

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Higher Education

A. Undergraduate and Graduate Studies

Period of Study	Name of Institution and Department	Degree	Year of Approval of Degree
2006-2009	Bar Ilan University	PhD with highest distinction	2009
2004-2005	Bar Ilan University	MA with highest distinction	2005
2002	Bar Ilan University	Diploma in Journalism and Communication	2002
1999-2002	Bar Ilan University	BA political science and Communication	2002

B. Post-Doctoral Studies

Period of Study	Name of Institution, Department and Host	Year of Completion
2010	New York University, Jean Monnet Center for International and Regional Economic Law and Justice, Professor Joseph Weiler	2010

Academic Ranks and Tenure in Institutions of Higher Education

Dates	Name of Institution and Department	Rank/Position
2023-present	The Open University of Israel, the department of Sociology, Political Science and Communication	Associate Professor
2019	Department of Political Science, University of California Berkeley	Visiting Scholar
2018-2023	The Open University of Israel, the department of Sociology, Political Science and Communication	Senior Lecturer
2014-2018	The Open University of Israel, the department of Sociology, Political Science and Communication	Lecturer
2012-2014	The Open University of Israel, the department of Sociology, Political Science and Communication	Visiting faculty member
2011	The department of Political Studies, Bar Ilan University	Adjunct lecturer
2011	Israel Democracy Institute	Junior research fellow
2004-2009	The department of Political Studies, Bar Ilan University	Instructor
2004-2009	The department of Interdisciplinary Social Studies, Bar Ilan University	Instructor
2004-2005	Faculty of Law, Bar Ilan University	Teaching assistant

Offices in Academic Administration

2024-Present Chair, the department of Sociology, Political Science and Communication

2020-2021 Chair, the MA program in Government and Public Administration.

2020-2024 Member, the Research Authority's steering committee.

2018-2024 Chair, the subcommittee for Sociology, Political science and Communication.

2016-2019 Representative of the Lecturers at the OUI Senate.

2017 Member, ad hoc committee for students' excellence criteria.

2014-2018 Member, the committee for recognition of previous studies.

2018 Member, the academic committee of the Open University's 40th anniversary events.

2019 Member, the subcommittee for Education and Psychology.

2020 Member, departmental review committee on course offerings, the department of Sociology Political science and Communication.

2021 Member, the Academic Curricula committee, The Open University.

2022 Member, the Social Sciences faculty committee, The Open University.

Scholarly Positions and Activities outside the Institution

Membership of professional associations

- European Consortium of Political Research
- American Political Science Association
- International Studies Association
- University Association for Contemporary European Studies
- European Union Studies Association
- Israeli Association for the Study of European Integration
- Israeli International Studies Association

Roles in professional associations

- Chair, Human Rights Interest Section, Israeli International Studies Association
- Co-Chair, Public Policy interest section, European Union Studies Association
- Ad hoc Adviser, the Research Buddy Network, ANTERO network
- Member of the governing council of the Israeli International Studies Association

- Member of the internal audit committee, Israeli Association for the Study of European Integration
- Participation in the Second EU-Israel Strategic Dialogue

Review of MA Theses

- Omer Gendler, the European rift: How the European Union turned from a union of states to a breaker of states: the case of the UK and Scotland, Submitted to the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, December 2014
- Hagit Masika-Cohen, the demise of the Democratic Peace Argument in Bejamin Netanyahu's Political Rhetoric, submitted to the Open University of Israel, April 2015

Review of PhD Theses

- Rephael Raul Barak, "Small States": Foreign Policy Tools Exploring Israel-European Relations in Science
- Steinberg Idan, The Constitutive Link Between Paradigmatic Changes and Foreign and Security Policy Changes: The Palestinian-Israeli Case
- Avital, Moran, Israeli Human Rights Organizations: The Perceptions and Price of Going Global
- Andersen Hulthin Marie, Strategic Balance in CEDAW's Constructive Dialogue: An Ethnographic Study of Faming and Shaming, Midway assessment

Ad-Hoc Article Review

- Political Research Quarterly
- Symposium editor, Journal of Human Rights 24(1), with Audrey Comstock
- American Journal of Political Science
- Journal of Peace Research
- Politics and Policy
- Research and Politics
- Journal of Conflict Resolution
- Ethics and International Affairs

