorating Apartheid in South Africa." *Symbolic Interaction*, Vol. 30(1): 57-78. 2007
17. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered and Chana Teeger. "Unpacking the Unspoken: Silence in Collective Memory and Forgetting" *Social Forces*. 88(3): 1103-1122. 2010.
18. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. 2010. "Generation and Collective Memory." *Israeli Sociology*, Vol. 11(2): 506-510 [in Hebrew].
19. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. 2010 "Shameful Moments and Difficult Pasts: A

Contemporary Challenge for Societies." *Etnografia e Rricerca Qualitative* 3.
[in Italian]

5. Review Essays

20. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Collective Memory – the Lack of Boundaries." *Israeli Sociology*, Vol. 1(1): 171-181, 1999 (in Hebrew)
21. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Narratives and Identities as a matter of Geography." *Journal of Contemporary Ethnography*. Vol. 31(4): 661-970, 2002.
22. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "On the Last War – the one without a name – and Social Memory." *Sociology: newsletter of the Israeli Sociological Association*. 2006 (December): 2-3
23. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "The Decade of Indifference." *Special Catalogue on Israeli Art of the last decade*, Israel Museum, 2008.

6. Book Reviews

24. Ikeda, Keiko. A Room Full of Mirrors. *Contemporary Sociology*, Vol. 29(2): 385-386. 2002 [If= 0.9 80/114 sort by impact factor]
25. Radstone, Susanna, (ed.). Memory and Methodology. *American Ethnologist*, Vol. 28(2): 494-496. 2001. [If= 1.4 11/68 sort by total cites]
26. Levy, Daniel and Natan Sznaider. The Holocaust and Memory in the Global Age. *American Journal of Sociology*, Vol. 112(5) 2007. [If= 2.6 2/93 sort by total Cites]
27. Makdisi, Ussama and Paul A. Silverstein (eds). 2006. Memory and Violence in the Middle East and North Africa. *Israel Studies Forum*
28. Hanna Herzog, Tal Kohavi and Shimshon Zelniker (eds). 2007. Generations, Locations, Identities: Contemporary Perspectives on Society and Culture in Israel. *Israeli Sociology*. 2009.

7. Position Papers

- 29, Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "The Effect of Pornography." Jerusalem: The Institute for Democracy. 1998. (in Hebrew)
30. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "De-licensing as a Sanction." Jerusalem: The Institute

for Democracy. 1999. (in Hebrew)

8. Handbook Entries

31. Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Reunion" in Borman, Kathryn.M., Cahill, Spencer. E.and Bridget A. Cotner(eds.). *The Praeger Handbook of American High Schools*. 2007. Westport, CT: Praeger. Pp 327-328,

9. Articles published by students under my supervision

1. Nir Gazit. "Social Agency, Spatial Practices and Power: The Micro-Foundations of Fragmented Sovereignty in the Occupied Territories." 2009. *International Journal of Politics, Culture and Society* 22(1): 83-103
2. Tomer-Fishman Tamar. 2010. "Cultural Defense", "Cultural Offense" or No Culture at all? An Empirical Examination of Israeli Judicial Decisions in Cultural Conflict Criminal Cases and of the Factors Affecting Them. *The Journal of Criminal Law and Criminology* 100 (2): 475-521.
3. Nir Gazit. 2010. "Boundaries in Interaction: The Cultural Fabrication of Social Boundaries in West-Jerusalem." *City and Community* 9(4): 390-413.

10. Paper Presented in Scientific Conferences

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "The Social Reaction to Treason: The Pollard Affair." Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Washington, D.C. August 1990.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Classification of Special Days and Special People." Annual Meeting of the Midwest Modern English Language, Kansas City, Missouri, November 1990. (cited twice by others).

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Collective Memory and the Creating of a Community." Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Miami Beach, Florida, August 1993.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered and Andre Levi. "Strangers to Themselves: Encountering the Past and the Question of Continuous Identity." The Canadian-Israeli Conference, Jerusalem, May 1994.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Commemorating a Collective." Collective Memory Seminar, Krakow, Poland, July 1994.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Collective Memory: Between the Micro and the Macro." The Annual Meeting of the Israeli Anthropological Association, Ein Gedi, January 1995. [in Hebrew]

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Autobiographical Occasions: Suggested Dimensions for Narrative Analysis." The Annual Meeting of the Israeli Sociological Association, Tel Aviv, February 1997. [in Hebrew]

