

YOAV SAGI - RESUME

PERSONAL DETAILS

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ACADEMIC DEGREES

- 2006-2010 PhD in Physics, Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot, Israel.
Thesis title: The coherence dynamics and dynamical decoupling in a dense cold atomic ensemble.
Advisor: Professor Nir Davidson
Thesis was awarded the John F. Kennedy prize and published as part of the Springer Theses Series.
- 1999-2002 M.Sc in Physics (Magna Cum Laude), Technion - Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa, Israel.
Thesis title: Optical Interference with Non-Coherent States.
Advisors: Professor Amiram Ron and Dr. Amnon Fisher
- 1996-1999 B.Sc. (Magna Cum Laude) in Physics and Mathematics (Talpiot excellence program), Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- 2021-today Associate Professor, Technion - Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa, Israel.
- 2014-2021 Assistant Professor, Technion - Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa, Israel.
- 2011-2014 Postdoctoral Research Associate, JILA, NIST and the University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado, USA.
- 2011 Postdoctoral fellow, Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot, Israel.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Experimental study of quantum many-body phenomena with ultracold Fermi gases, quantum computation, simulation and sensing using neutral atoms in optical tweezers.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Physics 2P 114076 (electricity and magnetism), undergraduate
Student Lab 3 114035 (waves), undergraduate
Optics 114210, undergraduate
Physics 1M 114071 (mechanics and relativity), undergraduate
Selected Topics in Atomic Molecular and Optical Physics 118140, graduate
Quantum Technologies 116083, graduate and undergraduate

TECHNION ACTIVITIES

2019-2021 Helen Diller Quantum Center steering committee

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES

2016-2018 Physics honors program committee
2015-today Physics representative in Materials Science and Engineering department

2017-2021	Solid State Institute seminar organizer
2021-2022	Physics department colloquium organizer

PUBLIC PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Journal referee	Nature, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, Physical Review X, Physical Review Letters, Physical Review A, Physical Review E, New Journal of Physics, Journal of the Optical Society of America, Scientific Reports, SciPost
Grant referee	Israel Science Foundation (ISF), United States-Israel Binational Science Foundation (BSF)
Committee member	Israel Science Foundation (ISF), United States-Israel Binational Science Foundation (BSF)

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

Israel Physical Society (IPS), American Physical Society (APS)

FELLOWSHIPS, AWARDS AND HONORS

2019	Recanati foundation research grant (ISF)
2017	Excellence in teaching award
2014	Fellow, Leaders in Science and Technology
2011	Rothschild Post-Doctoral Fellowship
2011	Awarded Fulbright Post-Doctoral Fellowship (Declined)
2011	The John F. Kennedy Award for outstanding doctoral thesis
2010	Student travel grant, CLEO/QELS 2010 awarded by the American Physical Society
2010	Student travel grant, DAMOP 2010, awarded by the American Physical Society
2002	M.Sc. awarded magna cum laude, Technion - Israel Institute of Technology
1999	B.Sc. awarded magna cum laude, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

GRADUATE STUDENTS

Completed PhD theses

- Gal Ness, 2022, "From One to Many: Quantum Dynamics and Interactions of a Single Atom Coupled to Many Degrees of Freedom"
- Constantine Shkedrov, 2020, "High-sensitivity rf and Raman spectroscopy of a quantum degenerate Fermi gas"
- Yanay Florshaim, 2024, "Tunneling and Spatial Adiabatic Passage in Microtraps with few Fermionic Atoms"

Completed MSc theses

- Ilan Meltzer, 2024, "Coherent Splitting and Recombination of Atoms Using Optical Tweezers"
- Anastasiya Vainbaum, 2022, "Floquet engineering and quasi-particle properties in a strongly-interacting Fermi gas"
- Elad Zohar, 2022, "Degenerate Raman side-band cooling of 40K atoms"
- Oded Zilberman, 2022, "Towards Raman side-band cooling of a single atom in a microscopic optical trap"
- Meny Menashes, 2021, "Characterization of a uniform Fermi gas using Raman spectroscopy"
- Gal Ness, 2018, "Non-Adiabatic Optical Transport of a Quantum Degenerate Fermi Gas"
- Yanay Florshaim, 2017, "Towards Quantum Computation with Ultracold Fermionic Atoms"