- International Relations Journal
- Political Science Quarterly
- International Studies Quarterly
- Review of International Organization
- The Social Science Journal
- International Studies Review
- Journal of Common Market Studies
- European Journal of International Relations
- Asia-Europe Journal
- Journal of Contemporary European Studies
- Mishpat ve'Asakim (Hebrew)

Participation in Scholarly Conferences

A. Active Participation

Date	Name of Conference, Place of Conference	Subject of Lecture/Discussion	Role
September 2025	121st American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Vancouver	Democratic Backsliding and Children's Rights, in a Fractured Global Order	Presenter
August 2025	Workshop for special issue on the Accommodation Dilemma, Stockholm	Burning Reputations	Discussant
August 2025	Workshop for special issue on the Accommodation Dilemma, Stockholm	The auditor's dilemma: Responses to procedural non-cooperation under international treaties	Presenter
March 2025	65 th Annual meeting of the International Studies Association	Friendly Advice: Socializing shaming in the Committee Against Torture	Presenter
December 2024	How States and International	The auditor's dilemma: The UN's Committee Against	Presenter

	Organizations Respond to Non-Cooperation, Zurich	Torture's response to state parties' non-cooperation	
December 2024	How States and International Organizations Respond to Non-Cooperation, Zurich	International Responses to Human Rights Violations	Discussant
April 2024	64 th Annual meeting of the International Studies Association	Reciprocal violations of foreigners' rights among CAT countries	Presenter
September 2023	American Political Science Association Annual Meeting, Los Angeles	Gender, Sexuality, and Human Rights	Discussant
September 2023	Human Rights and Democratic Backsliding, ASU Los Angeles	Game of Thrones: Hiding democratic backsliding behind human rights reforms for regime survival	Presenter
June 2023	The Future of the Liberal International Order, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem	Liberal Order, Illiberal Challenges	Presenter
June 2023	Annual meeting of the Israeli International Studies Association, Bar Ilan University	Collective Equality: Democracy and Human Rights in Ethno-national Conflicts.	Presenter
June 2023	Annual meeting of the Israeli International Studies Association, Bar Ilan University	International Aspects of the Regime Change Initiatives in Israel	Presenter
May 2023		Reinforcement, politicization, signaling, or inertia: Overlap in UN	Presenter

		treaty bodies' monitoring of foreigners' rights violations	
April 2023		Expertise and Decision-making of Independent Experts in International Organizations. Evidence from the International Human Rights System	Discussant
April 2023		Whose Law? The Strategic Application of International Law and Legal Rhetoric in Human Rights Debates	Discussant
April 2023		Reinforcement, politicization, signaling, or inertia: Overlap in UN treaty bodies' monitoring of foreigners' rights violations	Presenter
March 2023		Reinforcement, politicization, signaling, or inertia: Overlap in UN treaty bodies' monitoring of foreigners' rights violations	Presenter
March 2023		'In their personal capacity' - Analyzing the impact of education, experience, gender and nationality on experts' behaviour in the UN treaty bodies'. with Nina Reiners	Presenter
September 2022	American Political Science Association Annual Meeting and Exhibition	Donor's Interest and the UN's Human Rights Shaming of US' Trade Partners	Presenter
May 2022	Annual meeting of the Israeli International Studies Association, Haifa University	The International Community and Human Rights Promotion	Chair and discussant
May 2022	Annual meeting of the	Human Rights in International	Chair and

	Israeli International Studies Association, Haifa University	Power Struggles	discussant
May 2022	Linking IO Authority and Overlap: Theoretical Perspectives and Empirical Considerations	Reinforcement, Politicization, Appeasement, or Inertia: Overlap in UN Treaty Bodies' Monitoring of Foreigners' Rights Violations	Presenter
March 2022	Annual IR Graduate Students Conference, Ben Gurion University	Session B	Discussant
March 2022		Human Rights Reporting and Human Rights Social Norms	Presenter
December 2021	The Social and Political Responsibility of the IR Community in Israel	Case Study 2- Political Settlement and the Future of Israeli-Palestinian Relations	Presenter
October 2021	Annual meeting of the American Political Science Association, Seattle, Washington	Avoiding Backlash and Backsliding: Human Rights Reporting Strategies and Abuse	Presenter
June 2021	International Studies Association's Joint Conference on Human Rights, online	'The EU, China, trade dependence and human rights'	Presenter
June 2021	International Studies Association's Joint Conference on Human Rights, online	'The EU as a Human Rights Actor'	Chair and Discussant
May 2021	European Consortium of Political Research Joint Session Workshops, online	'No Alternative to Violence: How the Design of the Convention Against Torture and the Treaty Body Undermines the Treaty'	Presenter

