Name: Assaf Yasur-Landau Date: October 2014

# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

# 1. **Personal Details**

Name: Assaf Yasur-Landau Date of Birth: 12.5.1973 Country of Birth: Israel

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# 2. Higher Education

# A. Undergraduate and Graduate Studies

Period of	Period of Name of Institution		Date of Degree
Study	and Department		
1989–1992	Tel Aviv University,	B.A., Summa Cum	1992
	Department of	Laude	
	Archaeology and		
	Department of		
	Classics		
1996–1997	Tel Aviv University,	Direct Ph.D.	
	Department of	program	
	Archaeology M.A.		
	Classes		
1998–2003	Tel Aviv University,	Ph.D.	2003
	Department of		
	Archaeology		

#### **B. Post-Doctoral Studies**

Period of Study	Name of Institution, Department and Host	Degree	Year of Completion
2006-2007	Harvard University, NELC, Prof. Lawrence E. Stager	Post Doctoral Studies	2007

# 3. Academic Ranks and Tenure in Institutes of Higher Education

Dates	Name of Institution and	Rank/Position
	Department	
1996–1998	Tel Aviv University,	Teaching Assistant
	Department of Archaeology	
2000–2005	Tel Aviv University,	Instructor and Doctor
	Department of Archaeology	Instructor
2007–2008	History Department,	Assistant Professor
	University of California, Santa	
	Cruz	
2008–	The Leon Recanati Institute	Senior Researcher
	for Maritime Studies,	
	University of Haifa	
2009-2010	Department of Maritime	Senior Lecturer
	Civilization, University of	(proposed rank)
	Haifa	
2010-	Department of Maritime	Senior Lecturer, tenured
	Civilization, University of	
	Haifa	

#### 4. Offices in University Academic Administration

2007–2008, Member, task force on Classical studies, University of California, Santa Cruz

2007–2008, Member, Jewish Studies Curriculum Committee, University of California, Santa Cruz

\*2010-2011, Coordinator for the International MA Program of the Department of Maritime Civilizations, University of Haifa

\*2012- Chair, Department of Maritime Civilizations, University of Haifa

#### 5. Scholarly Positions and Activities outside the University

## Direction of archaeological excavations and surveys

1989–1992 Project Archaeologist and Excavation Director for the Israel Antiquities Authority. Excavations at *Newe-Yarak* (*Lod*), *Ramat Aviv Gimmel (Tel Aviv)*, *Tel Malot* (*biblical Gibethon*), and *Ramla*.

- 1997–1998 Co-Director, *Netiv Ha'asara* Excavation, MBII–Iron II tell site in the southern coast of Israel, for Ramot Archaeology and the Tel Aviv University Institute of Archaeology
- 1997–1998 Director, *Modi'in/Titora* (West) Excavations, Sites G-96, G-106, G-129, Byzantine and Islamic sites in central Israel, for Ramot Archaeology of Tel Aviv University
- 2003 Co-director, Geophysical survey of the MBIIB palace in Kabri. Tel Aviv University Institute of Archaeology and Department of Geophysics
- 2003 Co-director, *Qiriyat Shmona* excavations, MBIIA fortress site in northern Israel, for the Tel Aviv University Institute of Archaeology and the Israel Institute of Archaeology
- 2003 Co-director, *Kh. Muhayzin* excavations, MBIIA cemetery in southern Israel, for the Tel Aviv University Institute of Archaeology and the Israel Institute of Archaeology
- 2006–2007 Co-director, *Kabri* Regional Study project in collaboration with Prof. E. H. Cline, The George Washington University, Washington, DC, GPS/GIS survey of MB settlements in the western Galilee
- 2005-2013 Co-director, *Kabri* Excavation project in collaboration with Prof. E. H. Cline, The George Washington University, Washington, DC, MBII palace with Minoan-style fresco art. For further information, please see the initial results of the Tel Kabri Project online at: <a href="http://digkabri.wordpress.com/previous-results/">http://digkabri.wordpress.com/previous-results/</a>
- 2009- Director, underwater archaeological survey and publications project, *Tel Achziv*
- \*2012- Co-director, *Tel Achziv* Excavation project in collaboration with Prof. Gwyn Davies, Florida International University. Middle Bronze Age to Roman Period remains
- \*2013- Co-director, *Tel Dor* underwater survey project, in collaboration with Dr. Ayelet Gilboa, University of Haifa

#### Other archaeological activities

- **1986–1989** *Tel Miqne/Ekron* excavations, Hebrew University and W. F. Albright Institute of Archaeology in Jerusalem.
- Assistant Area Supervisor and Area Supervisor at *Tel Maresha* for the Israel Antiquities Authority.
- **1990–1992** Member of the *Gezer* Area Survey Team for the Israel Antiquities Authority.

