

BAR-ILAN UNIVERSITY FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCE
SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK
CURRICULUM VITAE
Rachel Dekel, Ph.D.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Address:	Remez 8, Givatayim, Israel 5324210
Tel:	+972-3-571-7296
E-mail:	Rachel.Dekel@biu.ac.il
Personal Website	https://www.racheldekel.com/
I.D:	059756858
Date of Birth:	12/07/65, Israel
Marital Status:	Married + 3

EDUCATION

Year	Degree	Institution
1990	B.A. Social Work	Hebrew University (Graduated Cum Laude)
1993	M.A. Social Work	Hebrew University (Graduated Cum Laude)
2000	Ph.D. Social Work	Tel-Aviv University
PH.D. THESIS:	Combat functioning and long-term adjustment of veterans: The role of attachment style, hardiness and combat exposure	
SUPERVISOR:	Prof. Zahava Solomon, School of Social Work, Tel-Aviv University, Tel-Aviv	

ACADEMIC AFFILIATIONS/APPOINTMENTS

Year	Appointment
1996-1998	Instructor, School of Social Work, Tel-Aviv University
1999	Instructor with Ph.D., School of Social Work, Bar-Ilan University
2000-2004	Lecturer, School of Social Work, Bar-Ilan University
2004-2008	Senior Lecturer, School of Social Work, Bar-Ilan University
2007-2008	Visiting Scholar, School of Social Work, Boston University, Boston
2008-2013	Associate Professor, School of Social Work, Bar-Ilan University
2010-2012	Deputy Director and Chair of Bachelor's Degree Program, School of Social Work, Br Ilan University
2012-2016	Director, School of Social Work, Bar-Ilan University
2013	Full Professor, School of Social Work, Bar-Ilan University
2016-2017	Visiting Scholar, Psychology Department, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada
2018-present	Academic head, International School, Bar-Ilan university

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

PROFESSIONAL FUNCTIONS

Editorial

Editorial Board, Anxiety, Stress & Coping (2004-present)

Editorial Board, Journal of Military, Veteran and Family Health (2017-present)

Guest Editor, Society and Welfare, Special issue: The impact of ongoing terror on the Israeli society (Hebrew).

Reviewer of the following peer review journals

Addictive Behaviors; American Journal Orthopsychiatry; British Journal of Health Psychology; British Journal of Social Work; Clinical Social Work; European Journal of Psychological assessment; Family Relations; Frontiers in Psychology; Journal of Family Psychology; Journal of Traumatic Stress; Journal of Social Psychology; Stress, Anxiety, & Coping; Psychology and Psychotherapy; Theory, Research and Practice; Social Science & Medicine; Journal of Nervous and Mental Disease; Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy; Psychology and Health; Journal of Psychiatric Research; Society & Welfare (Hebrew); Social Security (Hebrew)

Reviewer of the following scientific meetings:

The International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ISTSS)

The International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ISTSS, Program Deputy, 2009)

International Society for Traumatic Stress (Awards Committee, 2014)

European Society for Traumatic Stress Studies (ESTSS)

Grant review panels:

Israel Science Foundation (ISF)

U.S.-Israel Binational Science Foundation (BSF)

Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council, Canada

Health and Medical Research Fund – The Government of Hong Kong

Ministry of Science and Technology

Israel Cancer Association

Haruv Institute

Scientific conferences

- Organizer: Conservation of Resources Theory: Stress and Trauma. Guest Lecturer: Prof. Steven Hobfoll, University of Kent, in collaboration with the Bar-Ilan University Department of Psychology (2004).
- Program Deputy: The International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies, Atlanta, U.S.A. (2009).
- Scientific Committee: From Helplessness to Active Coping, Tel-Hai College (2012).
- Organizer of Research Workshop: ISF International Conference on Trauma and the Family: A Life Span Perspective (2014).
- Scientific Committee: Dyadic Paradigm in Research: Innovations in Theory and Methodology. ISF-funded conference, Bar-Ilan University, Israel (2019).

Additional activities

- Evaluator, The Max Stern Yezreel Valley College, nominated by The Council for Higher Education, Israel.

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

Volunteer activities

- Led group of professional mentoring for young academic faculty members (2008-2012).
- Served on Information Committee, Social Work Council, Ministry of Social Affairs and Social Services. The committee is authorized to rule on issues related to the provision of information by social workers (2017-2019).
- On Board of Directors of the Rackman Center, which works towards the advancement of the status of women, Bar-Ilan University (2016-present).
- Professional consultant in the area of trauma and families, Community Division, NATAL (2017-present).

Professional work experience

- Social Worker, Domestic Violence Prevention Center, Holon, Israel (1993-1995).
- Social Worker, Trauma Center, Mental Health Center, Ramat Gan, Israel (2000-2002).
- Research Director, Trauma Unit, Meir Medical Center, Kfar-Saba, Israel (2002-2003).

GRANTS

Grants Funded

Year	Funding Source	Topic	Amount	PI/Co-Investigators
2001	Internal grant, Bar-Ilan University	Psychological aftermath of being a prisoner of war: A longitudinal study of the Yom-Kippur War	19,000 NIS	PI
2003	Rehabilitation Wing, Israel Ministry of Defense	Evaluation of mental disability among veterans with PTSD	21,000 NIS	Co-PI: Prof. Solomon and Prof Bleich
2003	Israel Science Foundation	Psychological aftermath of being a prisoner of war: A longitudinal study of the Yom-Kippur War	110,000 NIS	Co-PI with Prof. Solomon, Tel-Aviv University
2004	Center for Gender Research, Bar-Ilan University	Motherhood in terror	2,250 NIS	PI
2004	Meir General Hospital	Follow-up of terrorist victims	48,000 NIS	PI
2006	Meir General Hospital	Follow-up of citizens who were exposed to second Lebanon War	48,000 NIS	PI
2010	The Israeli Ministry of Health	The consequences of chronic exposure to security threats on glycemic control in patients with diabetes mellitus	30,000 NIS	Co-PI with Prof. Soskolne, Bar-Ilan University
2010	The Israel Ministry of Immigrant Absorption	A follow-up research on new-immigrant battered women staying in shelters	50,000 NIS	Co-PI with Dr. Ben-Porat & Prof. Itzhaky, Bar-Ilan University
2010	University of Minnesota	The role of parents in Israeli families exposed to political violence	110,000 NIS	Co-PI with Prof. Gewirtz

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

Year	Funding Source	Topic	Amount	PI/Co-Investigators
2010	Rector's Internal Grant	Couples' adaptation following the Second Lebanon War	10,000 NIS	PI
2011	Israel Science Foundation	Couples' adaptation following the Second Lebanon War	300,000 NIS	PI
2011	The Israeli Ministry of Social Affairs	A longitudinal study on battered women in shelters	100,000 NIS	Co-PI with Dr. Ben-Porat & Prof. Itzhaky, Bar-Ilan University
2011	The Israeli Ministry of Defense, The Rehabilitation Wing	Evaluating the unique needs of women with disabilities	30,000 NIS	PI
2012	The Israeli Ministry of Defense, The Rehabilitation Wing	Implementation of the evaluation report on the unique needs of IDF disabled women	23,000 NIS	PI
2012	I-CORE Israeli Centers of Research Excellence	Mass Trauma	35,000,000 NIS	Research team consists of 8 members from four universities
2013	Israel Science Foundation	Research workshop grant: Trauma and the family: A life span perspective	60,000 NIS	PI
2015	WIZO	The experience of men who turn for assistance to Violence Prevention Centers in Israel	80,000 NIS	Dr. Ben-Porat
2015	The Israeli Ministry of Welfare and Ashalim	Assessing the needs of the foster care community	86,000 NIS	Prof. Benbenishty, and Prof. Schiff
2016	The Israeli Ministry of Defense: the families wing	The re-instatement of government benefits to widows of military veterans: Characterizations and implications	70,000 NIS	Prof. Nuttman-Shwartz
2016	The Israeli Ministry of Welfare	The role of complex PTSD and it's contribution to family violence	104,000NIS	Dr. Ben-Porat
2016	European Association of School of Social Work (EASSW)	Challenges for the social work profession at a time of a global migration crisis: Is a new social work curriculum needed?	4000 €	With Prof. Nuttman-Shwartz, Sapir college and partners from 4 Schools of Social Work in Europe.