		Objective and Legitimacy'	
April 2021		‘The dark side of the spotlight effect: Retaliation Emulation and the diffusion of torture’	Presenter
September 2020		‘For better or worse: Shaming, faming, and human rights abuse’	Presenter
November 2019		diffuse reciprocal violations of foreign nationals’ rights among CAT countries’	Presenter
September 2019			Presenter
June 2019	Annual meeting of the Israeli International Studies Association, Tel Aviv University	‘The EU, China, and the changing political and economic global order’	Discussant
May 2019	‘Justice and Labor in the Global Era’ workshop, Beit Dani, Zichron Ya’akov	International labour law as a global public good	Discussant
April 2019	Simone Veil: A Multifaceted Legacy’, Ben Gurion University in the Negev	‘What do the European Parliament and ‘The Simpsons’ have in common?’	Presenter
March 2019	60 th annual convention of the International Studies Association, Toronto	‘Money Talks: Member Countries’ Interests and IGO’s Human Rights Shaming’	Presenter
March 2019	60 th annual convention of the International Studies Association, Toronto	‘The Present and the Future of European Integration and Cooperation’	Discussant
December 2018	14 th international graduate conference,	‘Europe after the crises?’	Co-convener and co-

	the Hebrew University		discussant
March 2018	25 th international conference of Europeanists, Chicago	The external consequences of internal policies: how human rights protection shapes the EU's normative influence'	Presnter
December 2017	Annual workshop of the British International Studies Association's working group on European Security, Aston University, Birmingham	The external consequences of internal policies: how human rights protection shapes the EU's normative influence'	Presenter
June 2017	The annual conference of the Israeli International Studies Association, the Hebrew University, Jerusalem	'Human rights in international relations'	Convener
June 2017	The annual conference of the Israeli International Studies Association, the Hebrew University, Jerusalem	'Israel in a changing international environment'	Discussant
May 2017	EUSA Fifteenth Biennial Conference, Miami Marriott Biscayne bay, Miami	'Practice what you preach: How human rights policies in EU members states affect the legitimacy of the EU as a foreign policy actor'	Presenter
May 2017	EUSA Fifteenth Biennial Conference, Miami Marriott Biscayne bay, Miami	'The EU's Common Foreign and Security Policy'	Presenter

November 2016	'Global Justice and Labour Rights' The Open University of Israel, Ra'anana	'Racing to the bottom or climbing to the top: Economic integration and labour rights'	Presenter
June 2016	The annual meeting of the Standing Group on the European Union of the European Consortium of Political Research, Trento University, Trento	'Analyzing the Effect of the European Neighborhood Policy: The Case of Human Rights'	Presenter
October 2015	The annual meeting of the Israeli Association for the Study of European Integration, the Hebrew University, Jerusalem	'Rational, Sociological or Both? Identifying the Mechanisms of ENP Influence'	Presenter
September 2015	'Theorizing the European Neighborhood Policy', the College of Europe, Bruges	'Rational, Sociological or Both? Identifying the Mechanisms of ENP Influence'	Presenter
March 2015	The fourteenth Biennial meeting of the European Union Studies Association, the Hyatt Regency, Boston	'Europeanization of Labour Standards in the EU and the Developing World: Findings and an Agenda for further Research'	Presenter
March 2015	The fourteenth Biennial meeting of the European Union Studies Association, the Hyatt Regency, Boston	'Competition, Emulation Learning: Beta and Delta Convergence of Labour Rights in Europe'	Presenter
September	The Annual Meeting of	'An Effective Norm Diffuser: The	Presenter