1997 Excavation at *Ashkelon*, The Leon Levy Expedition
1998 Assistant Area Supervisor, *Megiddo* Expedition
1999 *Halasmenos* publication team, East Crete
1999 *Miletus* excavations, Heidelberg University
2000 *Petras* excavations, Greek Ministry of Culture
2000–2002 Area Supervisor, *Halasmenos* excavations, East Crete
2004 Head of the Tel Aviv University contingent in the Leon Levy Expedition, *Ashkelon* Excavations, Transitional LB–Iron I phases

**2006-2011** *Ashkelon* publication team (Iron I pottery)

# **Editorial Board Membership**

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### 6. Participation in Scholarly Conferences

# a. Active Participation

Date	Name of	Place of	Subject of	Role
	Conference	Conference	Lecture/Discussion	
June 1999	Material	Bar Ilan	The Daughters of	
	Culture, Society	University	Philistia; Towards a	
	and Ideology,		Methodology of Gender	
			and Migration in	
			Archaeology	
16–	ASOR Annual	Cambridge	Social Complexity and	
20/11/1999	Meeting	(MA)	Maritime Migration:	
			Towards a Methodology	
			for the Study of	
			Variability in 12th	
			Century B.C.E	
			Migrations	
27–28	Trade and	The Swedish	Weaving the Sacred and	
November	Production in	Institute in	the Profane	
1999	Premonetary	Athens		
	Greece IX			
	Workshop			
26–30	The 2nd	Lamia	Before the Gates of	
September	International		Troia: Imbros and the	
1999	Interdisciplinary		North-Eastern Aegean	

	Colloquium, "The Periphery of the Mycenaean World		in the 12th Century B.C. (in collaboration with M. Guzowska)	
26–30 September 1999	The 2nd International Interdisciplinary Colloquium, "The Periphery of the Mycenaean World	Lamia	Why Can't We Find the Origin of the Philistines? In Search of the Source of a Peripheral Aegean Culture	
6–9 January 2000	Lighten Our Darkness: Cultural Transformations at the Beginning of the First Millennium BC— From The Alps to Anatolia	Birmingham	Two Centuries of Staying (Mainly) at Home?	
12–15 April 2000	Potnia: Deities and Religion in the Aegean Bronze Age	Gothenburg	The Mother(s) of All Philistines: Aegean Enthroned Deities of the 12th–11th Century Philistia	Invited speaker
April 2001	The Beginnings of the Dark Ages of Greece: LHIII C Chronology and Synchronisms	Vienna	The Absolute Chronology of the LHIIIC Period: A View from the Levant.	
1–6 October 2001	9th International Congress of Cretan Studies	Elounda	Halasmeno Fagito: Burnt Dishes and Scorched Pots. Some Preliminarily Observations on LMIIIC Cooking Ware	
6–9 October 2002	Settlers and Settlements in the Greek Peninsula during Prehistoric Times (9000 to 1000 BC)	Rhodes	The Many Faces of Colonization: 12th Century Aegean Settlements in Cyprus and the Levant	
January 30 to February 1 2003	International Late Bronze Age Conference	Vienna	The Use and Abuse of Mycenaean Pottery in the Chronology of LBA Palestine: A Methodological	

			Approach	
May 28 to June 1 2003	2nd Euroconference of "SCIEM 2000"	Vienna	The Absolute Chronology of the Philistine Settlement	Invited speaker
14–18 April 2004	Emporia, Aegeans in the Central and Eastern Mediterranean. The 10th International Aegean Conference	Italian School of Archaeology in Athens	Imported LHIIIC from Israel. Style, Provenance and Chronology (in collaboration with AL. d'Agata, Y. Goren, and H. Mommsen)	Invited speaker
Sept. 17– 19, 2004	Hittites, Greeks and Their Neighbors in Ancient Anatolia	the Michael C. Carlos Museum of Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia	The Socio-Political Role of Feasting in Palatial Societies: Hatti, Emar and the Mycenaean World (in collaboration with Y. Cohen)	
April 11– 14, 2005	Between the Aegean and the Baltic Sea: Prehistory across Borders	Zagreb	The Balkans and the Orient? Handmade Burnished Ware in Cyprus and the Levant (in collaboration with M. Guzowska)	Invited speaker
20–23 April 2006	11th International Aegean Conference EPOS Reconsidering Greek Epic and Aegean Bronze Age Archaeology	Los Angeles	Poetry in Motion: Canaanite Rulerships and Minoan Narrative Poetry at Tel Kabri (in collaboration with E. H. Cline)	
25–29 March 2008	DAIS, The Aegean Feast	Melbourne	Hard to Handle: Aspects of Organization in Aegean and Near Eastern Feasts	
19–22 November 2008	ASOR Annual Meeting	Boston	In Pursuit of the Philistine Bird: Feasts and Cultic Iconography of the Iron I Period	
8–11 January 2009	AIA Annual Meeting	Philadelphia	Results of the 2005–2008 Seasons at Tel Kabri, Israel (in collaboration with E. H. Cline)	
18–21	ASOR Annual	New	Results of the 2005–	