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

Year	Funding Source	Topic	Amount	PI/Co-Investigators
2017	Bar-Ilan University Rector's grant for interdisciplinary research groups	Post-traumatic narratives: Psychological, biological and socio-cultural aspects	13,800\$	Dr. Horesh, Prof. Tuval-Mashiach, .Dr Levi-Gigi, .Dr Golumbic, Dr. Goldfarb & Prof. Alberstein
2018	The European Union ITN- HORIZON 20/20	ENTWINE: Caregiving in Europe	4,000,00 €	Supervisor
2018	Milgrom Family Support Program	Helping veterans recovering from PTSD: Using multi-methods to examine the efficacy of Cognitive-Behavioral Conjoint Therapy	40,000\$	PI-,Dr. Schiff Co-PI Prof. Horesh, & .Dr Gordon
2019	Ministry of Science	Cyber dating violence among students: Assessment and prediction	60,000\$	PI with Prof. Nuttman-Shwartz
2019	Binational Science Foundation (BSF)	Sharing memories and emotions: A binational discourse analysis of Israeli and American military couples	150,000\$	With Dr. Horesh & Dr. Brown
2019	Private donor	Long-term effects of exposure to inter-parental violence within a closed community: A qualitative study	50,000\$	With Dr. Vilchinsky
2020 - 2024	ISF	United Front: A multimethod psychophysiological RCT of a couples' intervention for PTSD	250,000\$	Danny Horesh

Grants Submitted

Year	Funding Source	Topic	Amount	PI/Co-Investigators
2020	EU	Using AI to integrate AR/VR and scent to train first responders		8 countries

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

SUPERVISION OF GRADUATE STUDENTS

Masters Students

Student's Name		Title of Thesis	Graduated
1.	Dorit Horovitz	Mental distress, self-esteem, locus of control and social support among adults who grew up in families with a head injured father	2003
2.	Nava Dialosque-Rahamim	Drug addicted husbands and their spouses: Attachment styles, autonomy, conflict resolution styles and sexual satisfaction	2003
3.	Tamar Beck	Relationship between gender, roles within the family and locus of control to mental health – a comparison between settlers of the West Bank and Gaza and residents of inner Israel	2004
4.	Limor Magen	Death of a sibling during adolescence: Intensity of grief reaction, capacity for intimacy, and the remaining sibling's perception of the meaning of life in adulthood	2004
5.	Yula Dinshtein-Menahem	Secondary traumatization among adult offspring of PTSD casualties: Distress, intimacy, world assumptions and psychological separation	2005
6.	Orna Ziv-Castel	Introspection and welfare among trauma therapists	2005
7.	Zevi Michal	The relation between exposure of adolescents to violence in their family and their adjustment to boarding school	2005
8.	Hanan Eytan (With Hadas Goldblatt)	Gender and the way violent men experience women's gaze	2005
9.	Osnat Soker	Acute Stress Disorder among motor vehicle accident victims: The contribution of acute stress reaction, injury's features and narcissistic personality	2006
10.	Galit Holinger	The influence of exposure to the Holocaust on current situation of distress caused by events of terrorism	2006
11.	Hedy Ben-Shahar	Fatherhood among males who suffer from PTSD: The contribution of attachment styles	2006
12.	Michal Hadad	The effectiveness of safe touch as a trauma therapy	2006
13.	Shira Ron	Children's acute reactions following traumatic event: The contribution of parents' attachment and distress	2006
14.	Yael Shoal	The efficacy of debriefing following war: The contribution of repressive coping style	2007
15.	Schindler Mickey (with Dr. Ruth Kannai, Faculty of Law)	Legal defence of the unimpaired abused elderly	2008
16.	Ohad Green	Coping of adolescents following the second Lebanon war	2009
17.	Na'ama Inbar	Maternal status and mental distress as predictors of when women leave domestic violence shelters and where they go from there	2011

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

Student's Name	Title of Thesis	Graduated
18. Carmit Palti-Katzir	The contribution of characteristics of violence, previous use of community services, and experience in the shelter as predictors of women's destinations after leaving the battered women's shelter	2011
19. Inbal Ben-Ami	Intergenerational transmission of exposure to domestic violence and its role in predicting mastery and well-being among women residing in domestic violence shelters	2011
20. Ronit Horowitz	Therapist's reaction to patients suicidal behavior	2011
21. Merav Levron	Childhood sexual abuse – characteristics and symptoms: A comparative study of patients and therapist's report	2011
22. Tehila Refaeli (with Dr. Drorit Levy)	The contribution of personal and environmental resources to depression among women in shelters for battered women: A comparison between immigrants from former CIS and Israeli veterans	2011
23. Michal Bar Lev	The relationship between violence characteristics, sense of control and parenting among battered women	2012
24. Yoav Levinstein	Ambiguous Loss among partners of veterans suffering of Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder	2012
25. Ola Ktura (with Dr. Drorit Levy)	Violence in intimacy relations within the Israeli society: A comparison between Arab and Jewish women in self control, depression and life danger	2013
26. Ifat Blich (with Dr. Anat Ben-Porat)	Women victims of domestic violence - The contribution of staying in shelter and psychological distress to a parenting style change	2013
27. Yulia Dechkovsky (with Dr. Anat Ben-Porat)	Battered women in shelters: Contribution of personal and environmental resources to the change in mental distress	2013
28. Ohad Gilbar	The perception of masculinity among veterans who developed Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder following participation in combat	2014
29. Efrat Meshulam	The relationship between length of stay in shelters, post-shelter destination site, and type of violence, emotional state, expectations and experiences from the shelter	2014
30. Omer Shaked	Battered women in shelters: Childhood trauma, PTSD in adulthood, and departure destination	2014
31. Gad Cohen	Delayed treatment seeking among Yom-Kippur war veterans, thirty years after the war: Patterns of posttraumatic distress, characteristics of combat exposure and usage of psychoactive substances	2015
32. Avichai Young	Effects of combat soldiers' aggressive behavior during military service	2015
33. Maayan Frankel	Exposure to ongoing terrorism: Type of community and belonging to the community as moderators of post-traumatic stress and emotional regulation	2015
34. Michal Schraibman Barzesky	The contribution of caregiver strain, parenting style and social support to psychological distress of mothers of children with cancer	2015

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

Student's Name	Title of Thesis	Graduated
35. Chavi Hess	The contribution of empathy and attachment to the adaptation of spouses of veteran who suffer from PTSD	2016
36. Irit Ben-Nissim	Self-disclosure and dissociation among trauma survivors: The contribution of attachment and therapy intervention	2016
37. Hani Rozenblum Gitlis	Personal and professional consequences on therapists treating offenders in the youth probation service	2016
38. Shizaf Broshi	Personal and professional consequences on therapists treating trauma victims compared to therapists treating offenders	2018
39. Netta Levavi	Parents of emerging adults with post-traumatic stress disorder: Implications on parents' well-being and parent-child relationship	2018
40. Yael Yaoz	The experience of being a sibling of a brother with PTSD	2019
41. Nathan Israel	The role of religion in facing traumatic event among Ultra-Orthodox men	2019
42. Talia Aqua	Parenting styles of Eritrean Asylum Seeker mothers in Israel	In progress
43. Sari Boaron	The couple hood experience of women asylum seekers from Eritrea living in Israel	In progress
44. Adva Tuval	"It Hurts When You Touch": The experience of men who have been sexually abused by women	2020
45. Michal Yacobi	The contribution of the perception of the significance of the military role, the cognitive flexibility and social support for adaptation to military service in Israel among soldiers in back-office positions	2020
46. Noa Adlestein	The roles of self-disclosure in recovery from Post - Traumatic Stress Symptoms	2020
47. Naama Shalom	The meaning of religious faith for Ultra-Orthodox Jews exposed to inter-personal violence in childhood	In progress
48. Efrat Ferencz	Disclosure and concealment: Experience of Orthodox Population adults who were exposed to Inter-personal violence in their childhood	In progress