2013	the University Association for Contemporary European Studies, Leeds University, Leeds	EU and Labor Rights in EU-acceding Central and Eastern European Countries'	
June 2013	The Annual Meeting of the European Political Science Association, Parlament de Catalunya, Barcelona	'Success and Failure in Norm Entrepreneurship: The ILO, the EU, and Labor Rights in Europe'	Presenter
May 2013	The annual meeting of the Israeli Association for the Study of European Integration, Tel Aviv University, Tel Aviv	'Models of European Identity: Turkey, Poland, and Implication for Israel'	Presenter
January 2013	The Annual EastBordNet Conference, Humboldt University, Berlin	'Time, space and Norm Diffusion: Core Labor Standards in the Countries of Central and Eastern Europe'	Presenter
October 2012	'External Governance in Theory and in Practice'; a workshop organized by the Europe Forum in collaboration with the Free University of Berlin, the Hebrew University, Jerusalem	'External Governance and Norm Diffusion: The EU the ILO and Labor Rights Promotion in EU-acceding CEEC'	Presenter
June 2010	'Turkey and the EU: Challenges and Opportunities'; a conference organized	'Modes of Membership and the EU's Accession Criteria: the cases of Turkey and Poland'	Presenter

	by the University Association for Contemporary European Studies, Yaditepe University, Istanbul		
March 2010	The Emile Noel Workshop, New York University School of Law, New York City	‘Modes of Membership and the EU’s Accession Criteria: the cases of Turkey, Poland, and Romania’	Presenter
	The annual conference of the Israeli Association for International Studies, Tel Aviv University, Tel Aviv	‘Towards a Phronesis of EU Enlargement’	Presenter
May 2008	‘The Road the EU travelled along’, University of Sienna, Sienna	‘Members of the European Parliament’s perceptions of Inclusion and Diversity in the EU 1979-2004’	Presenter

B. Organization of Conferences or Sessions

Date	Name of Conference, Place of Conference	Subject of Conference	Role
June 2024	Annual meeting of the International Studies Association, Open University of Israel	World orders in shift and change: rhetoric, theory, reality	Convener
May 2022	Annual meeting of the Israeli International Studies Association, Haifa University	The International Community and Human Rights Promotion	Chair and discussant
May 2022	Annual meeting of the	Human Rights in International	Chair and

	Israeli International Studies Association, Haifa University	Power Struggle	discussant
June 2021	Annual Meeting of the Israeli Association of International Studies	‘Teaching and researching human rights in Israel’	Panel Convener
June 2021	Annual Conference of Young Researchers in European Studies in Israel, the Open University of Israel, Ra'anana	‘International Organizations in European Studies’	Co-organizer
November 2020	25 Years to the Barcelona Process, The Open University of Israel, Ra'anana (online)	Marking 25 years of EU regional diplomacy in the Mediterranean	Co-organizer
June 2018	The annual conference of the Israeli Association for International Studies, the Open University of Israel, Ra'anana	International relations between globalization and nationalism	Academic coordinator
June 2017	The annual conference of the Israeli Association for International Studies, the Hebrew University, Jerusalem	‘Human rights in the international arena’	Convener
December 2015	The 11 th Annual Graduate Conference, the Hebrew University, Jerusalem	‘European Union Politics: Theoretical, Empirical, and Methodological Advances’	Convener

December 2014	The 10 th Annual Graduate Conference, the Hebrew University, Jerusalem	European Integration – Between Convergence and Differentiation, Consolidation and Diffusion'	Convener
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Research Grants

Grants Awarded

Year	Role in Research	Co-Researchers	Topic	Funded by, Amount
2023-2026	PI	Dr. Hila Zahavi	‘Inter Institutional Online Module in EU Global Power (EUGP)’	European Union Erasmus+ Jean Monnet program, 101,559 NIS
2022-2026	PI	N/A	‘Between principles and strategy: Explaining the UN's Treaty Bodies' shaming and faming’	Israel Science Foundation, 426,000 NIS
2015-2017	PI	N/A	‘Information is Power: A tripartite model of the influence of human rights monitoring’	The Open University of Israel Research Authority, 17,511 NIS
2012-2014	PI	N/A	‘Agents of Norm Diffusion: The ILO, the EU and labor rights in Europe’ (absorption grant)	The Open University of Israel Research Authority, 20,000
2006	PI	N/A	‘Identity, Inclusion and Diversity: The European	Department of Cultural Cooperation, French

			Parliaments' Debates on Turkey's EU Accession 1978-2004'	Embassy in Israel, 4000 NIS
2006-2010	PI	N/A	'Identity, Inclusion and Diversity: The European Parliaments' Debates on Turkey's Accession 1978-2004'	Bar Ilan University's President's Fellowship of Excellence for Outstanding PhD Students, 160,000 NIS