November 2009	Meeting	Orleans	2009 Seasons at Tel Kabri, Israel (in collaboration with E. H. Cline)	
25-27 March 2010	Materiality and Practice: Transformative Capacities of Intercultural Encounters	Heidelberg	Local Responses to the Aegean Migration to the Southern Levant in the late 2nd Millennium BCE	Invited speaker
2-5 May 2010	The Ancient Near East in the 12 <sup>th</sup> -10 <sup>th</sup> Centuries BCE: Culture and History	University of Haifa	Rethinking the Philistine Paradigm: Urbanization, Conquest, Maritime Migration	
*6-7 November 2010	On Cooking Pots, Drinking Cups Loom Weights and Ethnicity in Bronze Age Cyprus and Neighboring Regions.	Nicosia, the Leventis Foundations	Deep Change in Domestic Behavioural Patterns and Theoretical Aspects of Interregional Interactions in the 12th- Century Levant	Invited speaker
*21 April 2011	The 37 <sup>th</sup> Archaeological Conference in Israel	Bar Ilan University	Migration, Commerce and Variability in Middle Bronze Age Drinking Traditions (in collaboration with I. Samet)	
*21 October 2011	The 11 <sup>th</sup> Cretological Congress	Rethymnon, Crete	New Aegean-style painted plaster from the Canaanite palace at Tel Kabri (in collaboration with Eric H. Cline and Nurith Goshen)	
*18 November 2011	ASOR Annual Meeting	San Francisco	The Four-Dimensional Palace: The Middle Bronze Age Palace of Kabri through Time and Space (in collaboration with E. H. Cline)	
*28 November 2011	GISFOH (ISF- Von Humbotdt Foundation)	Kibbutz Tsubah	The Unorthodox Route to Complex Society: Innovative Aspects of	Invited speaker

* 22 March 2012	Humanity The Recent Archaeological Investigations	Koç University, Istanbul	Palatial Architecture and Aegean Wall Paintings in the Middle	Invited speaker
	in the Amuq Valley of Hatay		Bronze Age: the Cases of Alalakh and Tel Kabri (in collaboration with Eric H. Cline and Nurith Goshen)	
*29 March	Irene Levi-Sala	Ben Gurion	Respondent to Prof.	Invited
2012	Seminar	University	Tim Harrison	speaker
*28-30 October 2012	Ancient Greece and ancient Israel: interactions and parallels (Tenth to fourth centuries BCE)	Tel Aviv University	From Canaanites to Israelites and Phoenicians: Cultural Trajectories in Mediterranean Settings	Invited speaker
*11-17 November 2012	ASOR Annual Meeting	Chicago	Canaanite and Syrian Political Economy of the Early Second Millennium BC	
*11-17 November 2012	ASOR Annual Meeting	Chicago	The Iron II-III of Tel Achziv: New Insights from the Prausnitz Excavation Publication Project (In collaboration with Michael D. Press and Eran Arie)	
*11-14 December 2012	14th International Aegean Conference. PHYSIS. Natural environment and human interaction in the prehistoric Aegean	University Paris 1, Panthéon- Sorbonne,	The Reformed Mountains: Political and Religious Landscapes in the Aegean and the Levant (in collaboration with Eric H. Cline and Nurith Goshen)	Invited speaker
*20-23 November 2013	ASOR Annual Meeting	Baltimore	Rethinking the Tel Kabri Palace (with Eric H. Cline)	
*April 22- 25, 2014	15 <sup>th</sup>	Austrian	Lecturer: The <i>Baetyl</i> and the Stelai: Aniconic	Invited speaker

International	Academy	Traditions in Levantine	
Aegean	of	and Aegean Cult	
Conference	Sciences,		
METAPHYSIS	Vienna		

b. Organization of Conferences or Sessions

	lization of Conferences o		
Date	Name of Conference	Place of Conference	Subject of Conference/ Role at Conference/ Comments
April 29, 2004	Between East and West: Eretz Israel and the Ancient Near East- Intercultural Ties and Innovations in the Second Millennium BCE.	Tel Aviv University	Initiator and Co- organizer (with Yoram Cohen)
November 20, 2008	Round Table: Household Archaeology, American Schools of Oriental Research Annual Meeting, Boston MA	Boston, MA	Initiator and Co- organizer (with Jennie Ebeling and Laura Mazow)
December 4, 2008	Interconnections and Regional Narratives in Mediterranean Archaeology (ca. 1700– 700 BCE)	Institute of Advanced Studies, The Hebrew University, Jerusalem	Initiator and Co- organizer (with Amihai Mazar and Aren Maeir
November 19, 2009	ASOR Annual Meeting	New Orleans, LA	Chair of Session: The Archaeology of Israel
December 23, 2010	Patrician and Palatial: The Middle Bronze Age Sites of Tel Ifshar and Tel Kabri: Workshop of the The Middle Bronze Age Study Group	Haifa University	Initiator and Co- organizer (with David Ilan, Aren Maeir, Ezra Marcus, Joe Uziel)
*November 19, 2011	ASOR Annual Meeting	San Francisco, CA	Chair of Session: ASOR Sponsored Excavations
*November 20-23, 2013	ASOR Annual Meeting	Baltimore	Co-Chair of Session: A Decade of Investigations at Tel Kabri, Israel: 2003-2013

