

Curriculum vitae

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Thirty-eight years old, Ph.D. student in the Department of General History at the University of Haifa. Engaged in research, academic guidance, and supervision, making the anthropological perspective accessible, and developing critical thinking. A man of travel and adventure. Published author, writer, and creator. Recently returned from an ethnographic trip to Tepetlaostock, Mexico. Serves as a teaching and research assistant, lecturer (in academic and non-academic settings). Guides writing and photography workshops in an ethnographic spirit, accompanies training teams and expeditions abroad. Director of community-social projects: the social publishing house 'Cruso' and the 'Cultural Experience' project. Current research examines the role of 'journeys' in Nahua cultural memory in the Central Valley of Mexico during the Late Postclassic period.

Education

- 2023 - Beginning of doctorate studies under Prof. Amos Maged - Department of General History, University of Haifa.
- 2021-2022 - Completion and language studies for a doctorate - Department of Latin American History, Tel Aviv University. 2021 - Preliminary year for doctoral studies (including Spanish studies) - Department of History of Latin America, Tel Aviv University.
- 2017-2020 - M.A. student in anthropology at the University of Haifa (including master's thesis).
- 2013-2016 B.A. student in Sociology and Anthropology at the Open University of Israel.
- IDF officer's course.
- 2006-2007 Pre-military preparatory course for social leadership, 'Mitzar'.
- Graduate of the Democratic School in Hedera, Israel.

Academic work

[Research and teaching](#)

- o 2023-2026 - Lecturer at the College of Management - Department of Behavioral Sciences.
- o 2022 - Researcher in the technological and social foresight unit at Tel Aviv University.

Assistant in academic teaching and academic supervision

- o 2024-2026 - Academic advisor and facilitator of the IDEA program (Haifa University) for research in humanistic fields - in collaboration with the Center for Future Scientists, Israel.
- o - 2023-2024 Teaching assistant to Dr. Tamar Kana-Shalit - Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, Tel-Hai College.
- o 2023-2024 - Teaching assistant to Dr. Guy Abbotbol-Zellinger - Sociological approaches to the study of the family - Department of Behavioral Sciences, College of Management.
- o 2023-2024 - Teaching assistant to Dr. Ella Glass - Foucault Learning Space - Department of Behavioral Sciences, College of Management.
- o 2023-2024 - Teaching assistant to Dr. Guy Shani - Basics of social thinking - Department of Behavioral Sciences, College of Management.
- o 2023 - Practitioner in the course of Dr. Keren Friedman-Pleg - Introduction to Anthropology - Department of Behavioral Sciences, College of Management

Assistant in research

- o 2023-2026 - Research Director for Prof. Amos Meged - in the project 'Frameworks and Patterns of Membership among the Nahua' - Department of General History, University of Haifa.
- o 2023- Research assistant and Director for Prof. Amos Maged as part of a study for the National Science Foundation and the European Research Council - Relational syncretism in Nahua culture - Department of General History, University of Haifa.
- o 2023 - Research assistant of Dr. Zur Shalov - 'Landscapes of Knowledge' project - 'The religious journey between the center and the margins' - Department of General History, Haifa.
- o 2022 - Researcher at the Center for Technological and Social Forecasting at Tel Aviv University.
- o 2022-2024 - Research assistant to Dr. Dana Shoham-Kugelmas and Dr. Moran Farhi in studies on the use of learning strategies in the context of practical experience, the internship year and post-training training - David Yellin College.
- o 2021 - Research Assistant of Dr. Lehi Lahat and Dr. Regev Nathanson - Exploration Research in Netivot. As part of the Smart Community Laboratory in the Periphery - Sapir College, Israel.
- o 2021 - Research Assistant of Dr. Dana Zarchin in Research on Socio-Cultural Patterns of Sleep in Israel - Department of Sociology, University of Haifa, Israel.
- o 2021 - Research Assistant to Dr. Omar Keinan, Dr. Lihi Lahat, and Dr. Francesca Scala - as part of a study by the Council for the Study of the Social Sciences and

Humanities of Canada (SSHRC) - Research on Time Perceptions and Welfare in the COVID-19 Age - Concordia University.