Scholarships, Awards and Prizes

2010 The Jean Monnet Center for International and Regional Economic Law and Justice, school of Law, New York University, 'Drawing the Line: The EU's accession criteria in the cases of Turkey, Poland and Romania', Emile noel fellowship, 20,000 USD

Teaching

A. Teaching Responsibility for Open University Courses

Year	Name of Course	Degree	Role
Since 2023	Issues in Diplomacy	BA	Academic supervisor
Since 2021	'International political economy'	BA	Academic supervisor
Since 2018	'Of Tigers and Dragons: International Relations in East Asia'	BA	Academic supervisor
Since 2016	'Democracy and international organizations'	MA	Instructor, coordinator and academic supervisor
Since	'The European Union:	BA	Academic supervisor

2015	History, institutions and Policies'		
Since 2015	'Human rights in the international arena'	BA	Academic supervisor
Since 2015	'The United States in the International Arena since 1945'	BA	Academic supervisor
Since 2014	'Human Trafficking'	BA	Academic supervisor
Since 2014	'Africa between dependence and independence'	BA	Academic supervisor
Since 2014	'Introduction to International Relations'	BA	Academic supervisor
Since 2014	'Word at war 1918-1939'	BA	Academic supervisor
Since 2014	'Democracy and Democratization in the Arab World'	BA	Academic supervisor
Since 2014	'Africa between Democracy and Dictatorship'	BA	Academic supervisor
2014-2019	'Government and politics in Africa'	BA	Academic supervisor
Since 2014	'Africa in international relations'	BA	Academic supervisor
Since 2014	'War and strategy'	BA	Academic supervisor
2014-2018	'European colonialism'	BA	Academic supervisor

B. Other Teaching Experience

Year	Name of Course	Degree	Academic Institution

2011	Introduction to international relations (lecturer)	BA	Bar Ilan University
2011	Introduction to government and politics (lecturer)	BA	Bar Ilan University
2004-2009	Introduction to government and politics (instructor)	BA	Bar Ilan University
2004-2009	Introduction to international relations (instructor)	BA	Bar Ilan University

C. Supervision of Graduate Students

Student Name	Title of Thesis	Degree	Institution/Department	Date of Completion
Tal Gur-Arye	The Importance of the Demos in the European Democratic Deficit Debate: Models for European Democracy	MA	The Open University of Israel/ Department of Sociology Political Science and Communiation	September 2022
Yoram Gat	Subjectivity in the coding of the “Freedom in the World” index: text analysis of the index report	MA	The Open University of Israel/ Department of Sociology Political Science and Communiation	April 2023 With highest distinction
Hananel Livneh	COVID-19 vaccines as a source of soft power	MA	The Open University of Israel/ Department of Sociology	In Progress

			Political Science and Communication	
With Professor Guy Ben- Porat, Inbal Eshed'	Feminine Thinking and Language in the International Response to Genocide	PhD	Department of Politics and Government/ Ben Gurion University of the Negev	In Progress
With Professor Gal Arieli, Yoram Gat	Robust Measurement of Democracy	PhD	Department of Politics and Government/ Ben Gurion University of the Negev	In Progress
Inbal Parag	Women's Right to Security During Conflict: Universal Right or Political?	MA	The Open University of Israel/ Department of Sociology Political Science and Communication	In Progress
Tom Zamir	Has democratic erosion stopped? - the case of Poland	MA	The Open University of Israel/ Department of Sociology Political Science and Communication	In Progress

PUBLICATIONS

Note: Asterisk mark publications since last appointment

Citations: Google scholar (excluding self quotes)

Thesis and Dissertation

Thesis: 'Inter-communal collision: the Wadi-Salib riots', approved March 2005, 120 pages, in Hebrew, Bar Ilan University, advisor: Baruch Zisser

Dissertation: 'The identity of the EU and the debates on Turkey's accession', approved January 2009, 269 pages, in Hebrew, Bar Ilan University, advisors: Baruch Zisser and Ilan Greilshammer.

Open University Books

2015. *The European Union: History Institutions and Policies*. Ra'anana: Open University of Israel, book written for the course The European Union: History Institutions and Policies, in Hebrew 628 pages, sole author.