# 7. **Invited Lectures**

Date	Place of Lecture	Name of Forum	<b>Presentation/Comments</b>
17 April	Warsaw	Polish Academy	Great Mothers:
2000		of Science,	Philistine and Canaanite
		Institute of	Goddesses in the Early
		Archaeology and	Iron Age
		Ethnology	
10	New York	INSATP Aegean	Images of Migration:
November		Seminar,	Understanding Philistine
2006		Institute of Fine	Society
		Arts	
7	Cambridge MA	The Semitic	Divine Banquets and
February		Museum of	Infernal Feasts: The
2007		Harvard	Origins of Philistine
		University,	Iconography
8 May	Berkley, CA	Badè Museum of	Orpheus in Paradise and
2008		Biblical	Drinks in Hell: The Uses
		Archaeology	of Iconography in
			Canaanite and Philistine
			Feasts
29	Tel Aviv	Anatolia and the	The Word and the Sherd:
December		Levant,	Itamar Singer and the
2008		Symposium in	Historical
		Honor of Itamar	Contextualization of the
		Singer, Tel Aviv	Canaanites and the
		University	Philistines
17	Jerusalem	Institute for	Kabri Rediscovered
December		Advanced	
2008		Studies, The	
		Hebrew	
		University	
23	Philadelphia	University of	Canaanite Rulership and
November		Pennsylvania	ANE Kingship: Insights
2009			from Tel Kabri
19	Athens	Minoan Seminar.	Missing Rulers and
February		The Athenian	Palaces without Palatial
2010		Archaeological	Economy in Canaan:
		Society, Athens	New Evidence for the
			Role of Aegean Art in
			Near Eastern Palaces
*5 May	Haifa	The Great Sea: A	Kabri and its connections
2011		Bridge between	with the Aegean World
		Nations and	during the Middle
		Cultures. In	Bronze Age
		Memory of	
		Elisha Linder	
		and Avner	
		Raban	
*30 May	Tel Aviv	A Symposium	Heroic Life? LHIIIC
2011		Celebrating the	Iconography in the

*14		publication of the Homer Encyclopedia, Tel Aviv University	Aegean
*14 December	Jerusalem	Bible Lands Museum,	The Canaanites as a
2011		Jerusalem	Mediterranean Society
*8	Tel Aviv	A Symposium	Magic and Loss:
January		Celebrating the	Mediterranean
2012		publication of	Landscapes Before the
		Irad Malkins	Theran Eruption
		book, A Small	
		Greek World, Tel	
		Aviv University	
*May 8,	Louvain-la-Neuve	Special seminar	The Philistines as a
2014	(Belgium) – UCL	presentation of	Social Phenomenon in
		ARC Académie	the 12th Century
		de Louvain	Mediterranean
		"World in	
		Crisis" Project	

# 8. Colloquium Talks

Date	Place of Lecture	Name of	Presentation/Comments
		Forum	
12	Boston	Boston	The Making of Philistine
December		University	Society: Colonial
2006		Department of	Encounters in the 12th
		Archaeology	Century BC.
25 October	Cambridge MA	Archaeology	Landscapes of Rulership:
2006		Wing Seminar	A Middle Bronze Age
		Series, Harvard	Palace at Kabri and a
		University,	Fortress at Qiriat
		Department of	Shmona, Israel.
		Anthropology	
24 April	Los Angeles	The Cotsen	The Middle Bronze Age
2006		Institute, UCLA	Fortress at Qiriat
			Shemona (South) and
			Urbanization in the
			Southern Levant.
21	Jerusalem	Department of	The Mycenaean Feast
December,		Classics, The	according to Linear B
2008		Hebrew	Sources.
		University	
*15	Jerusalem	Department of	Architecture and Social

January,	Archaeology,	Stratification in the MB
2012	The Hebrew	
	University	

# 9. Research Grants

# a. Grants Awarded

Role in Research	Co-Researchers	Topic	Funded by	Year
co-PI	Dr. Anna-Lucia D'Agata, CNR, Rome	typological and provenance study of LHIIIC pottery from Israel, \$5000	Institute of Aegean Prehistory	2002
co-PI	Dr. Eric Cline, The George Washington University	Excavations in Kabri, \$15,000	Institute of Aegean Prehistory	2005
co-PI	Dr. Eric Cline, The George Washington University	Regional Study of Kabri, \$35,000	Institute of Aegean Prehistory	2006– 2007
co-PI	Prof. Amihai Mazar, Hebrew University and Prof. Aren Maeir, Bar Ilan University	Grant to codirect an International Research Group, titled "Interconnection and Regional Narratives in Mediterranean Archaeology"	Institute of Advanced Studies, The Hebrew University in Jerusalem	2008
co-PI	Dr. Eric H. Cline, The George Washington University	Excavations at Tel Kabri, \$30,000	Institute of Aegean Prehistory	2008
PI	,	ISF publication assistance grant, \$2,000	ISF	2009
co-PI	Dr. Eric H. Cline, The George Washington University	Excavations at Tel Kabri, \$20,000	Institute of Aegean Prehistory	2009
PI	Prof. Andrew Koh, Tufts University, Dr. Ruth Shahack-Gross, Weizmann Institute, Prof. Guy Bar-Oz, University of Haifa, Dr. David Ben-Shlomo, The Hebrew University, Prof. Hans Mommsen, Bonn	ISF Grant 848/10, MB Palatial Economy at Kabri, NIS 444,000 (ca.\$ 115,000)	Israel Science Foundation	2010- 2012

	University			
*PI		Underwater survey at Achziv NIS 5000 (ca. \$1400)	Research Authority, University of Haifa	2010
*PI		Underwater survey at Achziv \$4000	Office of the President and office of the Rector, University of Haifa	2010
*Co-PI	Dr. Eric H. Cline, The George Washington University	Excavations at Tel Kabri, \$10,000	Institute of Aegean Prehistory	2011
*Co-PI	Dr. Michael Press	Achziv, Publication of the 1963-1964 Prasunitz excavations, \$52,000	The White- Levy publication grant	2011
*Co-PI	Dr. Eric H. Cline, The George Washington University	Excavations at Tel Kabri, \$10,000	Institute of Aegean Prehistory	2012