Ph.D. Students:

Student's Name	Title of Thesis	Graduated
1. Rebecca Ranz (with Prof. Haya Itzhaky)	Predictors of dropout attributes among young adults in therapeutic communities for drug abusers: Comparing Israeli-born and CIS-born users	2009
2. Ester Fass (with Prof. Haya Itzhaky)	Resource loss, personal values and distress among Israeli and new immigrant terror victims	2010
3. Galit Harel (with Prof. Riki Finzi-Dottan)	Parental behaviors and the potential for child abuse, the role of abuse in childhood attachment in adulthood the ability to regulate emotions and parental reflection	2010
4. Keren Malchi	Mothers and fathers: The contribution of parent, child, and environment characteristics to parenting style	2010

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

5.	Michal Lavy	Psychoform and somatoform dissociation following mild motor vehicle accidents as predictors of post-traumatic consequences	2010
6.	Ayelet Shimhi-Regev (with Prof. Riki Finzi-Dottan)	From generation to generation: The intergenerational of parenting as associated with perception of parental rearing, differentiation of self, marital quality and child temperament	2011
7.	Shira Pagorek Eshel	Fatherhood in the context of security threat	2013
8.	Shlomit Fahima	Personal and couple adaptation among couples who had been evacuated	2013
9.	Vlad Svetlitzky	Partner's adaption following returns' PTSD: The role of attachment empathy and dyadic coping	2015
10.	Gali Tangir	Consequences of continuous exposure to security threat on child adjustment: The moderating role of the relationship with the mother and type of community	2015
11.	Yael Shoval	Distress profiles among delayed help seeking Yom Kippur war veterans	2015
12.	Ohad Gilbar	Using an expanded model of trauma in predicting intimate partner violence among treatment –mandated men in centers for the prevention of domestic violence	2018
13.	Bela Sagi	The role and implications of personal writing in the process of building self in the aftermath of childhood sexual abuse	2019
14.	Miriam Goldberg	Recovery from post-traumatic stress disorder: The contribution of peer support, self-disclosure and stigma	In progress
15.	Hedy Baum	Traumatic memory consistency dissociation and body health of PTSD patients	In progress
16.	Yaara Sadeh	Longitudinal adjustment patterns of adolescents after traumatic medical event: The contribution of event characteristics, family and parental variables	In progress
17.	Limor Zitronblat	A common front: the mutual adjustment of the combat commander and his wife	In progress
18.	Merav Dadia	An Examination of Meaning-Making Processes among Female Survivors of Childhood Sexual Abuse	In progress
19.	Maya Rose	Sexually abused teenage boys - The men they grow up to be	In progress
20.	Yael Shapira	"Unetanneh Tokef"-Women's experience of trauma disclosure and its impact on motherhood and the emotional-social functioning of their children	In progress

Post-Doctoral Students:

Student's Name	Focus of Research	Time period
Alana Siegel, Psy.D.	PTSD, veterans of the Second Lebanon War, and their civilian partners	2014-2016
Shimon Fridkin, Ph.D.	Dyadic data analysis in trauma models	2015-2016
Ethan Eisen, Ph.D.	The effects of trauma on couples	2018-2019

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

International Students:

Name	Year	Funding Source	Topic	Amount
Naomi Ennis	2015	Michael Smith Foreign Study Supplements Canada Graduate Scholarships - Canadian Institutes of Health Research	Adapting Cognitive-Behavioral Conjoint Therapy for Posttraumatic Stress Disorder for Use In Israel	6'000\$

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

Chapters in books

1. Spiro, S., Peled, E., & **Dekel, R.** (1999). An evaluation of a shelter for runaway youth: Exit modes and destinations. In Y. Wozner, M. Golan, & M. Hovav (Eds.), *Lawbreakers in Israel: Evaluation of intervention outcomes* (pp. 229-245). Tel Aviv: Cherikover. (Hebrew)
2. **Dekel, R.**, Solomon, Z., & Bleich, A. (2002). The role of social disability in assessing psychological disability among PTSD veterans. In A. Bleich, & Z. Solomon (Eds.), *Mental disability: Medical, research, social, legal and rehabilitative aspects* (pp. 72-93). Tel Aviv: Israel Ministry of Defense. (Hebrew).
3. **Dekel, R.**, Solomon, Z., Ginzburg, K., Neria, Y., & Zakin, G. (2004). Coping with war captivity: The role of personality resources. In J. Strelau (Ed.), *Extreme stress and personality* (pp. 264-280). Gdanskie Wydawnictwo Psychologiczne (Polish).
4. **Dekel, R.**, & Solomon, Z. (2006). Secondary traumatization among wives of war veterans with PTSD. In C. R. Figley & W. P. Nash (Eds.), *Combat stress injury: Theory, research, and management* (pp. 137-157). New York: Routledge Psychosocial Stress Book Series.
5. Cohen, E., **Dekel, R.**, & Solomon, Z. (2007). Post traumatic stress disorder and difficulties in intimacy among Holocaust child survivors. In Z. Solomon, & J. Chaitin (Eds.), *Childhood and Holocaust* (pp. 152-170). Jerusalem: Hakibbutz Hameuehad, Publishing House Ltd. (Hebrew).
6. Nuttman-Shwartz, O., & **Dekel, R.** (2010). Periphery under fire. In A. Sasson. (Eds.), *Sderot*, (pp. 239-264). Jerusalem: Makom Publishing House Ltd. (Hebrew).
7. Monson, C. M., Fredman, S. J., & **Dekel, R.** (2010). Posttraumatic stress disorder in an interpersonal context. In J.G. Beck (Eds), *Interpersonal processes in the anxiety disorders: Implications for understanding psychopathology and treatment* (pp. 179-208). Washington D.C.: American Psychological Association.
8. Monson, C., M., Fredman, S.J., **Dekel, R.**, Macdonald, A. (2012). Family models of posttraumatic stress disorder. In J. G. Beck & D. M. Sloan, (Eds), *The Oxford Handbook of Traumatic Stress Disorders* (pp. 219-232). Oxford University Press.
9. **Dekel, R.**, & Nuttman-Shwartz, O. (2014). Being a parent and a helping professional in the ongoing shared traumatic reality in southern Israel. In R. Pat-Horenczyk, D. Brom, C. Chemtob, & J. Vogel (Eds.), *Helping children cope with trauma: Individual, family*

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

and community perspectives (224-240). Routledge Press.

