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Education
Ph.D. in Computer Science
Tel Aviv University
2024 – Present
In the field of Algorithmic Game Theory. Advisor: Michal Feldman.

M.Sc. in Computer Science
Tel Aviv University
2022 - 2024
Graduated with honors, in the field of Algorithmic Game Theory.
Thesis title: "On the (In)approximability of Combinatorial Contracts."
Advisor: Michal Feldman.
Thesis Grade: 99. Defense Grade: 97. Course GPA: 99.

B.Sc. in Computer Science and Mathematics
Tel Aviv University
2018 - 2022
Participated in honors B.Sc. program in computer science, including a research project with Michal Feldman.
Computer Science GPA: 96 (Summa Cum Laude). Mathematics GPA: 90 (Magna Cum Laude).

Papers
- Tomer Ezra, Michal Feldman, Maya Schlesinger. *"On the (In)approximability of Combinatorial Contracts."* ITCS 2024.
- Michal Feldman, Yoav Gal-Tzur, Tomasz Ponitka, Maya Schlesinger. *"Budget-Feasible Contract Design."* EC 2025.
- Tomer Ezra, Michal Feldman, Maya Schlesinger. *"Contract Design for Sequential Actions."* SODA 2026.
- Michal Feldman, Yoav Gal-Tzur, Tomasz Ponitka, Maya Schlesinger. *"One Action Too Many: Inapproximability of Budgeted Combinatorial Contracts."* ITCS 2026.

Awards
- The Boaz Trakhtenbrot Centennial Scholarship, 2025.

Talks
- *"Contract Design with Combinatorial Actions."* Computation and Economics Seminar, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, March 2024.
- *"Contract Design for Sequential Actions."* Gender Inclusion Workshop, EC 2024.
- *"Budget-Feasible Contract Design."* EC 2024.

Teaching Experience
- Teaching Assistant – Discrete Mathematics 2. Tel Aviv University, Spring 2025.
- Teaching Assistant – Discrete Mathematics 2. Tel Aviv University, Fall 2025.