# b. Submission of Research Proposals - Pending

PI: ISF Proposal No. 254/14 House and Palace at Tel Kabri

# c. Submission of Research Proposals – Denied

Role in Research	Co-Researchers	Topic	Funded by	Year	Score
PI	None	The Bronze and Iron Age Port at Achziv	Yad Hanadiv, Hirschfeld Grant	2009, 2010	Short listed (one of top four proposals)
PI	Prof. Andrew Koh, Brandeis University, Prof. Guy Bar-Oz, University of Haifa, Dr. David Ben- Shlomo, The Hebrew University, Prof. Hans Mommsen, Bonn University	House and Palace at Tel Kabri	ISF	2013	A (Very good)

Co-PI	Prof. Gideon	Rethinking	Institute	2014-
	Shelach, Dr. and Dr.	palaces in	for	2015
	Sharon Zuckerman of	Asia, Europe	Advanced	
	the Hebrew	and Africa:	Studies,	
	University	an inter-	The	
	-	regional	Hebrew	
		comparative	University:	
		analysis	Research	
		-	Group for	

# 10. Scholarships, Awards and Prizes

1998–1999	Ph.D. scholarship from the Malcolm H. Wiener foundation (twice), \$12,000 (total)
1998–1999 (total)	The Greek Ministry of Foreign Affairs Scholarship (twice), \$12,000
1999 2000	The ASOR travel grant, \$1000 The Nathan Rotenstreich Scholarship for Excellence in Humanities
(after Ph.D.) 2006	Rothschild Post-Doctoral Fellowship, \$22,000
2006	Fulbright Post-Doctoral Fellowship, \$24,000

# 11. **Teaching**

# a. Courses Taught in Recent Years

Year	Name of Course	Type of Course Lecture/Seminar/ Workshop/High Learn Course/ Introduction Course (Mandatory)	Degree	Numbers of Students
Tel Aviv Universit y 1996- 1998, 2002- 2006	Selected Topics in the Archaeology of Syro- Palestine (with Dr. Shlomo Bunimovitz). (1996)	Seminar	B.A.	Ca. 25

A	elected Reading in the rchaeology of Syro- alestine (1996, 1997)	Lecture	B.A.	Ca. 25
	elected Site: Hazor (with rof. Pirhiya Beck) (1997)	Seminar	B.A.	Ca. 25
T	he Archaeology of ligration in Israel (with r. Yuval Goren) (1997)	Seminar	B.A.	Ca. 20
A	ntroduction to the egean Bronze Age 2002–2005)	Lecture	B.A.	Ca. 30
	he 12 <sup>th</sup> Century in the egean (2002)	Lecture	B.A.	Ca. 20
in	onflict and Aggression the Early Aegean ociety (2002)	Lecture	B.A.	Ca. 25
l M	Iinoans and Iycenaean Abroad 2002)	Lecture	B.A.	Ca. 20
(v	he Greek Dark Ages vith Dr. Shlomo unimovitz)	Seminar	B.A.	Ca. 20
G B	Vomen, Children and ender in the Aegean ronze Age (2002, 2004, 2006)	Lecture	B.A.	Ca. 25
D	he Sea Peoples (with r. Shlomo Bunimovitz) (2002)	Seminar	M.A.	Ca. 20
R	dinoan and Mycenaean eligion and Mythology 2003, 2006)	Lecture	B.A.	Ca. 25
C Si	ame Over: the End of ultures (with Dr. hlomo Bunimovitz)	Seminar	M.A.	Ca. 20

	Scripts and Archives in the Bronze Age Aegean (with Prof. Margalit Finkelberg) (2003)	Lecture	B.A.	Ca. 20
	The Palaces of Crete and the Mainland (with Dr. Shlomo Bunimovitz) (2003)	Seminar	B.A.	Ca. 20
	Homer and Mycenae: The Origins of the Epic Tradition (with Prof. Margalit Finkelberg) (2004)	Lecture	B.A.	Ca. 25
	Introduction to the Archaeology of Syro- Palestine (2004)	Lecture	B.A.	Ca. 45
	What is Archaeology? An Introduction to Archeology (2004)	Lecture	B.A.	Ca. 65
	Bread and Wine: Mediterranean Foodways in Antiquity (with Prof. Yuval Goren) (2004)	Seminar	M.A.	Ca. 20
	Nestor's People: Mycenaean Material Culture in the 13th Century B.C. (2004)	Seminar	B.A.	Ca. 15
	The Philistines from Migration to Assimilation (2005)	Seminar	M.A.	Ca. 15
	Life in the Middle Bronze Age Palaces of Crete, Syria, Israel, and Egypt (2005)	Seminar	B.A.	Ca. 20
Universit y of California , Santa	Introduction to the Archaeology of Israel	Lecture	B.A	Ca. 40

<u>C</u>				
<u>Cruz</u>				
<u>2007–</u>				
<u>2008</u>				
	Introduction to the Cultures of the Ancient Near East	Lecture	B.A	Ca. 105
	The Canaanites	Seminar	B.A	Ca. 20
Universit y of Haifa,	Introduction to Maritime Civilization	Lecture	M.A.	Ca. 25
2008– 2014				
	Maritime Colonizations	Seminar	M.A.	Ca. 10
	Introduction to the Cultures of the Aegean Sea	Introduction	M.A.	Ca. 20
	Trade in the eastern Mediterranean	Seminar	M.A.	Ca. 12
	*Harbors and Anchorages in the Bronze and Iron Ages	Class	M.A.	Ca. 7
	*Material culture at Sea	Class	M.A.	Ca. 15
	*Trade in the Eastern Mediterranean	Seminar	M.A.	Ca. 8