10. **Dekel, R.**, MacDermid-Wadsworth, S. & Sanchez, L. (2015). Stress, wounds and injuries: The effects of combat related PTSD on intimate relationships and partners. In R. Moelker, & M. Andres (Eds.), *For military families on mission, comparative perspectives*. Routledge Press.
11. **Dekel, R.**, & Taubman-Ben-Ari, O. (2015). On two positive approaches to human experience: The interface between social work and positive psychology in theory and practice. In S. Joseph (Ed.), *Positive psychology in practice: Promoting human flourishing in work, health, education, and everyday life* (2nd ed). Wiley: Hoboken.
12. **Dekel, R.**, Tuval-Mashiach, R., & Sadeh, Y. (2016). *Parenting and the Military: The Case of Israel*. In A. Gewirtz, & A. Joussef (Eds.), *Parenting and children's resilience in military families* (pp. 175-194). Springer International Publishing.
13. **Dekel, R.**, & Goldberg, M. (2017). *Female military veterans with disabilities*. In R. Woodward, & C. Duncanson (Eds.), *The Palgrave International handbook of gender and the military* (pp. 257-273). Palgrave Macmillan UK.
14. Vilchinsky, N., & **Dekel, R.** (2018). Cardiac disease-induced PTSD: The need for a dyadic perspective. In A. Bertoni, S. Donato, & S. Molgora (Eds.), *Psychology research progress. When "we" are stressed: A dyadic approach to coping with stressful events* (p. 109–124). Nova Science Publishers.
15. Shoval, Y., Levy, O., & **Dekel, R.** Evaluation of debriefing intervention: Literature review and case study of intervention with military units. In Y. Lahav, & Z. Solomon (Eds.), *From relieving to Remembering-Treatment for trauma* (pp.155-186). RESLING Publishing Israel.
16. Nisim, R., Katz-Amiri, C., Shoval, Y., Friedman, S., **Dekel, R.** Cognitive behavioral intervention when one partner suffers from PTSD. In Y. Lahav, & Z. Solomon (Eds.), *From relieving to Remembering-Treatment for trauma* (pp.483-520). RESLING Publishing Israel.
17. Nelson Goff, B. S., Ruhlmann, L., **Dekel, R.**, & Huxman, S. (2020). Trauma, posttraumatic stress, and family systems. In K. S. Wampler, M. Rastogi, & R. Singh (Eds.), *Handbook of systemic family therapy: Volume 4. Systemic family therapy and global health issues* (pp.267-296). Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley & Sons.
18. Monson, C. M., Fredman, S. J., **Dekel, R.**, Ennis, N. & Macdonald, A. M. (In press). Family models of posttraumatic stress disorder. In J. G. Beck & D. M. Sloan (Eds.), *Oxford handbook of traumatic stress disorders* (2nd Ed.). New York, NY: Oxford.

Articles in refereed periodicals

1. Wozner, Y., Golan, M., Arad-Davidson, B., & **Dekel, R.** (1997). The quality of life of institutions for youth. *International Journal of Child & Family Welfare*, 2, 127-143.
2. Neria, Y., Solomon, Z., & **Dekel, R.** (1998). Eighteen-year follow up study of Israeli prisoners of war and combat veterans. *The Journal of Nervous and Mental Disease*, 186, 174-182.
3. Neria, Y., Solomon, Z., Ginzburg, K., **Dekel, R.**, Enoch, D., & Ohry, A. (1998). The emotional cost of war for soldiers and civilians in Israeli society. *Society and Welfare*, 18, 125-139. (Hebrew).
4. **Dekel, R.**, & Peled, E. (2000). Staff burnout in Israeli battered women's shelters. *Journal of Social Service Research*, 26, 65-76.

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

5. Neria, Y., Solomon, Z., **Dekel, R.**, & Ginzburg, K. (2000). Redeemed Yom Kippur War prisoners: Predictors of adjustment problems-therapeutic and rehabilitative Implications. *Society and Welfare*, 20, 159-174. (Hebrew).
6. Neria, Y., Solomon, Z., Ginzburg, K., **Dekel, R.**, Enoch, D., & Ohry, A. (2000). Posttraumatic residues of captivity: A follow up of Israeli ex-prisoners of war. *The Journal of Clinical Psychiatry*, 61, 39-46.
7. Neria, Y., Solomon, Z., Ginzburg, K., & **Dekel, R.** (2000). Sensation seeking, war time performance and long term adjustment among Israeli war veterans. *Personality and Individual Differences*, 29, 921-932.
8. Arzi, N. B., Solomon, Z., & **Dekel, R.** (2000). Secondary traumatization among wives of PTSD and post-concussion casualties: Distress, caregiver burden and psychological separation. *Brain injury*, 14(8), 725-736. *Ben Arzi, N., Solomon, Z., & **Dekel, R.** (2000). Secondary traumatization among wives of PTSD and post-concussion casualties: Distress, caregiver burden and psychological separation. *Society & Welfare*, 20, 585-602. (Hebrew).
9. Neria, J., Solomon, Z., & **Dekel, R.** (2000). Adjustment to war captivity: The role of socio-demographic background, trauma severity, and immediate response, in the long-term mental health of Israeli, ex-POWs. *Anxiety, Stress and Coping*, 13, 229-246.
10. Shindler, S., Frid, B., Zomer, E., Friedman, A., **Dekel, R.**, & Solomon, Z. (2000). The contribution of support, containment and setting boundaries toward coping in post traumatic families. *Society and Welfare*, 20, 463-480. (Hebrew).
11. Cohen, O., & **Dekel, R.** (2000). Sense of coherence, ways of coping and well-being of married and divorced mothers. *Contemporary Family Therapy*, 22, 467-486.
12. Schelleles, S., & **Dekel, R.** (2001). Personality organization of post-traumatic stress disorders patients and their spouses. *Sihot*, XV, 208-218. (Hebrew).
13. Neria, Y., Guttman-Steinmetz, S., Koenen, K., Levinovsky, L., Zakin, Y., & **Dekel, R.** (2001). Do attachment and hardiness relate to each other and to mental health in real life stress? *Journal of Social & Personal Relationships*, 6, 844-858.
14. Peled, E., Spiro, S.E., & **Dekel, R.** (2002). Where do they go from here: Destinations of youths exiting a shelter. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 24, 269-285.
15. Cohen, E., **Dekel, R.**, & Solomon, Z. (2002). Long-term adjustment and the role of attachment among Holocaust child survivors. *Personality and Individual Differences*, 33, 299-310.
16. Ginzburg, K., Solomon, Z., **Dekel, R.**, & Neria, Y. (2003). Battlefield functioning and chronic PTSD: Associations with perceived self-efficacy and causal attribution. *Personality and Individual Differences*, 34, 463-476.
17. Peled, E., Spiro, S. E., & **Dekel, R.** (2003). Home is not always one's castle: A follow-up of ex-residents in a shelter for runaway and homeless youth. *Megamot*, 42, 263-280. (Hebrew).
18. **Dekel, R.**, Peled, E., & Spiro, S. (2003). Shelters for houseless youth: A follow up evaluation. *Journal of Adolescence*, 26, 201-212.
19. **Dekel, R.**, Solomon, Z., Ginzburg, K., & Neria, Y. (2003). War combat exposure, wartime performance, and long-term adjustment among combatants. *Military Psychology*, 15, 117-131.

