

# Dr. Orly Lewis

## CV

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### Education

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| PhD (2014) | Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin (Institut für Klassische Philologie). ( <i>Summa cum Laude</i> ) |
| MA (2010)  | Tel-Aviv University (Classics Department). ( <i>Summa cum Laude</i> ).                          |
| BA (2007)  | Tel-Aviv University (Departments of History and Classics). ( <i>Summa cum laude</i> ).          |

### Current Positions and Affiliations

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| 2020 –           | SENIOR LECTURER<br><i>Hebrew University of Jerusalem</i><br>Department of Classics   |
| 2020 – 2025      | PI<br>ERC-Starting Grant: <i>Anatomy in Ancient Greece and Rome: An Interactive Visual and Textual Atlas</i> (ATLOMY)                  |
| Oct. – Dec. 2019 | VISTING FELLOW<br>Einstein Center <i>Chronoi</i> , Berlin  |
| 2016 – 2020      | POST-DOCTORAL FELLOW<br><i>Hebrew University of Jerusalem</i><br>Martin Buber Society of Fellows in the Humanities and Social Sciences |

### Former Employment and Affiliations

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| 2017 – 2018 | TEACHING ASSOCIATE<br><i>Hebrew University of Jerusalem</i><br>Department of History / Department of Classics   |
| 2015 – 2016 | POST-DOCTORAL FELLOW<br><i>Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin</i><br>Institut für Klassische Philologie<br>and Excellence Cluster TOPOI (“The Formation and Transformation of Space and Knowledge in Ancient Civilizations”)<br>Group D-2: <i>Mapping Body and Soul</i> |
| 2014        | VISITING SCHOLAR<br><i>Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin</i><br>Institut für Klassische Philologie   |

2011 – 2013 DOCTORAL FELLOW  
*Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin*  
 Institut für Klassische Philologie (Alexander von Humboldt research group:  
*Medicine of the Mind, Philosophy of the Body – Discourses of Health and Well-Being in the Ancient World*).

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### Teaching

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2018 DIAGNOSTICS AND THERAPEUTICS IN ANTIQUITY  
*Undergraduate seminar*  
 Department of History  
 Hebrew University of Jerusalem, summer semester. (In Hebrew)

2016/2017 BODY, SOUL AND ENSOULLED BODIES: PRE-MODERN IDEAS OF BODY, SOUL,  
 HEALTH AND ILLNESS IN THE WESTERN WORLD  
*Graduate seminar*  
 Department of History  
 Hebrew University of Jerusalem, summer semester. (In Hebrew)

2015/2016 MENTAL HEALTH AND ILLNESS IN ANCIENT MEDICAL TEXTS  
 (co-taught with Philip van der Eijk and Ricardo Julião)  
*Undergraduate seminar*  
 Department of Classics  
 Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, summer semester. (In German)

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### SUPERVISION OF GRADUATE STUDENTS

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2016 – Present Postdoctoral scholars in Germany and Israel cannot act as official supervisors. Nevertheless, I have been actively involved in informal supervision at The Hebrew University of Jerusalem: **2 MA students** in *History and Philosophy of Science*; **1 PhD student** in *Art History*; **1 PhD student** in *Cultural Studies*. This includes: guidance in planning and writing the thesis, and preparing for national and international conferences; consulting on international applications; writing reference letters for scholarships in Israel.

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### Large-Scale Grants

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2020 – 2025 **STARTING GRANT** of the *European Research Committee* (Horizon 2020)  
 (€1.5 million)  
Title: *Anatomy in Ancient Greece and Rome: An Interactive Visual and Textual Atlas*

## Commissions of Trust

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- 2019 – Member of Academic Board  
*Sydney M. Edelstein Center for the History and Philosophy of Science, Technology and Medicine*
- 2017 – 2018 Member of planning and review committee of the Podcast Series *Research Bites*, of the Martin Buber Society of Fellows
- 2014 – 2018 Reviewer of publications for the following journals and publishers: *Mnemosyne* (2014); *Ancient History Bulletin* (2016); *Historia Scientiarum* (2016); *Routledge* (2016); *Classical Antiquity* (2018)
- 2016 Grant proposal reviewer, *Israel Science Foundation*

