

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Higher Education

<u>Year/s</u>	<u>Institution</u>	<u>Field/s of Study</u>
2012-2015	University of Southern California	Ph.D., Communication. Thesis: <i>Alternative Citizenship? From Online Participatory Cultures to Participatory Politics</i> . Supervisor: Prof. Henry Jenkins
2009-2012	University of Southern California	M.A., Communication
2006-2008	University of Haifa	M.A. (summa cum laude), Communication. Thesis: <i>Memory Setting: Media's Impact on the Collective Memory of Individuals</i> . Supervisors: Prof. Yariv Tsfati and Dr. Oren Meyers
2003-2006	Tel Aviv University	B.A. (summa cum laude), Communication and Political Science
1999-2000	Goethe University, Germany	Political Science

Academic Appointments

2015-	Lecturer (Assistant Professor), Department of Communication & Journalism, Hebrew University of Jerusalem
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Awards and Honors

2016	Golda Meir Fellowship – Hebrew University of Jerusalem
2013	Top paper award for the Cultural and Critical Studies Division, Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication (AEJMC)
2011	Third place top research poster, International Communication Association (ICA)

2011	Top Student Paper award for the Mass Communication Division, International Communication Association (ICA)
2009-2014	Annenberg Fellowship, University of Southern California
2009-2011	Fulbright Doctoral Student Grant
2008	Scholarship for outstanding graduate students, University of Haifa
2008	Yuval Shahal Top Student Paper Award, Israeli Communication Association (ISCA)

Grant Projects

<u>Funding Source</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Period</u>	<u>Research</u>
USC Annenberg Ph.D. Scholarship	\$30,000	2014-2015	Alternative citizenship models
The Eshkol Institute, Hebrew University	12,000 NIS	2015-2016	Political talk among heterogenous groups on WhatsApp
The Smart Institute of Communication, Hebrew University	\$1800	2015-2016	Political talk among heterogenous groups on WhatsApp
The Eshkol Institute, Hebrew University	4,000 NIS	2016-2017	Incidental news: How Young Israelis Consume News on Social Media

Reviewer of Scientific Work

2013- Journal reviewer: *Journal of Communication*, *Political Communication*, *New Media & Society*, *Social Media + Society*, *International Journal of Communication*, *Memory Studies*, *Journal of Children and Media*

Publications

Books

Jenkins, H., Shresthova, S., Gamber-Thompson, L., **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.**, & Zimmerman, A. (2016). *By Any Media Necessary: The New Youth Activism*. New York University Press.

Peer-reviewed journal articles

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (Forthcoming). Alternative citizenship models: Contextualizing new media and the new 'good citizen.' Accepted for publication in *New Media & Society*.

Thorson, K. , Edgerly, S. , **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.** , Xu, Y. , & Wang, L. (2016). Seeking visibility in a big tent: Digital communication and the People's Climate March. *International Journal of Communication*, 10, 4784-4806.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2016). Mechanisms of translation: From online participatory cultures to participatory politics. *Journal of Digital Media and Literacy*, 4(1-2).

Mor, Y., **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.** & Maoz, I. (2015). Political expression on Facebook in a context of conflict: Dilemmas and coping strategies of Jewish-Israeli youth. *Social Media + Society*, 1(2), 1-10.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2015). From wizards and house-elves to real-world issues: Political talk in fan spaces. *International Journal of Communication*, 9, 2027-2046.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. & Thorson, K. (2015). Good citizenship as a frame contest: Kony2012, memes, and critiques of the networked citizen. *New Media & Society*, 18(9), 1993-2011.

Vraga, E. , Thorson, K. , **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.** & Gee, E. (2015). How individual sensitivities to disagreement shape youth political expression on Facebook. *Computers in Human Behavior*, 45, 281-289.

