

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

University of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA

Ph.D. Department of Near Eastern Languages and Cultures, *In Progress*

University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA

B.A. (GPA: 3.924) *High Distinction in General Scholarship* in Political Science, 2013

Employment

2016 | Graduate Intern | The Arabic School, Middlebury College, Oakland, CA

- Assist teachers in correcting assignments, oral presentations and individual and group projects.
- Help in the preparation and development of teaching materials.
- Organize and supervise co-curricular activities organized by the school.

Distinctions

Dean's Honor List, University of California, Berkeley | Spring 2013, Fall 2011 and Fall 2010

Scholarships and Awards

Mellon Award, Department of Near Eastern Languages and Cultures, University of California, Los Angeles, 2014-15

Regents' and Chancellor's Scholarship (\$67,000), University of California, Berkeley, 2010-2012

Memberships

Phi Beta Kappa

Languages

- **English:** Native Proficiency
- **Arabic:** Advanced Proficiency in Speaking, Reading and Writing
- **Persian:** Bilingual Proficiency in Speaking; Intermediate Proficiency in Reading and Writing
- **French:** Advanced Proficiency in Speaking, Reading and Writing
- **German:** Advanced Proficiency in Speaking Reading and Writing
- **Yiddish:** Intermediate Proficiency in Speaking; Advanced Proficiency in Reading and Writing