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Between Jerusalem and Tel Aviv: The Commemorating of Yitzhak Rabin." The Annual Meeting of the Israeli Sociological Association, Haifa, February 1998. [in Hebrew]

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Between the Local and The National: The Commemoration of Yitzhak Rabin." Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, San Francisco, August 1998.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Commemoration and Contested Arenas: Rabin's Memorials." The 34th World Congress of the International Institute of Sociology, Tel Aviv, July 1999.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Rabin's Memorials: Toward a New Model of Commemorating a Difficult Past." The Annual Meetings of the American Society of Criminology, Toronto, November 1999.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Ascending Myth, Descending Myth: Rabin's Memorial Day in Israeli Schools." A conference on "The Zionist century: the continuous debate." Ben-Gurion University, Sde Boker, June 2000. [in Hebrew]

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered and Eyal Ben-Ari. "Managing Death in the Israeli Defense Forces." Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, Washington D.C. August 2000.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "History and Identity within a Post-Modern Era – A comment." Millennial Issues in Sociology of Culture conference, George Mason University, August 2000.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Commemorating Narratives of Violence: The Yitzhak Rabin Memorial Day in Israeli Schools." Association of Israel Studies Conference. Washington D.C. May 2001.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Social Memory and Commemoration: some 'after the fact' thoughts." International Conference on Monuments and Memory in Japan. National University of Singapore, Singapore, July 2002.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Narratives of Political Violence." Cultural Studies Conference, Truman Institute, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, April 2003. [in Hebrew]

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Following His Contested Footsteps: Women and Social Memory." International Conference, The Van Leer Institute and Goethe Institute, Jerusalem, December 2003.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Commemorating a Moral Traumatic Past." International Conference on Trauma and Memory, Bar Ilan University, December 2003.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Gender and Memory." Couch Stone Symposium (Society for the Study of Symbolic Interaction), Vancouver, Canada. February 2004.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered and Edna Lomsky-Feder. "Gender and National Memory." International Institute of Sociology Annual Meetings, Stockholm, Sweden, July 2005.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Forgetting with Passion." The State of Memory Studies International Workshop. University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia, October 2005.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Round Up the Unusual Suspects: Agents of Forgetfulness and Non-Mnemonic Moments." Mapping Social Forgetting International Workshop. The Truman Institute, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, February 2006.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "The Texture of Commemoration." War, Narrative and Collective Memory Workshop, National Memory Museum, Tokyo, Japan, February 2007.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Time, Space and Memorial Demonstration: Commemoration and Israeli-Jewish Society." Annual Meetings of the Association of Israel Studies, The Open University, Ra'anana, June 2007.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Wish to Forget but Forced to Remember: Managing the Past in the Memory Century." Holberg Workshop in honor of S.N. Eisenstadt, Jerusalem, June 2007.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Living Death: Sociology through Commemoration." Annual Meetings of the American Sociological Association, New York City, August 2007.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "The Decade of Indifference." Association of Israel Studies, New York University, New York City, May 2008.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Banal Commemoration." Cultural Sociology Workshop, Yale University. October 2009.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Towards a Sociology of Commemoration." A colloquial seminar, Department of Sociology, Rutgers University, November 2009.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Commemorating a Difficult Past: Towards a theoretical Model." A special colloquial at the Center for Judaic Studies, Brown University. April 2010.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. Commentary. Meaning and Social Processes, Spring Conference, Center for Cultural Sociology, Yale University, April 2010.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Silence in Collective Memory and Forgetting." Conflict in Identities, Identities in Conflict conference, Center for Cultural Sociology, Masaryk University, Brno, Czech, October 15-16, 2010.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Coming to Terms with a Difficult Past." Special seminar at the Department of Sociology, University College Dublin, November 18, 2010.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered. "Silence in Memory and Forgetting." Special seminar at the sociology department, Humboldt University, Berlin. February 2012

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered [with Zohar Sharon-Volovelski]. "We Hereby Neglect: The Israeli Hall of Independence and the Social Texture of Collective Memory, Workshop on "Collective Memory in Comparative Perspectives: Theoretical Concerns and Everyday Practices," The Institute of Advanced Studies, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, February-March, 2012.

Vinitzky-Seroussi, Vered [with Zohar Sharon-Volovelski]. "We hereby Neglect: The Israeli Hall of Independence and the Social Texture of Collective Memory." Association for Israel Studies annual meetings, University of Haifa, June 25-27, 2012