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

20. Cohen, E., **Dekel, R.**, Solomon, Z., & Lavie, T. (2003). Posttraumatic stress symptoms, fear of intimacy among treated and non-treated survivors who were children during the Holocaust. *Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology*, 38, 611-617.
*Cohen, E., **Dekel, R.**, Solomon, Z., & Lavie, T. (2003). Posttraumatic stress symptoms, fear of intimacy among treated and non-treated Holocaust child survivors. *Society & Welfare*, 23, 391-409. (Hebrew).
21. **Dekel, R.** (2004). Motherhood in time of terror: Subjective experiences and responses of Israeli mothers. *Affilia*, 19, 24-38.
22. Davidson-Arad, B., **Dekel, R.**, & Wozner, Y. (2004). Correspondence in residence and staff members assessments of the quality of life of children in residential care facilities. *Social Indicators Research*, 68, 77-89.
23. Itzhaky, H., Gerber, P., & **Dekel, R.** (2004). Empowerment, skills, and values: A comparative study of nurses and social workers. *International Journal of Nursing Studies*, 28, 253-265.
24. **Dekel, R.**, Benbenishty, R., & Amram, Y. (2004). Therapeutic communities for drug addicts: Prediction of long-term outcomes. *Addictive Behaviors*, 29, 1833-1837.
25. **Dekel, R.**, Solomon, Z., Elklit, A., & Ginzburg, K. (2004). World assumptions and combat-related PTSD. *Journal of Social Psychology*, 144, 407-420.
26. **Dekel, R.**, Solomon, Z., Ginzburg, K., & Neria, Y. (2004). Long-term adjustment among Israeli war veterans: The role of attachment style. *Anxiety, Stress, and Coping*, 7, 141-152.
27. **Dekel, R.**, Ginzburg, K., & Hantman, S. (2004). In the front line: Hospital Social Workers confront ongoing terror. *Society & Welfare*, 24, 163-180. (Hebrew).
28. **Dekel, R.**, Solomon, Z., & Bleich, A. (2004). The contribution of social disability to psychiatric disability among PTSD veterans. *Israel Journal of Psychiatry*, 41, 237-247.
29. **Dekel, R.**, Goldblatt, H., Keidar, M., Solomon, Z., & Polliack, M. (2005). Being a wife of a veteran with posttraumatic stress disorder. *Family Relations*, 54, 24-36.
30. Zeira, A. & **Dekel, R.** (2005). Self-image of adolescents and its relationship to their perceptions of the future. *International Social Work*, 48, 177-191.
31. Itzhaky, H., & **Dekel, R.** (2005). Helping victims of terrorism: What makes social work effective? *Social Work*, 50, 335-344.
32. Solomon, Z. & **Dekel, R.** (2005). Posttraumatic stress disorder among Israeli ex-prisoners of war 18 and 30 years after release. *Journal of Clinical Psychiatry*, 66, 1031-1037.
33. **Dekel, R.**, Solomon, Z., & Bleich, A. (2005). Emotional distress and marital adjustment of caregivers: Contribution of level of impairment and appraised burden. *Anxiety, Stress & Coping*, 18, 71-82.
34. **Dekel, R.**, Goldblatt, H., & Solomon, Z. (2005). Trapped in captivity: Marital perceptions of wives of former prisoners of war. *Women & Health*, 42, 1-18.
35. Finzi-Dottan, R., **Dekel, R.**, Lavi, T., & Su'ali, T. (2006). Posttraumatic stress disorder reactions among children with learning disabilities exposed to terror attacks. *Comprehensive Psychiatry*, 47, 144-151.
36. Roe, D. **Dekel, R.**, Harel, G., Fennig, S. & Fennig, S. (2006). Clients' feelings during termination of psychodynamically oriented psychotherapy. *Bulletin of the Menninger Clinic*, 70, 68-81.

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

37. **Dekel, R.** & Solomon, Z. (2006). Secondary traumatization among wives of Israeli POWs: the role of POWs' distress. *Social Psychiatry and Psychiatric Epidemiology*, *41*, 27-33.
38. Kovatz, S., Kutz, I., Rubin, G., **Dekel, R.**, & Shenkman, L. (2006). Comparing the distress of American and Israeli medical students studying in Israel during a period of terror. *Medical education*, *40*(4), 389-393.
39. Kutz, I. & **Dekel, R.** (2006). Follow-up of victims of one terrorist attack in Israel: ASD, PTSD and the perceived threat of Iraqi missile attacks. *Personality and Individual Differences*, *40*, 1579-1589.
40. Itzhaky, H. & **Dekel, R.** (2007). Community intervention with Jewish Israeli mothers in times of terror. *British Journal of Social Work*, *37*(7). doi:10.1093/bjsw/bcl368.
41. **Dekel, R.** & Solomon, Z. (2006). Marital relations among former prisoners of war: Contribution of posttraumatic stress disorder, aggression and sexual satisfaction. *Journal of Family Psychology*, *20*, 709-712.
42. **Dekel, R.** & Hobfoll, S. (2007). The impact of resource loss on Holocaust survivors facing war and terrorism in Israel. *Aging & Mental Health*, *11*, 159-167.
43. Solomon, Z., & **Dekel, R.** (2007). PTSD and posttraumatic growth among Israeli former POWs. *Journal of Traumatic Stress*, *20*, 303-312.
44. Solomon, Z., **Dekel, R.**, Hantman, S., & Ginzburg, K. (2007). The cost of caring? Social workers in hospitals confront ongoing terrorism. *British Journal of Social Work*, *37*, 1247-1261.
45. Nuttman-Shwartz, O. & **Dekel, R.** (2007). Challenges for students working in a shared traumatic reality. *British Journal of Social Work*. doi: 10.1093/bjsw/bcm121.
46. **Dekel, R.** (2008). Post-traumatic distress and growth among wives of POWs: The contribution of husbands' PTSD and their own attachment. *American Journal of Orthopsychiatry*, *77*, 419-426.
47. *Magen, L., & **Dekel, R.** (2008). Long-term implications of sibling loss in adulthood: Intimacy, meaning of life and mourning response. *Megamot*, *45*, 555-575. (Hebrew).
48. **Dekel, R.**, Enosh, G., & Solomon, Z. (2008). The contribution of captivity and PTSD to marital adjustment of Israeli couples. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships*, *25*, 497-510.
49. Dinshtein, Y., **Dekel, R.**, & Polliack, M. (2011). Secondary traumatization among adult children of PTSD veterans: the role of mother-child relationships. *Journal of Family Social Work*, *14*(2), 109-124. *Dinshtein, J., & **Dekel, R.**, & Polliack, M. (2008). The moderating role of maternal relationships in secondary traumatization among adult offspring of veterans with PTSD. *Society & Welfare*, *28*, 267-292. (Hebrew).
50. Nuttman-Shwartz, O., & **Dekel, R.** (2008). Training students for a shared traumatic reality. *Social Work*, *53*, 279-281.
51. **Dekel, R.**, & Goldblatt, H. (2008). Is there intergenerational transmission of trauma? The case of combat veterans' children. *American Journal of Orthopsychiatry*, *78*, 281-289.
52. Kutz, I., Resnik, V., & **Dekel, R.** (2008). The effect of single-session modified EMDR on acute stress syndromes. *Journal of EMDR Practice and Research*, *2*(3), 190-200.

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

53. Spiro, S., **Dekel, R.**, Peled, E. (2009). Dimensions and correlates of client satisfaction: An evaluation of a shelter for runaway and homeless youth. *Research on Social Work Practice, 19*, 261-270.
54. Solomon, Z., **Dekel, R.** (2008). The contribution of loneliness and posttraumatic stress disorder to marital adjustment following war captivity: A longitudinal study. *Family Process, 47*, 261-272.
55. Solomon, Z., **Dekel, R.**, & Mikulincer, M. (2008). Complex trauma of war captivity: A prospective study of attachment and post-traumatic stress disorder. *Psychological Medicine, 38*, 1427-1434.
56. Solomon, Z., **Dekel, R.**, & Zerach, G. (2008). The relationship between posttraumatic stress symptom clusters and marital intimacy among war veterans. *Journal of Family Psychology, 22*(5), 659-666.
57. **Dekel, R.**, & Nuttman-Shwartz, O. (2009). Posttraumatic stress and growth: The contribution of cognitive appraisal and sense of belonging to the country. *Health & Social Work, 34*(2), 87-96.
58. Solomon, Z., **Dekel, R.**, Zerach, G. (2009). Posttraumatic stress disorder and marital adjustment: The mediating role of forgiveness. *Family Process, 48*(4), 546–558.
59. Solomon, Z., **Dekel, R.**, Zerach, G., & Horesh, D. (2009). Differentiation of the self and posttraumatic symptomatology among ex-POWs and their wives. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy, 35*(1), 60-73.
60. Taft, C. T., Weatherill, R. P., Woodward, H. E., Pinto, L. A., Watkins, L. E., Miller, M. W., & **Dekel, R.** (2009). Intimate partner and general aggression perpetration among combat veterans presenting to a posttraumatic stress disorder clinic. *American Journal of Orthopsychiatry, 79*(4), 461-468.
61. Nuttman-Shwartz, O. & **Dekel, R.** (2009). Ways of coping and sense of belonging in the face of a continuous threat. *Journal of Traumatic Stress, 22*(8), 667-670.
62. Ofir, S., Harel, D., Harpaz, A., Yanai, T., Zvineri, S., Reggev, N., & **Dekel, R.** (2009). Orphans in custody: Issues in rearing and caring for orphans whose both parents were killed in terror attacks. *Journal of Welfare and Social Security Studies, 80*, 129-152. (Hebrew).
63. **Dekel, R.** & Baum, N. (2010). Intervention in a shared traumatic reality: A new challenge for social workers. *British Journal of Social Work, 40*, 1927-1944.
64. **Dekel, R.** (2010). Couple forgiveness, self-differentiation and secondary traumatization among wives of former POWs. *Journal of Social and Personal Relationships, 27*(7), 924-937.
65. **Dekel, R.** (2010). Mental health practitioners' experiences during the shared trauma of the forced relocation from Gush Katif. *Clinical Social Work Journal, 38*, 388-396.
66. Peled, E., & **Dekel, R.** (2010). Excusable deficiency: Staff perceptions of mothering at shelters for abused women. *Violence against Women, 16*(11), 1224-1241.
67. Nuttman-Shwartz, O., & **Dekel, R.**, & Tuval-Mashiach, R. (2011). Post-traumatic stress and growth following forced relocation. *British Journal of Social Work, 41*, 486-501.
68. **Dekel, R.**, & Monson, C. (2010). Military-related post-traumatic stress disorder and family relations: Current knowledge and future directions. *Aggression and Violent Behavior, 15*, 303-309.