Ito, M. , Soep, L. , **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.** , Shresthova, S. , Gamber-Thompson, L. & Zimmerman, A. (Forthcoming). Learning Connected Civics. *Curriculum Inquiry*, 45(1), 10-29.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. & Shresthova, S. (2014). "We want to help in all these different ways": Participatory Culture Civics. *Conjunctions* 1(1), 1-25.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. , Tsfati, Y. & Meyers, O. (2014). Setting the collective memory agenda: Examining mainstream media influence on individuals' perceptions of the past. *Memory Studies*, 7(4), 484-499.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. , McVeigh-Schultz, J. , Weitbrecht, C. & Tokuhama, C. (2012). Experiencing Fan Activism: Understanding the Power of Fan Activist Organizations through Members' Narratives. *Transformative Works and Cultures*, no. 10, (n.p.).

Bourdon, J. , & **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.** (2011). Together, nevertheless: Television memories in mainstream Jewish Israel. *European Journal of Communication*, 26(1), 33-47.

Book chapters

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (in press). Case Study: Nerdfighters. *Leveling Up: Connected Learning in Interest-Driven Environments*.

Bourdon, J. & **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.** (in press). Remembering television in mainstream Jewish Israel: from one nation/one channel to commercial tribalization. In Talmon, M. (Ed.), *As Seen on Israeli TV: National Television between the Local and the Global Context*. University of Texas Press.

Jenkins, H. , Shrestova, S. , Gamber-Thompson, L. & **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.** (2016). Superpowers to the People! How young activists are tapping the civic imagination. *Civic Media: Technology, design, practice* (pp. 295-321). Cambridge, MA: MIT Press.

Thorson, K. , Vraga, E. & **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.** (2014). Don't push your onions on me: Young people and political etiquette on Facebook. In Hendricks, J. and Schill, D. (Eds.), *Presidential Campaigning and Social Media* (pp. 74-93). Oxford University Press.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2011). Memory-Setting: Applying Agenda-Setting Theory to the Study of Collective Memory. In Neiger, M., Meyers, O., and Zandberg, E. (Eds), *On Media Memory: Collective Memory in a New Media Age* (pp. 226-237). London: Palgrave MacMillan.

White papers and reports

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2013). Decreasing world suck: Fan communities, mechanisms of translation, and participatory politics. MacArthur Foundation. Available: <http://dmlhub.net/publications/decreasing-world-suck-fan-communities-mechanisms-translation-and-participatory-politics>

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. , & Shresthova, S. (2013). Case study: The Harry Potter Alliance. In Ito, M. et al., *Connected Learning: An Agenda for Research and Design*. Digital Media and Learning Research Hub Reports on Connected Learning. Available: http://dmlhub.net/sites/default/files/ConnectedLearning_report.pdf

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. , & Shresthova, S. (2012). *Learning through Practice: Participatory Culture Civics*. MacArthur Foundation. Available: http://ypp.dmlcentral.net/sites/all/files/publications/Learning%20Through%20Practice_Kligler-Shresthova_Oct-2-2012.pdf

Publications in popular press

Gamber-Thompson, L. , & Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2015, February 24). Why Harry Potter is more than a guilty pleasure: Guest commentary. *Los Angeles Daily News*.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2014, June 27). Nerdfighters: The online community behind the box-office hit. *The Huffington Post*.

Shresthova, S. & **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.** (2012, October 22). Moving beyond Kony 2012. *The Huffington Post*.

Invited talks

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2017). Youth civic and political engagement in the digital age. Hebrew University Resilience Group. Jerusalem, Israel.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2016). Why should I bother with politics? Political participation in the age of WhatsApp and Facebook. Einstein in Aza lecture series. Jerusalem, Israel.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. & Shresthova, S. (2012). Click Activism: Youth civic engagement through online participatory cultures. Webinar sponsored by the Children, Youth and Families Education and Research Network. <http://www.cyfernet.org/onlinepd/12-12-clickactivism.html>

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2012). Generation Potter: Fifteen years later. Keynote talk at *Ascendio*, Orlando, Florida.