# b. Supervision of Graduate Students

Name of	Title of Thesis	Degree	Date of	Details of
Student			Completion / in Progress	Publication
Inbal Samet (In collaboration with Prof. Eric H. Cline, the George Washington University) Kathleen J.	The Role of International Trade in the Formation of a Mediterranean Coastal Economy: The Case Study of the Middle Bronze Age Polity of Kabri Sea People or Syrian	Ph.D.	In Progress	D13, E21, F18
Birney (Harvard University)	Peddlers? The Late Bronze Age–Iron I Aegean Presence in Syrian and Cilicia			
*Michal Mathov (in collaboration with Dr. Dani Kerem and Dr. I. Alvaro)	Macroalgae as Bio-Fuel: An examination of environmental factors influencing growth rate and carbohydrate content and reviewing the history fuel production from plants	M.A.	2011	
*Matthew Susnow (in collaboration with Dr. Gil Gambash and Prof. Eric H. Cline, The George Washington University)	The Coastal and Inland Traditions of Cultic Architecture and Furnishings in Middle Bronze Canaan	M.A.	2013	
*Diego Barkan (in collaboration with Prof.	An Analysis of the finds from the Wreck Dor 2006	M.A.	In Progress	D15

Yaacov				
Kahanov)				
*Mikey	The Cargo of the Ship	M.A.	In Progress	
Holzman (in	Dor C	141.21.	In 1 rogress	
collaboration	Doi C			
with Prof.				
Yaacov				
Kahanov)				
*Michal	The Universal	Ph.D.	In Dragnaga	
	Characteristics of	FII.D.	In Progress	
Groman (in				
collaboration	Ancient Maritime			
with Dr. Gil	Migrations			
Gambash)	TT1 4 1 1	3.6.4	Y 75	
*Eran	The Ancient Anchorages	M.A.	In Progress	
Nissenbaum (in	of Tel Achziv			
collaboration				
with Prof.				
Yaacov				
Kahanov and				
Dr. Dorit				
Sivan)				
*Aaron Greener	ate Bronze Age Imported	Ph.D.	In Progress,	
(in	ttery in the Land of Israel:		Bar Ilan	
collaboration	tween Economy, Society		University	
with Prof.	d Symbolism			
Avraham Faust,				
Bar Ilan				
University)				
*Ehud Arkin	Marine Installations from	M.A.	In Progress	
(in	the Roman and Crusader			
collaboration	Period at Dor's North			
with Dr. Gil	Bay			
Gambash)				
*Keren Engolz	Marine Installations in	M.A.	In Progress	
(in	Dor's South Bay			
collaboration				
with Dr.				
Michael Lazar)				
*Joe Pacheco	An Exploration of State-	M.A.	Proposal to	
(in	Sponsored Piracy from	1,1,1,1	be submitted	
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#### J. Other Works Connected with my Scholarly Field

- 1. Reviewer for research proposals in archaeology for the *Israel Science Foundation*
- 2. Reviewer of scientific papers for the *Bulletin of the American schools of Oriental Research (BASOR)*
- \*3. Reviewer of scientific papers for *Antiquity*
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## **Summary of my Activities and Future Plans**

My research is primarily concerned with the ways that the cultures of the Eastern Mediterranean during the Bronze and Early Iron Ages (e.g. Canaanites, Philistines, Myceaneans and Cypriots) interacted with each other resulting in the transmission of ideas and world views. I use a multidisciplinary approach, combining historical analysis of Bronze and Iron Age literary sources, anthropological theory, and various material culture remains, in order to create a rich and multi-layered picture of the development of complex societies in the eastern Mediterranean.

One area of research is an examination of the Canaanite political economy, and the impact of Mediterranean economy, ecology and intercultural contact on the formation of the Canaanite palatial system during the Middle Bronze Age (see book project **K1**). Another area of research is the degree to which Canaanite and early Israelite concepts of self identity, as well as images of the other, were formed, negotiated, and strengthened by maritime trade with the Aegean civilizations and later Greek culture. I also investigate the impact the Philistines, migrating by sea and land, had on the formation of political, social, and economic structures during the Iron Age (book **B1**, see also below). To tackle these questions, I am engaged in several research projects, including ongoing excavations both on land and underwater as well as analysis and publication of material culture remains. Most of these studies are conducted as international cooperative projects and have been awarded significant research grants. These ongoing and planned research projects include:

### I. Excavations at Tel Kabri: The Center of a Canaanite Coastal Polity

The aim of the Tel Kabri project is to gain insights into Canaanite palatial economy, which has been little studied until now, and thereby fill a void in the intercultural study of the role of palaces in complex societies. Another aim is to investigate the connections between the Aegean (Minoan and Cycladic) cultures of the Levant during the Middle Bronze Age, leading to the painting of Aegean-style wall paintings at the palace of Kabri. Our starting point for this research is the realization, to be further

explained below, that the political economy of Canaanite palaces during the early 2<sup>nd</sup> millennium BCE may have been significantly different than other political economies of the Eastern Mediterranean and that there is a need to find an alternative model which will explain this difference.