## Organisation of Conferences and Workshops

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- 2020 Organiser, INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP, ‘Diagnosing Body and Soul’ (The Edelstein Centre for the History and Philosophy of Science, Technology and Medicine, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel)
- 2016 – Present Co-Organiser, tri-weekly READING GROUP ‘*Galen in Greek and Arabic*’ (Martin Buber Society of Fellows and Classics Department, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel).
- 2018 Co-Organiser, WORKSHOP ‘*Un/Certainty*’ (Zukunftskolleg, University of Konstanz, Germany). [www.uni-konstanz.de/zukunftskolleg/events/review-on-past-events/single-review-on-past-events/uncertainty/](http://www.uni-konstanz.de/zukunftskolleg/events/review-on-past-events/single-review-on-past-events/uncertainty/)
- 2017 Co-Organiser, INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE: ‘*Somatic-Times: Understanding the Relations between Human Bodies and Conceptions of Time*’ (Martin Buber Society of Fellows, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Israel). <http://buberfellows.huji.ac.il/node/397>
- 2015 Co-Organiser, INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE: ‘*The Concept of Pneuma after Aristotle*’ (Excellence Cluster TOPOI, Berlin, Germany). [www.topoi.org/event/29112/](http://www.topoi.org/event/29112/)
- 2015 Co-Organiser, INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP: ‘*The Pneumatist “School(?)”: Doctrines and Representation*’ (Excellence Cluster TOPOI, Berlin, Germany). [www.topoi.org/event/27811](http://www.topoi.org/event/27811)
- 2013 Organiser, INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP: ‘*The Fragmented Puzzle: problems and methodologies in the collection and interpretation of ancient medical and philosophical fragments*’ (Institute of Classics, Humboldt University of Berlin, Germany). [www.classicsmedicine.org/news/archiv/fragmented-puzzle-2013](http://www.classicsmedicine.org/news/archiv/fragmented-puzzle-2013)
- 2012 Co-Organiser, INTERNATIONAL READING GROUP of Pseudo-Aristotle, *De Spiritu* (Institute of Classics, Humboldt University of Berlin, Germany). [www.classicsmedicine.org/news/archiv/reading-group-de-spiritu](http://www.classicsmedicine.org/news/archiv/reading-group-de-spiritu)

## Further Academic Activities and Training

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- 2016 – 2017 ANATOMY/DISSECTION LABS, School of Medicine (Hebrew University of Jerusalem).
- 2016 – 2017 ANATOMY/DISSECTION LABS, Veterinary School (Hebrew University of Jerusalem).
- 2015 – 2016 SCIENTIFIC ADVISOR for the exhibition “The Soul is an Octopus. Ancient Ideas of Life and the Body”, Medizinhistorisches Museum der Charite, Berlin. <https://www.topoi.org/knowledge-transfer/exhibitions-and-events/mapping-body-and-soul/>
- 2013 – 2015 ARABIC-SYRIAC READING GROUP of medical texts and translations (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin).
- 2009 – 2010 SCIENTIFIC ADVISOR for ancient history fiction and non-fiction books (Publishers: Kinneret Zmora-Bitan Dvir; Carmel – Israel).

## Honours, Awards and Stipends

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- 2019 YOUNG HISTORIAN PRIZE of the *Académie Internationale d’Histoire de Sciences*.
- 2018 SHLOMO PINES PRIZE for outstanding young scholars
- 2016 – POST-DOCTORAL STIPEND (awarded by the MB Society of Fellows, HUJI).
- 2015 – 2016 POST-DOCTORAL STIPEND (awarded by the Excellence Cluster TOPOI, Berlin).
- 2011 – 2013 DOCTORAL STIPEND (awarded by Prof. Philip van der Eijk via the AvH-Stiftung).
- 2007 – 2010 RESEARCH ASSISTANT STIPEND (awarded by Dr. Orna Harari via the ISF).
- 2010 LEVKOWICH-FUND SCHOLARSHIP for students of the history of medicine.
- 2009 DEAN’S SCHOLARSHIP for MA students, Faculty of Humanities, Tel-Aviv University.
- 2008 DEAN’S LIST DISTINCTION, Faculty of Humanities, Tel-Aviv University.
- 2007 WOLF FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP.
- 2007 RECTOR’S LIST DISTINCTION, Tel-Aviv University.
- 2006 SCHOLARSHIP FOR DISTINCTION, Department of Classics, Tel-Aviv University.

## Voluntary and Community Work

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- 2018 – Weekly visits of elderly people living alone – providing companionship and performing basic medical checkups (“*Ten Kavod*” project).
- 2008 – 2009 Guide at ‘*HavaYeda*’ science museum for young children (Rehovot, Israel) (“*Perech*” Project).
- 2007 – 2008 Tutor of a student with learning disabilities (“*Perech*” Project).