Other Scientific Publications

Articles in Refereed Journals

A. Published

1. * Kahn-Nisser, S. 'Deflecting Criticism: Backsliding States and Women's Economic Rights Reform'. Received second R&R decision (minor revisions) in European Journal of Politics and Gender
SJR IF 0.958 Q1 Political Science
2. * Kahn-Nisser, S. (2025). Responding to Needs: Increased Attention to the Rights of Non-Citizens in Times of Migration Spikes. *Political Studies Review*, 23(4), 1044-1059. <https://doi.org/10.1177/14789299251350859>
SJR Q1 Political science and international relations
3. *Kahn-Nisser, S. (2025). Pleasing the Buyer: Human Rights Experts from Exporting Countries and Praise of Importing Countries. *International Interactions*, 1-29

<https://doi.org/10.1080/03050629.2025.2451650>

SJR Q1 Political science and international relations

4. *Kahn-Nisser, S. (2025). Experts' active representation in the UN treaty bodies: the role of members' tenure. *Policy Studies*, 1–23.

<https://doi.org/10.1080/01442872.2025.2460426>

SJR Q1 Political science and international relations

5. *Kahn-Nisser, S. (2025). 'Caught in the crossfire: Children's rights under backsliding and backlash', *Journal of Human Rights*, 24(1), 77-94
<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/14754835.2024.2443974>

SJR Q1 Political science and international relations

6. *Comstock, A. L. and Kahn-Nisser, S. (2025). 'Introduction to Symposium: Human Rights and Democratic Backsliding', *Journal of Human Rights* 24(1), 74-76

<https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/14754835.2024.2446849>

SJR Q1 Political science and international relations

7. *Kahn-Nisser, S. (2024). 'Friendly advice: socializing shaming in the committee against torture', *Contemporary Politics*
<https://doi.org/10.1080/13569775.2024.2307087>

SJR Q1 Political science and international relations

8. *Reiners, N. and Kahn-Nisser, S. (2024). 'A Voice or an Echo? Women in the UN Human Rights Expert Bodies', *Global Governance*, 30(3-4), 383-408

SJR Q2 Political science and international relations

9. *Kahn-Nisser, S. (2023). Publication of foreigners' human rights abuses and retaliation between Convention Against Torture (CAT) states, *International Journal*, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1177/00207020231178390>

JCR IF 3.1 Q1 Political science and international relations

10. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2022). 'Vicious Cycle: Violations of Foreign Nationals' Rights among CAT Countries', *International Studies Quarterly*,
<https://doi.org/10.1093/isq/sqac046>

JCR IF 2.799, Q1 Political science and international relations

11. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2022). Reciprocating to the bottom: Is there negative diffuse reciprocity in social economic human rights. *International Political Science Review*, <https://doi.org/10.1177/01925121211073325>

JCR IF 2.232, Q1 Political science and international relations

12. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2021). Contextualizing Donors' Interests: The United Nations' human rights shaming of the United States' trade partners. *Global Policy*, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1111/1758-5899.13019>
JCR IF 2.084, Q1 Political science and international relations
13. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2020). For better or worse: Costs, norms, survival and the effect of shaming and praising on physical and political human rights. *Journal of peace research*, 58(3), 479-493
JCR IF 2.419 Q1 Political science and international relations
14. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2019). When the targets are members and donors: Analyzing inter-governmental organizations' human rights shaming. *The Review of International Organizations*, 14(3), 431-451
JCR IF 2.686 Q1 Political science and international relations, 8 quotes
15. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2019). The EU China and the effect of trade dependence on human rights. *Cambridge Review of International Affairs*, DOI: 10.1080/09557571.2019.1641067
JCR IF 1.366 Q1 Political science and international relations
16. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2018). Linkage leverage democratization and liberalization: Is promoting democracy the same as promoting human rights. *Policy studies*, 39(1), 90-107
JCR IF 2.043 Q1 Political science and international relations.
17. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2018). Constructive criticism: Shaming, incentives, and human rights reforms. *Politics & Policy*, 46(1), 58-83
SJR IF 1.192
Among most downloaded article in the journal for 2018 (certificate available)
18. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2016). The Ripple Effect: Peer ILO Treaty Ratification, Regional Socialization, and Labour Standards. *Global Governance*, 22(4), 513-532
5 Year JCR IF 1.01, Q1 Political science and international relations
19. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2015). The hard impact of soft coordination: Emulation, learning and the convergence of collective labour standards in the EU. *Journal of European Public Policy*, 22(10), 1512-1530