Tel Kabri is located in the western Galilee, providing a unique opportunity to retrieve critical data concerning the Canaanite political elite and its external connections. Previous excavations (1986-1993) led by the late Prof. Aharon Kempinski and Prof. Wolf-Dietrich Niemeier partially uncovered the remains of a Middle Bronze Age Canaanite palace, decorated with Minoan-style fresco paintings, the earliest Western art in the Orient.

In 2005 I resumed the excavations at Tel Kabri, in primary collaboration with Prof. Eric H. Cline of The George Washington University (Washington, D.C.) and Prof. Andrew Koh of Brandeis University (Boston, MA). Other institutions collaborating with us are the University of Zagreb (Croatia). The renewed excavations, and associated regional study, have been funded by generous grants from the Institute of Aegean Prehistory (INSTAP) for the summers of 2005-2013 to date, as well as an ISF grant. During the 2013 season the excavation attracted ca. 60 volunteers and staff, mostly from the US and Israel, and offered a fieldschool which provided college credit via the University if Haifa. I believe that with the significant results of the first five seasons we stand an excellent chance not only to maintain our current funding, but to attract additional external sources to support the fieldwork.

In 2003, I conducted a remote-sensing survey in the area of the previously-excavated palace at Tel Kabri, employing electrical conductivity and magnetometer techniques to determine whether the Middle Bronze II Canaanite palace might have been considerably larger than the previous excavation team had originally estimated. Preliminary indications were positive and so we initiated an exploratory excavation season, conducted in July-August 2005. This demonstrated that our remote-sensing results were correct; the Middle Bronze II Canaanite palace appears to be as much as twice as big as the previous excavation team had thought (probably measuring some 3000-4000 sq. m., rather than only 2000 sq.m.).

In the meantime, we felt it necessary to conduct a related regional archaeology study, examining the development of the kingdom of Kabri, before beginning a full-fledged excavation campaign. During the summers of 2006 and 2007 we visited and recorded the settlement remains in more than 30 sites around Kabri, mapping towns, villages, forts, and harbour sites that were governed by the rulers of Kabri throughout the Middle Bronze Age (Yasur-Landau, Cline and Pierce 2008 **D11**). In the summer of 2008, 2009, the winter of 2009/10, 2011 and 2013 we have returned to excavate the palace, enabling us to retrieve chrono-stratigraphic data from the entire history of the MB palace—from a pre-palatial period through to final destruction. Some notable finds include:

1. Additional fragments Aegean style wall paintings, bringing the total number of Aegean-style paintings at the site to five separate examples (Cline, Yasur-Landau and Goshen 2011 **D12**).

- 2. A two-room complex within the palace, its walls covered with orthostats, that was very likely used for elite banquets (Yasur-Landau et al. 2012 **D13**)
- 3. A storage complex within the palace found in the summer of 2013, containing dozens of large storage jars. (New York Times story

http://www.nytimes.com/2013/11/23/science/in-ruins-of-palace-a-wine-with-hints-of-cinnamon-and-top-notes-of-antiquity.html? r=0)

Furthermore, several studies were dedicated to social and economic aspects of palatial and domestic life at the site: these include a study of textile production (Goshen, Yasur-Landau, Cline 2013 E27) banqueting practices (Yasur-Landau, Cline and Samet 2011 E21; Yasur-Landau and Samet D16 accepted F18), and animal husbandry (Marom et al. accepted D17). Initial results point to a surprising similarity between patterns of consumption of pottery and animal in the palace to that found in MB domestic contexts, opening the possibility that the Kabri palatial economy had at least some traits of an *Oikos* economy.

It is my plan to continue to lead the international team at Tel Kabri in the excavation of the Canaanite palace, one of the very few examples in Israel of monumental or palatial remains from this period, the only example of a site with direct artistic connections with the Minoan world. The results of the 2005-2011 seasons are due to appear in the Kabri II volume, currently under contract with Brill. The excavation of further contexts at the palaces, as well as domestic structures outside it will enable further comparative of the palatal economy at the site. Following most promising pilot studies, I intend to add additional analytical methods: organic residue analysis that will provide dtat on the goods consumed at the palace and houses, and stable isotope analysis that will enable us to locate the origin of the animals consumed at the site.

II. Tel Achziv. Tel Dor and the Exploration of Bronze and Iron Age Harbor Sites
The mechanisms of interregional maritime interconnections in a Mediterranean
setting cannot be fully understood without a thorough investigation of the ancient
harbour sites which have been the gateways to such contacts. I have therefore started
two different field project at Tel Achziv and Tel Dor, combining underwater survey
and excavations with coastal excavations.

**A. Tel Achziv** Raban and Linder's pioneering work, carried out in the 1960s and 1970s, resulted in the tentative identification of northern port sites, with an emphasis on Acco, while a hypothesis for the exact location of the harbour at Achziv, south of the Tel was also put forward.

