

## Chagai M. Weiss

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### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Ethnic Politics, Political Violence, Political Economy, Urban Politics, Causal Inference & Experimental Design

### EDUCATION

**The Hebrew University of Jerusalem**, Jerusalem, Israel

B.A., Political Science & Middle Eastern Studies,

August 2016

- *Cum Laude*

### PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

1. Rock, Jonathan, **Chagai M. Weiss** & Dan Miodownik. "Geographies of Violence in Jerusalem: The Spatial Logic of Intergroup Conflict." (*Accepted at Political Geography*)

### PAPERS IN PREPARATION

1. Gilad, Sharon, Saar Alon-Barkat & **Chagai M. Weiss**. "Political and Bureaucratic Translation of Social Movement Demands: The Case of Israel's 2011 Social Protest." (*Revise and Resubmit at Governance*)
2. **Weiss, Chagai M.** "The Causal Effects of Combatant Deaths and Voting Behavior: Evidence from Israel?"
3. **Weiss, Chagai M.** & Dan Miodownik. "Social Cohesion and Violence: Explaining Riots in East Jerusalem Neighborhoods."
4. Getmansky, Anna & **Chagai M. Weiss**. "How and Why Wars Affect Individual Political Views and Behaviors"
5. **Weiss, Chagai M.**, Yon Lupu, Evgeny Finkel & Dan Miodownik. "How Individual Actors Can Derail Group Conflicts"

### WORK IN PROGRESS

1. **Weiss, Chagai M.** "Can Brief Intergroup Contact Effect Attitudes? A Natural Experiment In Israeli Emergency Medical Clinics"
2. Manekin, Devorah, **Chagai M. Weiss** & Noa Ofek. "Prejudice, Animosity & Intergroup Contact: A Natural Experiment in Jerusalem Hospitals."

### PRESENTATIONS

- **2018:** ISA
- **2016:** AGCPS (*Hebrew University*), ECPR Summer School (*Central European University*)

### ACADEMIC WORKSHOP

- **The Middlebury Arabic School** 2018  
Mills College, California, US
- **Oxford Spring School in Advanced Research Methods** 2016  
Brasenose College, Oxford, UK
- **Multi-Variate Statistical Analysis & Comparative Cross-National Survey Data.** 2016  
ECPR Summer School in Methods & Techniques, Budapest, HU

AWARDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>The Morris Falk Institute for Economic Research in Israel</b> 2018 The Hebrew University of Jerusalem (With Devorah Manekin and Noga Shlomai)</li> <li>• <b>The Harry S. Truman Institute for the Advancement of Peace Research Grant</b> 2018 The Hebrew University of Jerusalem (With Devorah Manekin and Noga Shlomai)</li> <li>• <b>Israel Institute Research Grant (With Devorah Manekin and Noga Shlomai)</b> 2018</li> <li>• <b>Charles and Gayle Mazursky Student Support Fund</b> 2018 Center for Jewish Studies, University of Wisconsin - Madison</li> <li>• <b>Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Summer Fellowship</b> 2018 Center for European Studies, University of Wisconsin - Madison</li> <li>• <b>Graduate Student Travel/Research Grant Competition</b> 2018 Wisconsin Project on International Relations</li> <li>• <b>Minerva Center for Human Rights Research Grant</b> 2017 The Hebrew University of Jerusalem (With Devorah Manekin and Noga Shlomai)</li> <li>• <b>Isaac and Ida Lipton Study Abroad Fellowship</b> 2017 Center for Jewish Studies, University of Wisconsin - Madison</li> <li>• <b>Charles and Gayle Mazursky Student Support Fund</b> 2017 Center for Jewish Studies, University of Wisconsin - Madison</li> <li>• <b>Graduate School Fellowship</b> 2017 University of Wisconsin - Madison</li> <li>• <b>Partial Funding: Oxford Spring School in Advanced Research Methods</b> 2017 Brasenose College, Oxford University, UK</li> <li>• <b>The Prat Prize for Distinguished Seminar Paper</b> 2017 <b>Paper:</b> Explaining Low Intensity Violence in East Jerusalem</li> <li>• <b>Dean's Grant for Academic Excellency</b> 2016 The Hebrew University of Jerusalem</li> <li>• <b>Advanced Graduate Studies Program (AGSP) Scholarship</b> 2016 The Hebrew University of Jerusalem</li> <li>• <b>Dean's Scholarship for Academic Excellency</b> 2015 The Hebrew University of Jerusalem</li> </ul>
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	<p><b>Research Assistant</b> 2015 - 2017 Supervisor: Prof. Dan Miodownik (The Hebrew University, Political Science) Supervisor: Prof. Sharon Gilad (The Hebrew University, Political Science)</p>
SERVICE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Student Co-Coordinator:</b> Comparative Politics Colloquium 2018-2019 The Department of Political Science, University of Wisconsin – Madison</li> <li>• <b>Student Co-Coordinator:</b> Political Economy Colloquium 2018-2019 The Department of Political Science, University of Wisconsin – Madison</li> <li>• <b>Student Coordinator:</b> Graduate Student Political Methodology Workshop 2017 The Departments of International Relations &amp; Political Science, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, IL</li> <li>• <b>Student Coordinator:</b> The Middle East After the Arab Spring 2016 The Davis Institute, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, IL</li> <li>• <b>Student Coordinator:</b> Israel Under The Shadow of Conflict 2016 The Davis Institute, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, IL</li> </ul>
OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Worker's Hotline</b> 2014 Fieldwork with Underrepresented Palestinian Laborers, Jerusalem, Israel</li> <li>• <b>Earth in Justice</b> 2013-2014 English Instructor and Youth Organizer, Kathmandu, Nepal</li> <li>• <b>Military Service (Israel)</b> 2009-2013 Mandatory Service as a Paratrooper's Commandor</li> </ul>

REFERENCES

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SOFTWARE

R, STATA, ArcMap, QGIS,  $\LaTeX$

LANGUAGES

**Hebrew** (Native), **Arabic** (Advanced)

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