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

69. *Ranz, R., & **Dekel, R.** (2011). Evaluating intervention outcomes in therapeutic communities for drug abuse: Comparing Israeli born and CIS-born users. *Journal of Welfare and Social Security Studies*, 85, 119-142. (Hebrew).
70. Vilchinsky, N., **Dekel, R.**, Leibowitz, M., Reges, O., Khaskia, A., Mosseri, M. (2011). Dynamics of support perceptions among couples coping with cardiac illness: The effect on recovery outcomes. *Health Psychology*, 30(4), 411-419.
71. *Shoval, Y., Levi, O., **Dekel, R.**, Solomon, Z. (2011). Evaluating the current status of psychological debriefing: A review of clinical studies. *Society and Welfare*, 31, 173-204. (Hebrew).
72. **Dekel, R.**, & Tuval-Mashiach, R. (2012). Multiple losses of social resources following collective trauma: The case of the forced relocation from Gush Katif. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*, 4(1), 56-65.
73. *Ranz, R., **Dekel, R.**, & Itzhaky, H. (2012). Characteristics of addicts in entering and dropout rates from therapeutic communities: Former Soviet Union and Israeli addicts. *Society & Welfare*, 32, 169-188. (Hebrew).
74. Lavi, T., *Green, O., & **Dekel, R.** (2013). The contribution of personal and exposure characteristics to the adjustment of adolescents following war. *Journal of Adolescence*, 36, 21-30.
75. Vilchinsky, N., **Dekel, R.**, Asher, Z., Leibowitz, M., Mosseri, M. (2013). The role of illness perceptions in the attachment-related process of affect regulation. *Anxiety, Stress, & Coping*, 26, 314-329.
76. Harel, G., Atzmon, T., Shapira, L. & **Dekel, R.** (2013). Group intervention with mothers of children who have been removed from the home. *Society and Welfare*, 33(3), 501-517. (Hebrew).
77. **Dekel, R.**, Vilchinsky, N., Liberman, G., Leibowitz, M., Khaskia, A., Mosseri, M. (2014). Marital satisfaction and depression among couples following men's Acute Coronary Syndrome: Testing dyadic dynamics in a longitudinal design. *British Journal of Health Psychology*, 19, 347-362.
78. Tuval-Mashiach, R., & **Dekel, R.** (2014). Religious meaning-making at the community level: The forced relocation from the Gaza Strip. *Psychology of Religion and Spirituality*, 6(1), 64-71.
79. *Vin-Raviv, N., **Dekel, R.**, Barchana, M., Linn, S. & Keinan-Boker, L. (2014). World War II-Related post-traumatic stress disorder and breast cancer risk among Israeli women: a case-control study. *International Psychogeriatric*, 26, 499-508
80. Pardess, E., Mikulincer, M., **Dekel, R.**, & Shaver, P.R. (2014). Dispositional attachment orientations, contextual variations in attachment security, and compassion fatigue among volunteers working with traumatized individuals. *Journal of Personality*, 82(5), 355-366.
81. **Dekel, R.**, Solomon, D., Sturm, M. & Halpren, M. (2014). Aspects of coping among women with physical disabilities: A literature review. *Society and Welfare*, 34, 305-334. (Hebrew).
82. *Pagorek- Eshel, S. & **Dekel, R.** (2015). Parental self-efficacy and paternal involvement in the context of political violence. *Clinical Social Work Journal*. doi: 10.1007/s10615-015-0516-7. *Pagorek- Eshel, S. & **Dekel, R.** (2014). Parental self-efficacy of fathers in the context of political violence. *Society and Welfare*, 34, 493-512. (Hebrew).

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

83. Nuttman-Shwartz, O., **Dekel, R.**, & Regev, I. (2015) Continuous exposure to life threats among different age groups in different types of communities, *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*, 7, 269-276.
84. Vilchinsky, N., **Dekel, R.**, Revenson, T.A., Liberman, G. & Mosseri, M. (2015). Caregivers' burden and depressive symptoms: The moderational role of attachment orientations. *Health Psychology*, 34(3), 262-269.
85. Lavi, T, **Dekel, R.**, & Nuttman-Shwartz, O. (2015). Sharing the "Protected Room": Therapeutic work in a Shared Traumatic Reality. *Society and Welfare*, 35, 261-284. (Hebrew).
86. *Vin-Raviv, N., **Dekel, R.**, Barchana, M., Linn, S. & Keinan-Boker, L. (2015). Challenges in recruiting aging female Holocaust survivors to a case control study of breast cancer. *Research in Gerontological Nursing*, 8(6), 265-272.
87. *Shoval-Zuckerman, Y., **Dekel, R.**, & Levi O., Solomon, Z. (2015). The effectiveness of early group intervention for military reserved soldiers: The role of repressive coping style. *Israel Journal of Psychiatry*, 52,38-48.
88. **Dekel, R.** & Solomon, D. (2016). The contribution of maternal care and control to adolescents' adjustment following war. *The Journal of Early Adolescence*, 36, 198-221.
89. Soskolne, V., **Dekel R.**, & Vinker, S. (2016). Glycemic control of diabetes patients under continuous rocket attacks. *Disaster and Military Medicine*, 2, 1-6.
90. **Dekel, R.**, Levinstein, Y., Siegel, A., Fridkin, S., Svetlicky, V. (2016). Secondary traumatization of partners of war veterans: The role of boundary ambiguity. *Journal of Family Psychology*, 30, 63-71.
91. **Dekel, R.**, Nuttman-Shwartz O., & Lavi, T. (2016). Shared traumatic reality and boundary theory: How mental health professionals cope with the home/work conflict during continuous security threats. *Journal of Couple & Relationship Therapy*, 15, 121-134.
92. *Fait, K., Vilchinsky, N., **Dekel, R.**, Levi, N., Hod, H. & Matezki, S. (2016). Cardiac-Disease-Induced Post-Traumatic-Stress-Symptoms (CDI-PTSS) among patients' partners. *Stress and Health*, 33, 169-176.
93. **Dekel, R.** (2017). My personal and professional trauma resilience truisms. *Traumatology*, 23, 10-17.
94. *Tangir-Dotan, G., **Dekel, R.**, Lavi, T., Gewirtz, A., Zamir, O. (2017). The contribution of maternal care and control, and community type to children's adjustment to political violence. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*, 9, 122-129.
95. Ben-Porat, A., Levy, D., Kattoura, O., **Dekel, R.**, Itzhaky, H. (2017). Domestic violence in Arab society: A Comparison of Arab women and Jewish women shelters in Israel. *Journal of Interpersonal Violence*.
<https://doi.org/10.1177/0886260517731789>
96. Lavi, T., Nuttman-Shwartz, O., & **Dekel, R.** (2017). Therapeutic intervention in a continuous shared traumatic reality: an example from the Israeli–Palestinian conflict. *British Journal of Social Work*, 47, 919-935.
97. Koren, E., Siegel, A., Shlezinger, A., Sher-Dotan, M., **Dekel, R.** (2017). The contribution of mastery to mental health and purpose in life among female veterans with disabilities in Israel. *Health Care for Women International*, 39, 289-302.