5 Year JCR IF 2.079, Q1 Political science and international relations (SJR),

20. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2015). Channels of influence: The EU and Delta Convergence of Core labour Standards in the Eastern Neighbourhood. *European Journal of Development Research*, 29(1), 127-143

5 Year JCR IF 0.941, Q1 Political science and international relations (SJR),

21. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2015). A Matter of Degree: Europeanization, ILO Treaty Ratification and Labour Standards in Europe. *Journal of Contemporary European Studies*, 25(3), 356-375

SJR IF 0.33, Q2 Political science and international relations (SJR)

22. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2014). External Governance, Treaty Ratification and Monitoring: The ILO, the EU, and Labor Rights in EU-acceding Central and Eastern European Countries. *European Journal of Industrial Relations*, 20(4), 383-398

5 Year JCR IF 1.019, Q1 Strategy and management (SJR)

23. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2013). Conditionality, Communication, Compliance: The Effect of Monitoring on Collective Labor Rights in Europe. *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 51 (6), 1040-1056.

5 Year JCR IF 1.814, Q1 Political science and international relations (SJR),

24. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2012). Towards a Unity of Ethics and Practice: Interpreting Inclusion and Diversity. *International Studies Review*, 13 (3), 387-410

5 Year JCR IF 1.177, Q1 Political science and international relations (SJR),

25. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2010). Nationalism, Identity and Rebellion: An Interpretation of the Wadi Salib Riots. *Nationalism and Ethnic Politics*, 16 (4), 375-396

SJR IF 0.3, Q2 Political science and international relations

26. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2009). Between Ethnic Nationalism, Civic Nationalism and Cosmopolitanism: Discourses on the Identity of the EU and the debates on Turkey's Accession, *Alternatives* vol. 8(2),1-28

SJR IF 0.58, Q1 Political science and international relations

Under Review

Work in progress

1. Kahn-Nisser, S. 'The auditor's dilemma: Responses to procedural noncooperation under international treaties.'
2. Kahn-Nisser, S. 'Peer Pressure, Global Norms, and Monitoring: Explaining the Diffusion of Social-Economic Rights Constitutionalization.'
3. Kahn-Nisser, S. 'The Paradox of Praise: How Positive Feedback Delays State Party Reporting to the UN Committee Against Torture'.
4. Kahn-Nisser, S. 'Rituals of outrage and shame: Emotional Performance in International Human Rights Institutions'.

Chapters in Books

A. Published

1. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2017). The Common Foreign and Security Policy and the EU as a Global Actor. In L. Buonanno, & N. Zahariadis (Eds.), *Routledge Handbook on European Public Policy* (pp. 193-203). New York: Routledge.
2. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2016). Rational Institutionalism, Constructivism or Both? A Spatial Econometric Approach to Measuring the Impact of Incentives and Socialization in the European Neighborhood Policy. In S. Gstöhl, & S. Schunz (Eds.) *Theorizing the European Neighborhood Policy* (pp 42-61). New York: Routledge.
3. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2009). MEP's perceptions of Inclusion and Diversity in the EU 1979-2004. In D. Prada & D. Pasquinucci (Eds.) *The Road the EU Traveled Along* (pp. 215-225). London: Peter Lang.

Other Scientific Publications

Invited Book Reviews

1. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2013). Aydin- Düzgit, Senem (2012). Constructions of European Identity: Debates and Discourses on Turkey and the EU. Hampshire: Palgrave Macmillan. *Journal of Common Market Studies*, 51(6), 1210.

2. Kahn-Nisser, S., & Palombella, G. (2011). Integration and Function: Taming Governance in the EU. *Transnational Legal Theory*, 1(4), 587-595

Research Papers

1. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2021). Introduction to a special issue: 25 years to the Barcelona Process. *Mediterranean Agenda*, 6, 1
2. Kahn-Nisser, S. (2010). Drawing the Line: The EU's Political Accession Criteria and the Construction of Membership. *Emile Noel Working Paper* available at: <http://centers.law.nyu.edu/jeanmonnet/papers/papers10.html>