- o 2021 - Research Assistant in research on the attitudes of adolescents about relationships - Faculty of Education, University of Haifa, Israel
- o 2021 - Research Assistant in a Joint Project - Israel Canada (Concordia University) - Research on Perceptions of Time and Welfare during the Covid-19 Crisis.
- o 2021 - Research Assistant to Prof. Miri Sharaf - Department of Counseling and Human Development - Studies on Strength and Weakness among Holocaust Survivors and Their Descendants. A study of parenting in the corona crisis. University of Haifa, Israel
- o 2019-2021 - Research Assistant to Prof. Nimrod Luz (Western Galilee Academy, Kinneret College) as part of a study by the National Science Foundation - Religiosity project - Acre, Israel
- o 2019 - Research Assistant to Dr. Adi Sapir - Faculty of Education, University of Haifa - Research on student support from the socio-economic periphery

Research expeditions

- o 2023 - Ethnographic expedition to Tepetlaoxtoc, Mexico - as part of doctoral research.
- o 2022 - A comparative expedition to ethnic border communities in Thailand-Burma - toward a doctoral thesis.
- o 2020-2021 - an exploratory expedition to Mexico and the Caribbean in preparation for doctoral research.
- o 2018 - Independent research expedition to Ethiopia - Ethnography in the Zeisa community.

Publications

- o 2019-2020 - Thesis work within the Department of Anthropology in Haifa on the subject of 'Indianism in Israel'.

Participation in research conferences

- o 2026 - ESOLIT 03 - International Conference for Esotericism, Literature and Counterculture. Denmark.
- o 2024 - The seventh annual conference of the Israeli Association for the Study of Religions. Israel.
- o 2023 - The sixth annual conference of the Israeli Association for the Study of Religions. Israel.
- o 2022 - the fifth annual conference of the Israeli Association for the Study of Religions. Israel.
- o 2021 - the 53rd annual conference of the Israeli Sociological Association. Israel.
- o 2021 - GIRES International Conference Religion and Politics in the United States. Amsterdam

Work Experience

- o 2021-2023 - Independent lecturer in various settings - Tel Aviv Museum of Culture and Art, organizations, pre-military preparatory schools and more.
- o 2022 - Researcher in the technological and social foresight unit at Tel Aviv University.
- o 2018-2020 - Lecturer at various educational institutions.
- o 2018-2020 - Senior Lecturer in the Pre-Military Preparatory School "Telam" (in Jaffa and Holon) - Course title: "Virtues, Leadership and Other Gods".
- o 2017-2020 - Coordinator of the alumni community of the Telam Pre-Military Preparatory School (in Jaffa and Holon).
- o 2015-2017 - Instructor and mentor in educational aspects at the Pre-Military Preparatory School for Social Leadership in Tel Aviv (Jaffa).
- o 2012-2014 - Coordinator of the youth movements "Working and Learning Youth" and "Members of the Moshav" in Ein Hod.
- o 2012-2014 - Director of Informal Education and Community Relations at the Ein Hod Artists' Village.

Military Service

2007-2012 - Fighter in the Home Front Command's Search and Rescue Unit. Command and training positions, completion of service with the rank of deputy in the position of commander in officer's course.

Activity in the business sector

2017-2023 - Owner of a small business for writing creative content and accompanying academic writing processes called Milo-Lee.

Volunteering

- 'Stage for a New Spirituality' - Prof. Mariana-Rouch speaks - academic accompaniment and help with production and coordination.
- Elin Hospital in Israel, Department of Special Projects - Consulting and support in adapting global content to the local culture.
- Non-profit organization 'Home for Every Child' - advice and support on the subject of media culture.
- Sea Turtle Rescue Center. Nature and Parks Authority, Israel.

Additional relevant skills

- Languages - Hebrew (mother tongue), English (at mother tongue level), Spanish (Academic), Nahuatl (during studies - University of Utah).
- Experience in project management.
- Ability to learn, think and work independently.
- Ability to work in a team and good interpersonal skills.
- Experience in consulting and mentoring.
- Experience in managing and guiding organizational strategies.
- Proven ability in leading teams.
- Oral and written expression skills are highly developed.

- Experience in leadership development.
- Has creative thinking. Entrepreneurial spirit.
- Has high organizational skills.
- Communicative, with a good ability to make connections and create opportunities.
- Highly motivated, curious and ambitious.

Other areas of interest and occupation: Reading, Photography, Film, Writing.

1. Personal website - www.idanedut.com.
2. Crusoe-publishing website - [Crusoe-publishing](#)
3. Debut Book "What if good ideas were just lying on the floor?!" (see [Israel National Library](#)).
4. Second book "School for the gods children" (see [Israel National Library](#)).
5. Third book "Karpazano" (see [Israel National Library](#)).