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

98. *Hershkowitz, M., **Dekel, R.**, Fridkin, S., & Freedman, S. (2017). Posttraumatic Stress Disorder, parenting, and marital adjustment among a civilian population. *Frontiers in Psychology*, 8, 1655-1662.
99. *Gilbar, O., Benbenishty, R., Schiff, M., & **Dekel, R.** (2017). Foster parents exposed to political violence: The role of social support in addressing emotional and functional difficulties. *Children and Youth Services Review*, 85, 211-218.
100. Schiff, M., **Dekel, R.**, Gilbar, O., & Benbenishty, R. (2017). Posttraumatic distress and need for help among Israeli social workers in foster care agencies following armed conflict. *Child & Family Social Work*, 23, 466-474.
101. **Dekel, R.**, Siegel, A., Fridkin, S., Svetlicky, V. (2018). The double-edged sword: The role of empathy in military veterans' partners distress. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*, 10, 216-224.
102. Cramm, H., Murphy, S., Godfrey, C. M., **Dekel, R.**, & McKeown, S. (2018). Experiences of children exposed to parental post-traumatic stress disorder while growing up in military and veteran families: a systematic review protocol. *JBI database of systematic reviews and implementation reports*, 16, 852-859.
103. *Tangir-Dotan, G., **Dekel, R.**, Lavi, T., Gewirtz, A., Zamir, O. (2018). Children's adjustment in a climate of political violence: Comparing mother and child reports. *Journal of Child and Family Studies*, 27, 131-140.
104. *Gilbar, O., Hyland, P., Cloitre, M., & **Dekel, R.** (2018). ICD-11 Complex PTSD among Israeli male perpetrators of intimate partner violence: Construct validity and risk factors. *Journal of Anxiety Disorders*, 54, 49-56.
105. *Fait, K., Vilchinsky, N., **Dekel, R.**, Levi, N., Hod, H. & Matetzky, S. (2018). Fear of illness progression and cardiac-disease-induced PTSD: Capturing the unique nature of illness-related PTSD. *General Hospital Psychiatry*, 53, 131-138.
106. *Pagorek- Eshel, S., **Dekel, R.** (2018). Fathers' authoritative and authoritarian attitudes and paternal involvement in a climate of political violence. *Journal of Family Studies*, 1-16.
107. **Dekel, R.**, Siegel, A., Fridkin, S., Svetlicky, V. (2018). The contribution of wives' ways of giving support to their veteran husbands' Posttraumatic Stress Symptoms and functioning. *Journal of Traumatic Stress*, 31, 856-865.
108. Levy, D., Ben-Porat, A., Katura, O., **Dekel, R.**, Itzhaki, H. (2018). Predicting depression among Jewish and Arab Israeli women who are victims of intimate partner violence. *Violence Against Women*, 34, 1487-1511.
109. *Refaeli, T., Levy, D., Ben-Porat, A., **Dekel, R.**, & Itzhaky, H. (2019). Personal and environmental predictors of depression among victims of intimate partner violence: comparison of immigrant and Israeli-born women. *Journal of Interpersonal violence*, 34, 1487-1511.
110. *Gilbar, O., **Dekel, R.**, Spector-Marzel, G., Levy, O. (2019). The crisis in achieving a sense of manhood among Israeli veterans who suffer from posttraumatic stress symptoms. *Psychology of Men & Masculinity*, 20, 93-103.
111. **Dekel, R.**, Shaked, O., Ben-Porat, A., & Itzhaki, H. (2019). PTSD upon admission to shelters among female victims of intimate violence: An ecological model of trauma. *Violence and Victims*, 34, 329-345.
112. Nuttman- Shwartz, O. Shorer, S., **Dekel, R.** (2019). Long term grief and sharing courses among military widows who remarried. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*.

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

113. *Shoval-Zuckerman, Y., **Dekel, R.**, Cohen, G., & Levi, O. (2019). Adjustment profiles of Yom Kippur war veterans seeking delayed help from the IDF. *International Review of Psychiatry*, 31, 3-13.
114. *Gilbar, O., **Dekel, R.**, Hyland, P., Cloytre, M. (2019). The role of complex posttraumatic stress symptoms in the association between exposure to traumatic events and severity of intimate partner violence. *Child Abuse & Neglect*.
115. **Dekel, R.**, Shaked, O., Ben-Porat, A., & Itzhaky, H. (2020). The interrelations of physical and mental health: Self-rated health, depression, and PTSD among female IPV survivors. *Violence Against Women*, 26, 379-394.
116. Zamir, O., Gewirtz, A., **Dekel, R.**, Lavi, T., & Tangir- Dotan, G. (2020). Mothering under political violence: Posttraumatic symptoms, observed maternal parenting practices, and child externalizing behavior. *International Journal of Psychology*, 55, 123-132
117. Ennis, N., Shorer, S., Shoval-Zuckerman, Y., Freedman, S., Monson, C. M., **Dekel, R.** (2020). Treating posttraumatic stress disorder across cultures: A systematic review of cultural adaptations of trauma-focused cognitive behavioral therapies. *Journal of Clinical Psychology*, 76, 587-611.
118. *Gilbar, O., Taft, C., & **Dekel, R.** (2020). Male intimate partner violence: examining the roles of childhood trauma, PTSD symptoms, and dominance. *Journal of Family Psychology*.
119. *Shaked, O., Z., **Dekel, R.**, Ben-Porat, A., Itzhaki, H. (2020). Predicting changes in PTSD and depression among female IPV survivors during shelter residency: A longitudinal study. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice, and Policy*
120. *Siegel, A., **Dekel, R.**, & Svetlicky, V. (2020). The contribution of empathy to the adjustment of male military veterans and their female partners. *Family Relations*
121. Zanbar, L., Kaniasty, K., Ben-Tzur, N., & **Dekel, R.** (2020, November 19). Personal mastery and community dedication as mediators of the association of trauma exposure with PTSS and PTG. *Psychological Trauma: Theory, Research, Practice*.
122. *Sadeh, Y., **Dekel, R.**, Brezner, A., Landa, J., & Silberg, T. (2020). Child and family factors associated with posttraumatic stress responses following a traumatic medical event: The role of medical team support. *Journal of Pediatric Psychology*, 45(9), 1063-1073.
123. Hussien, S., Sadeh, Y., **Dekel, R.**, Shadmi, E., Brezner, A., Landa, J., Silberg, T. (2021). Using a biopsychosocial approach to examine differences in post-traumatic stress symptoms between Arab and Jewish Israeli mothers following a child's traumatic medical event. *International Journal for Equity in Health*.

Submitted for publication

1. Cramm, H., Godfrey, C., Murphy, S., McKeown, S., & **Dekel, R.** Growing up in a military-connected family: A qualitative systematic review of the experiences of children whose parents have PTSD associated with military service.
2. **Dekel, R.**, Nuttman-shwartz, & Shorer, S., Living with spousal loss: Continuing bonds and boundaries in remarried widows' marital relationships.
3. *Sadeh., Y., **Dekel, R.**, Brezner, A., Landa, J., Silberg, T. Who we were before, and who we are now?" The role of pre and peri-trauma psychosocial factors and medical team support on child's Posttraumatic Stress Symptoms following a traumatic medical event.

