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**Academic Degrees:**

- Ph.D., 1996, Department of Chemistry, Technion.
- M.Sc., 1992, Department of Chemistry, Technion.
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**Appointments:**

- 2007-** Head Chemistry R&D Group, Chemistry and Materials Department, Rafael.
- 2002-2007** Senior Lecturer, Department of Chemistry, Technion
- 1999-2002** Lecturer, Department of Chemistry, Technion.
- 1998-1999** Guest researcher, Department of Pharmaceutical Sciences, University of Antwerp.
- 1996-1998** Post Doctorate Fellow, Department of Chemistry, University of Groningen.
- 1989-1996** Teaching assistant, Department of Chemistry, Technion.

**Theses:**

- Ph.D. theses, 1996, "Steric Effects in Gas Phase Protonation Processes upon Chemical Ionization Mass Spectrometry".
- M.Sc. theses, 1992, "Mechanistic Studies of [2+2] Photocycloaddition".

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10. Denekamp, C.; Mandelbaum, A. “*Proton Transfer via Strained Transition States in the Elimination of Alcohols from  $MH^+$  Ions of Stereoisomeric Diethers and Hydroxy*

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20. Denekamp, C. and Tsoglin, A. “*Development of Mass Spectrometric Method for Analysis of Novel Cyclic Nitramine Explosives - DTIW and HNIW*” *Anal. Chem., 77*, 7796-7800, 2005 (DOI: 10.1021/ac051326z).
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