Conference Papers

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2017). How politically heterogeneous Israeli WhatsApp groups engage in civil cross-cutting political talk. International Communication Association. San Diego, USA.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2016). ‘Imagine we’re all in the living room talking about politics’: Israeli WhatsApp groups devoted to informal political talk. Association of Internet Researchers. Berlin, Germany.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2016). Alternative citizenship models: Mapping the new “good citizen.” International Communication Association. Fukuoka, Japan.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2016). Equity and diversity in participatory politics. International Communication Association. Fukuoka, Japan.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2015). Mechanisms of translation: From participatory culture to participatory politics. International Communication Association. San Juan, PR.

Thorson, K., Edgerly, S., Xu, Y., **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.**, & Driscoll, K. (2015). Activist communication across platforms: Social media and the People's Climate March. International Communication Association. San Juan, PR.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2014). Wizards, werewolves and house-elves: An ethnographic examination of political conversation in fan spaces. International Communication Association, Qualitative Political Communication pre-conference, Seattle, WA.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2014). “Decreasing World Suck”: Connecting the worlds of culture and civics. Digital Media & Learning Conference, Boston, MA.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2013). Connecting fandom, participatory culture and civic engagement: From theories to trajectories. National Communication Association Conference, Washington, DC.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2013). Mobilized Communities: Reconstructing Alternative Citizenship Models through Ethnographic Examination. National Communication Association Conference, Washington, DC.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. & Thorson, K. (2013). Navigating good citizenship in a networked world: The case of Kony2012. Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Conference, Washington, DC. [Top paper in the Critical and Cultural Studies Division]

Vraga, E., Thorson, K., **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.** & Gee, E. (2013). Conflict avoidance, context collapse: Young citizens and politics on Facebook. Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication Conference, Washington, DC.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. & Gamber-Thompson, L. (2013). The civic me: Supports for integrating civic and personal identities online. Digital Media and Learning Conference, Chicago, IL.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2012). Experiencing fan activism: Understanding the mobilizing power of fan activist organizations through members' narratives. International Communication Association. Phoenix, AZ.

Ball-Rokeach, S., Gonazalez, C., Son, M. & **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.** (2012). Understanding individuals in the context of their environment: Communication ecology as a concept and method. International Communication Association. Phoenix, AZ.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2012). Youth and Participatory Politics in Fandom: From Case Studies to Theory. Participation/Exploitation? Microconference. Los Angeles, CA.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2012). Learning through practice: Participatory culture civics. Digital Media and Learning Conference, San Francisco, CA.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2011). The seven sins of collective memory (and forgetting). National Communication Association, New Orleans, LA.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2011). Setting the collective memory: Emirical analysis of mainstream media's influence on collective memory in Israel. International Communication Association, Boston, MA. [Top student paper, Mass Comm Division; Top Research Poster, 3rd place]

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2011). Memory-Setting: Applying Agenda-Setting Theory to the Study of Collective Memory. International Communication Association, Boston, MA.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2011). Sustainability in fan activism: The case of the Harry Potter Alliance. Digital Media and Learning Conference, Long Beach, CA.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2009). Toward Memory Setting: Applying agenda setting theory to collective memory research. Israeli Communication Association (ISCA), Emek Izrael, Israel.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2008). Selective memory: Analyzing the collective memories of individuals in Israel. Israeli Communication Association (ISCA), Tel Aviv, Israel.

Katsman, M. and **Kligler-Vilenchik, N.** (2008). Young viewers' discourse on television product placement. Israeli Communication Association (ISCA), Tel Aviv, Israel.

Kligler-Vilenchik, N. (2008). Selective memory: Analyzing the collective memories of individuals in Israel. Israeli Political Science Association (ISPSA), Beit Berl, Israel. [Top Student Paper]

Membership in Professional Associations

ICA (International Communication Association)

AOIR (Association of Internet Researchers)

NCA (National Communication Association)

DML (Digital Media & Learning)