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

4. Gilbar, O., Maercker, A., & **Dekel, R.** A Social-Emotional competency deficit model of ICD-11 CPTSD: An outcome of possible interplay between PTSD and disturbances in self-organization
5. *Sadeh, Y., **Dekel, R.**, Brezner, A., Landa, J., Silberg, T. Unmet emotional and medical needs of children following traumatic medical events: Are they at risk of neglect?
6. Eisenberg, R., Vilchinsky, N., Fait, K., **Dekel, R.**, Hod, H., Matezki, S. Posttraumatic stress symptoms among spouses of Cardiac patients: Identifying prevalence, risk factors and correlates over time.

*Work conducted with students

PAPERS PRESENTED AT SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCES

	Year	Subject of Conference	Place	Subject of Presentation
1.	1996	Second World Conference of the International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies	Jerusalem, Israel	Posttraumatic residuals of captivity: A follow up of Israeli ex-POWs
2.	2000	PYRGOS International Conference on Violence in the Family	Nicosia, Cyprus	The complex relationship between the private mother and the general mother in shelters for battered women
3.	2000	Personality and Trauma	Warsaw, Poland	Coping with war captivity
4.	2000	The X Annual Conference of the Israel Psychiatric Association	Jerusalem, Israel	The role of social disability in assessing psychological disability among PTSD veterans
5.	2001	Evaluating Shelters for Run-Away Youth	Tel-Aviv, Israel	Evaluation of shelters for homeless youths: Do they meet the youths' needs
6.	2001	Conference of Social Workers in Mental Health Services	Maaela Hamischa, Israel	The ongoing trauma of the battered women
7.	2002	The X Annual Conference of Gender and Women's Studies	Tel-Aviv, Israel	From front line to home front
8.	2003	Social Workers in General Hospitals	Jerusalem, Israel	Longitudinal follow up of terror victims
9.	2003	The 8th European Congress of Psychology	Vienna, Austria	The role of personality resources in coping with captivity
10.	2004	25th International Conference of the Stress and Anxiety Research Society	Amsterdam, Holland	Does acute stress disorder predict PTSD: Longitudinal results from a follow-up study of victims of a terror attack
11.	2004	The international society for traumatic stress studies	New Orleans, U.S.A.	Secondary traumatization among spouses of ex-POWs
12.	2005	Adler research center for child welfare and protection	Tel-Aviv, Israel	Secondary traumatization among children of veterans with PTSD

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

	Year	Subject of Conference	Place	Subject of Presentation
13.	2006	The IXth European Congress of Psychology	Athens, Greece	PTSD and Post Traumatic Growth Following Qassam Attacks: Correlations and contributing factors among development town and kibbutz residents
14.	2008	School of Social Work, Boston University (Invited)	Boston, USA	The consequences of captivity on veterans and their spouses: Lessons learned from the Israeli experience
15.	2008	VA National Center for PTSD, Women's Health Sciences Division (Invited)	Boston, USA	Trapped in captivity: Secondary traumatization and growth among wives of former prisoners of war
16.	2008	School of Education, Harvard University (Invited)	Boston, USA	Children in the face of terror
17.	2008	The International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies	Chicago, USA	The contribution of ways of coping and sense of belonging in times of ongoing terror
18.	2008	The International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies	Chicago, USA	The adjustment of Israeli young adolescents following the Second Lebanon War
19.	2009	Ashkelon Academic College (Invited)	Ashkelon, Israel	Secondary traumatization among workers who intervene with offenders
20.	2009	Sapir Academic College, Israel Trauma Coalition for Response and Preparedness (Invited)	Sderot, Israel	Traumatizing Shared Reality, the case of the South of Israel
21.	2009	The International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies	Atlanta, U.S.A	Trapped in captivity
22.	2010	Military Family Research Institute at Purdue University (Invited)	Indianapolis, U.S.A.	Veterans with PTSD and their spouses: Mechanisms of transmission of distress
23.	2010	Ashkelon Academic College	Ashkelon, Israel	The consequences of veterans post-traumatic distress on their spouses
24.	2011	Society for Social Work and Research	Florida, U.S.A.	Secondary Traumatization among adult offspring of male veterans with PTSD: The role of the mother-child relationship
25.	2011	The 5 th Scientific Conference in remembrance of Prof Victor Florian (Invited)	Ramat-Gan, Israel	Together and alone: Marital relationship in the shade of PTSD
26.	2011	25th European Health Psychology Conference	Crete	The contribution of marital satisfaction to depressive symptoms following acute coronary syndrome: Testing

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

	Year	Subject of Conference	Place	Subject of Presentation
				dyadic dynamics in a longitudinal design
27.	2011	The International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies	Baltimore, U.S.A.	Multiple losses of social resources following collective trauma: The case of the forced relocation from Gush Katif
28.	2011	Public Health School Columbia University (Invited)	NYC, U.S.A.	Together and alone: The effects of PTSD on marital relations
29.	2012	Trauma through the Life cycle	Hebrew University, Jerusalem Israel	The effects of PTSD: Dyadic perspective
30.	2012	Therapists at the Front: Symposium for Youth Law Officials	Bar-Ilan University, Israel	Developmental trauma in children suffering from violence within the family
31.	2012	The First Annual International Women & War Conference: Building an Interdisciplinary Dialogue (Invited)	Hydra, Greece	The effects of combat related PTSD on female spouses: Lessons learned from the Israeli experience
32.	2013	13 th ESTSS Conference Trauma and its Clinical Pathways: PTSD and Beyond	Bologna, Italy	Ambiguous loss PTSD and marital relations
33.	2014	International Family Violence and Child Victimization Research Conference	New Hampshire	Posttraumatic symptoms in battered women who seek help in shelters
34.	2015	I-CORE Winter School Workshops	Tel-Aviv	Secondary Traumatization: Conceptual and methodological challenges
35.	2015	ESTSS	Vilnius, Lithuania	The double-sided role of empathy in the emergence of Secondary Traumatization
36.	2015	European Conference Domestic Violence (ECDV)	Ireland	Using an ecological model to predict PTSD and well-being among women entering shelters
37.	2016	University of Haifa (Invited)	Haifa	You, me, and war: Couples and post trauma
38.	2016	Freie Universität Berlin (Invited)	Berlin, Germany	Shame, guilt and PTSD in the marital dyad
39.	2016	ISTSS: Listening to Trauma: Insights & Actions	Washington, USA	Shame and guilt in the dyadic context

Prof. Rachel Dekel CV

	Year	Subject of Conference	Place	Subject of Presentation
40.	2016	ISTSS	Dallas, USA	The Interpersonal paradox of trauma: Principles and practice of treating trauma in couple and family systems
41.	2016	Psychology Department, University of British Columbia (Invited)	Vancouver, Canada	The effects of PTSD on families: Conceptual and Methodological challenges
42.	2017	Psychology Department, University of British Columbia (Invited)	Vancouver, Canada	Traumatic events and their multiple effects
43.	2017	Canadian Institute for Military and Veterans Health Research (CIMVHR)	Toronto, Canada.	Being a parent of a young adult with PTSD
45.	2018	ISTSS	Washington, DC	Parenting young adults with PTSD
44.	2019	USC-CIMVHR Research Summit: Military Families in Transition.	Los Angeles, USA.	From greedy institutions to collaborative institutions
46.	2019	ESTSS conference	Rotterdam, Holland	The effects of PTSS on couples: Expansion of theory and principles of intervention (Workshop)
47	2019	IX Annual Vilnius Trauma Psychology Conference (Keynote)	Vilna, Lithuania	The Effects of PTSD on dyadic relations: Theoretical and clinical implications