

# ROTEM DVIR

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## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENT

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Assistant Research Scientist, Institute for Science, Technology, and Public Policy (ISTPP), Bush School of Government and Public Service, Texas A&M University, 2021 - present.

Lecturer, International Affairs department, Bush School of Government and Public Service, Texas A&M University, 2021 - present

## EDUCATION

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### **Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas**

Ph.D. Political Science, 2021

Fields: International Relations and Public Policy and Administration

Dissertation: Time horizons and conflict decision-making

Committee: Nehemia Geva, Michael Koch, Matthew Fuhrmann, Arnold Vedlitz

### **University of Haifa, Haifa, Israel**

M.A. Political Science - International Relations, 2014

B.A. Political Science and Economics, 2010

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Foreign policy decision-making, Political psychology, Public policy.

International security, International terrorism, Intelligence studies.

Research methods, Experimental research designs.

## PUBLICATIONS

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### **Peer Review Journal Articles**

"All options are on the table? Time Horizons and the decision-making process in conflict". *Foreign Policy Analysis*, 17, Issue 4, (2021). (Winner of the 2020 *Carl Beck* award from ISA).

"Unpacking public perceptions of terrorism: Does type of attack matters?" *Studies in Conflict & Terrorism*, (2021), Forthcoming. (with Nehemia Geva and Arnold Vedlitz).

"Post Factum Clarity: Failures to Identify Spontaneous Threats", *Intelligence and National Security*, Vol. 34, No. 4 (2019), 576-594.

"Who is a rebel? Typology and Rebel Groups in the contemporary Middle East". *Middle East-Topics & Arguments*, Vol. 6 (2016), 76-86. (With Hyeran Jo).

### **Working Papers and Current Projects**

"Public reactions to Conventional and Cyber Terrorism: An Experimental Exploration" (with Nehemia Geva and Daphna Canetti), Under review.

"The Policy Environment of Remote Patient Monitoring: Evaluating Stakeholders' Views" (with Carol Goldsmith and authors), Under review.

"Short and Long Term Time Frames in Foreign Policy Choices" (with Nehemia Geva and Michael Koch), Working paper.

"Variations in time horizons under conflict conditions: An experimental Exploration", Working paper.

"The Duration of response time in national security crises.", Working paper.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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### **Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas**

Research Assistant for Dr. Nehemia Geva, August 2015 - June 2020

Research Assistant for Dr. Hyeran Jo, August 2015 - January 2016

### **The Institute for Science, Technology, and Public Policy. The Bush school of Government & Public Service, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas**

Program Aide (Research), May 2021 - August 2021.

Pre-doctoral Research Associate, May 2018 - April 2021.

### **Institute for Structural Reforms, Tel Aviv, Israel**

Research Associate, March 2014 - January 2015.

### **National Security Studies Center, University of Haifa, Israel**

Research Associate and team coordinator, October 2013 - November 2014.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### **Quantitative Methods**

Lecturer, The Bush school of Government and Public Policy, Texas A&M University, Fall 2021.

### **Theories of International Relations**

Lecturer, Texas A&M University, Fall 2020, Spring 2021 (Online & Hybrid; [Course Website](#)).

### **International Terrorism**

Lecturer, Texas A&M University, Fall 2019, Spring 2020 (In-person & Online; [Course Website](#)).

### **Foundations of Political Science**

Teaching Assistant, Texas A&M University, Spring 2017 (Professor Joseph Ura).

### **Academy for Future Faculty**

CIRTL Associate - Fellow, Texas A&M University, Spring 2019 (Teaching Certificate).

## CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

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"All options are on the table? How time horizons shape policy selection in conflict." Paper presented at the ISSS/IS Annual Conference in Denver, Col. October 18th-19th, 2019.

"Effects of Negative emotions on the composition of counter-terror policy choice set" (with Nehemia Geva). Paper presented at the 155th Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association (APSA) in Washington, DC. August 28th- September 1st, 2019.

"All options are on the table? How time horizons shape policy selection in conflict." Paper presented at the 5th Annual American Political Science Association (APSA) political psychology pre-conference in Washington, DC. August 28th, 2019.

"Variations in Time Horizons Under Conflict Conditions: An Experimental Exploration". Paper presented at the 60th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association (ISA) in Toronto, Canada. March 27th-30th, 2019.

"Public Reactions to International Terrorism" (with Austin Johnson and Nehemia Geva). Paper presented at the International Society of Political Psychologists 2018 annual meeting. San Antonio, Texas, USA. July 5th-7th, 2018.

"Quick on the Draw: The Duration of Response time in Security Crises". Paper presented at the 59th Annual Convention of the International Studies Association (ISA) in San Francisco, California. April 4th-7th, 2018.

"Time Horizons in Foreign Policy: A Dynamic model of decision making". Paper presented at the Western Political Science Association 2017 annual meeting. Vancouver, British Columbia. April 13th-15th, 2017.

"The role of emotions in short and long term time frames in foreign policy choices" (with Nehemia Geva and Michael Koch). Paper presented at the International Studies Association 2017 annual meeting. Baltimore, MD. February 22nd-25th, 2017.

"Short-Sighted Retribution or Reasoned Response: The Role of Emotions in Foreign Policy Preference Formation" (with Nehemia Geva and Michael Koch). Paper presented at the International Society of Political Psychologists 2016 annual meeting. Warsaw, Poland. July 7th-9th, 2016.

"Post Factum Clarity: Failures to Identify Spontaneous Threats". Paper presented at the Midwest Political Science Association 2016 annual meeting. Chicago, IL. April 6th-9th, 2016.

## AWARDS

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International Studies Association (ISA) Carl Beck Award, Best Graduate paper, 2021. (\$500).

International Studies Association (ISA) Workshop, annual convention, 2020. (\$500).

American Political Science Association (APSA) Travel Award, annual convention, 2019. (\$200).

American Political Science Association (APSA), Political Psychology section, travel award, pre-conference, 2019. (\$100).

Aggie Commit Fellowship, Texas A&M University, 2017. (\$1900).

Office of graduate and professional studies (OGAPS). Texas A&M University, 2017. (\$750).

International Studies Association (ISA) Travel Award, annual convention, 2017. (\$180).

Dean's award for graduate studies, University of Haifa, 2012. (10,000NIS).

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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### **Bank Leumi, Haifa, Israel**

Business Banking Officer, Corporate Real Estate and Infrastructure Division. 2014-2015.

### **Institute for Structural Reforms, Tel-Aviv, Israel**

Research Analyst. 2013-2014.

### **National Security Studies Center, Haifa, Israel**

Research Analyst and projects coordinator. 2012-2014.

### **Haifa Port Security, Haifa, Israel**

Maritime Security Officer. 2007-2010.

### **Israeli Navy, Israel Defense Forces**

Non-Commissioned Officer and Missile systems operator, Missile warships Flotilla. 2001-2004.

## SKILLS

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### **Software and Programming**

R (Markdown & Shiny), LaTeX, Stata, SPSS

GitHub

Qualtrics  
ArcGIS

**Language Proficiency**

Hebrew - Mother tongue  
English - High proficiency

**PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

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Member, American Political Science Association.  
Member, International Studies Association.  
Member, International Society of Political Psychology.

**REFERENCES**

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