I have conducted underwater surveys have been conducted at the site and well as of the nearby Achziv islets from 2009-2013, and a two-week underwater excavation took place in 2012. In addition, a one month coastal excavation, in collaboration with Prof. Gwyn Davies of Florida International University took part in the summer of 2012. These were the first excavations of the western, sea facing, part of the site. One focus of research was the northern part of the Tel, close to the estuary of Nahal Keziv. We conducted excavations and documentation of the Roman period fish pond, and possible Roman period remains immediately to its east. Our excavations have reached also Middle Bronze Age levels, confirming that the site continued to the west

at this period. Another focus of research was at the southern edge of the tel, at the estuary of Nahak Shaal, the place in which Raban hypothesized the ancient anchorage was located. While the rock cut channel thought by Raban to by of pre-Roman era turned to be modern, underwater survey and excavations to the south of the estuary exposed evidence for maritime activity, very likely of pre-roman era, including stone anchors and pottery. Coastal excavations immediately south of the tell, as the estuary, have exposed the fragmentary remains of Late Iron Age structures, indicating that the ancient estuary was very likely located more to the south. Additional work currently conducted in relation to Achziv is the publication, in collaboration with Dr. Michael D. Press of the results of the 1963-64 excavations on the Tel conducted by M. Prausnitz. Aided by a three year White-Levy publication grant, it is expected that the first articles from this project with appear in 2014. These excavations are a treasure trove for the study of Achziv as a coastal site, as they include a large Iron II Phoenician storeroom, containing storage jars, and one of the largest assemblages of imported Cypriot pottery of the Middle Bronze Age found in Israel to date. Besides the publication of the excavations and surveys conducted, future plans for Achziv include a detailed geomorphological study of the site, including coring, that will enable to reconstructs the ancient coastline in various periods.

B. Tel Dor. Coastal excavations by Prof. Avner Raban have uncovered during the 1980's evidence for maritime installations by Tel Dor, with Iron (and perhaps Bronze Age) quays in the south bay, and Persian-Roman period installations and structures in the north bay. Since then, excavations by Dr. Ayelet Gilboa of the University of Haifa and Prof. Ilan Sharn of the Hebrew university have provided important results on the Iron Age and later sequence of this key coastal site. In 2013, in collaboration with Dr. Ayelet Gilboa, I have started a systematic underwater survey of both north and south bays of Dor. The survey was conducted in various seasons of the year, to follow shift in the sand. It is the first time that such survey is conducted with the help of GPS, pinpointing the exact location of every find. Initial results show great promise and potential for additional underwater and coastal excavations. In the south bay, the spatial distribution of stone anchors suggests that boats did not anchor by the quays excavated by Raban, but rather to the south of them, by the now sandy coast to the south of the tel. As for the north bay, an underwater structure made of column drums and building stones was located, yielding some crusader pottery, perhaps a makeshift quay. A concentration of stone anchors and restorable amphora at the north of this bay may indicate a possible Late Iron Age or Persian period wreck. Following this survey, it is my intention to conduct underwater and small scale coastal excavations in collaboration with Dr. Gilboa and Prof. Sharon in both bays. In the south bay the sandy area to the south of tel will be surveyed in geophysical methods, aiming to find additional installations currently covered in sand. Possible targets from this survey, as well as possible submerged structure south west of the tel will be investigated by excavation. In the north bay. The possible wreck site, as well as the possible quay will be also investigated by excavation.

The study of the Philistine migration, arguably the earliest Aegean migration to the Levant, provides numerous opportunities to examine the impact of a migrating society on the target country, as well as the processes of assimilation and cultural transmission affecting the migrants. In studying the Philistines, I use the Egyptian, Ugaritic, and Linear B sources, together with current anthropological theories of migration and archaeological data to explore the causes, route, and social composition of the migration of the Philistines to the Levant in the 12<sup>th</sup> century BC (Yasur-Landau 2010, **B1**). Future studies are planned which will focus on the impact of the Philistine culture upon the coastal Canaanite culture, as well as on the formation of early Israelite culture.

The archaeological database for the understanding of Canaanite and Philistine interrelations will be based upon a typological study of the Aegean-Style and Canaanite pottery from the Philistine city of Ashkelon (conducted in collaboration with Lawrence E. Stager, Harvard University, and Daniel Master, Wheaton College). The first, typological, part of the project is currently complete, and a complete pottery study be will appear in the Ashkelon Iron I volume (Master, Stager and Yasur-Landau 2011 (2013) D14, Yasur-Landau, Master and Walton, accepted E33). In the next few years I plan to estimate the cultural, demographic and economic impact that the Philistine migration had on the Canaanite population of the coastal plain and the Israelite population of the central hill country. For instance, during the 12th century the Canaanite countryside was destroyed by the Philistines, with a possible surge of refugees occurring as a result; many of these refugees may have joined the early Israelite settlements in the hill country. Later, during the 11<sup>th</sup> century, the expansion of the Philistines to the north, which reached the Yarkon river, may have caused a series of encounters with the Israelite population, with possible far-reaching impacts upon the formation of Israelite group identity.

Results relevant to this project have already been published in various periodicals, especially on aspects of gender, religion, and chronology in the Philistine migration (e.g. Yasur Landau 1999 **F1**, 2001 **F2**, 2003 **D4**, 2003 **F4,F5**; 2005 **D8**, 2007 **F8**, 2008 **E8**, 2010 **B1**, **E 17**; 2012 **F 16**, **F17** Sweeney and Yasur-Landau 1999 **D3**; Bunimovitz and Yasur-Landau 2003 **F3**).