

CV - Solomon Vishkautsan

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A. Personal Details

- Full name: Solomon Vishkautsan
- Date of birth (month/year): April 1979
- Country of birth: Moldova (Former USSR)
- Date of immigration to Israel: 01.03.1980
- Citizenship: Israel
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B. Higher Education

1997-2000: Bachelor of Science in double major program in Mathematics and Computer Science, Faculty of Exact Sciences, Tel Aviv University.

2004-2007: Master of Science in Pure Mathematics, Department of Mathematics, Bar-Ilan University, Israel.

Advisor: Gregory Soifer

Date received: June 28, 2007

Summa cum laude

2008-2013 PhD in Pure Mathematics, Department of Mathematics, Bar-Ilan University, Israel.

Advisors: Boris Kunyavskii, Tatiana Bandman.

Date received: June 20, 2013

C. Academic Appointments and Academic Administrative Positions in Institutions of Higher Education

2013-2014: Postdoctoral fellow, Department of Mathematics, Ben-Gurion University, Israel.

Hosts: Dmitry Kerner and Ilya Tyomkin

2014-2016: Postdoctoral fellow, ERC-Advanced Grant "Diophantine Problems", Scuola Normale Superiore, Pisa, Italy.

Host: Umberto Zannier

2016-2017: Postdoctoral fellow, Minerva Foundation fellowship, University of Bayreuth, Germany.

Host: Michael Stoll

2017-pres: Lecturer, Tel-Hai Academic College, Israel.

D. Teaching

2008-2013: Teaching Assistant, Department of Mathematics, Bar-Ilan University.

Courses: Abstract Algebra 1, Abstract Algebra 2, Abstract Algebra 3, Discrete Mathematics (for computer science), Topology.

2013 Teaching Assistant, College of Management - Academic Studies, Israel.

Courses: Calculus I (for computer science), Linear Algebra I (for computer science)

2013-2014: Lecturer, Department of Mathematics, Bar-Ilan University.

Courses: Game Theory (master course in Financial Math.), Discrete Mathematics.

2013-2014: Lecturer, Department of Mathematics, Ben-Gurion University.

Courses: Calculus I (for computer science).

2017-pres: Lecturer, Tel-Hai Academic College.

Courses: Probability, Modern Algebra, Calculus 1 & 2 (for biology), Calculus 2 (for computer science), Linear Algebra (for computer science).

E. Supervision of Graduate Students

N/A

F. Research Grants In chronological order (from old to new)

2008-2013: Milgat Hanasi of Bar-Ilan University

Total amount: 40,000 NIS

G. Awards and Fellowships

2016-2017: Minerva fellowship foundation.

Total amount: 25000 Euros.

H. Active Participation in Conferences

Apr 2013: Advances in number theory and dynamical systems, Bristol University.

Title: Residual periodicity on algebraic varieties.

Jan 2014: 3rd Swiss-French workshop on algebraic geometry, Enney, Switzerland.

Title: Arithmetic dynamics and residual periodicity of birational automorphisms of cubic surfaces.

Jun 2015: Summary on ERC scientific activities in Diophantine problems at SNS, Cetraro.

Title: Rational functions with a periodic critical point.

Dec 2015: RTG Workshop in Arithmetic Dynamics, University of Michigan.

Title: Quadratic maps with a periodic critical point (poster)

Apr 2016: Dynamics and Graphs over Finite Fields: Algebraic, Number Theoretic and Algorithmic Aspects, CIRM, Luminy.

Title: Rational periodic points of rational functions (special session lecture).

Aug 2016: Workshop on Arithmetic Dynamics, Universitaet Basel, Switzerland.

Title: Scarcity of periodic points for rational functions over a number field
(invited speaker).

Sept 2019: School (and Workshop) on Diophantine Geometry and Special Varieties.

Title: The field of definition of the iterates of a rational function

I. Non-Academic Activity & Positions

2000-2006: Army service (Intelligence)

Last service rank: Captain

2006-2008: Wall-soft, Benei Zion, Israel

Software Consultant

J. Attached Documents

Photocopies of the following certificates (for first appointment only):

- Doctorate, Master's, Bachelor's
- Other certification and letters of recommendation

K. Publications

1. M.A./M.Sc. thesis (subject, institution, supervisor, date of receipt of degree, cite honors)

Title: Ping-pong partners in $PSL_n(\mathbb{Z})$

Institution: Bar-Ilan University

Supervisor: Gregory Soifer

Date received: June 28, 2007

Summa cum laude

2. Ph.D. thesis

Title: Residual periodicity on algebraic varieties

Institution: Bar-Ilan University

Supervisors: Boris Kunyavskii and Tatiana Bandman

Date received: June 20, 2013

3. Books: N/A

4. Edited books: N/A
5. Articles in refereed journals (title, name of journal, language publisher, year)
 - 1) Soifer G., **Vishkautsan S.** 2010. “Simultaneous ping-pong partners in $\text{PSL}_n(\mathbb{Z})$.” *Communications in Algebra* 38: 288-301. (Ranked 32/94 in ALGEBRA AND NUMBER THEORY; Quartile in Category Q2); CI – 0.
 - 2) **Vishkautsan S.** 2014. “Arithmetic dynamics on smooth cubic surfaces”. *New York J. Math.* 20. (Ranked 93/423 in MATHEMATICS (MISCELLANEOUS); Quartile in Category Q1); CI – 1.
 - 3) **Vishkautsan S.** 2016. “Residual periodicity on the Markoff Surface.” *Naz. Lincei Rend. Lincei Mat. Appl.* 27: 25-35. (Ranked 58/423 in MATHEMATICS (MISCELLANEOUS); Quartile in Category Q1); CI – 0.
 - 4) Canci J.K., **Vishkautsan S.** 2017. To appear. “Quadratic maps with a periodic critical point of period 2.” *Int. J. Number Theory*. (Ranked 24/94 in ALGEBRA AND NUMBER THEORY; Quartile in Category Q2); CI – 2.
 - 5) Canci J.K., **Vishkautsan S.** 2017. To appear. “Scarcity of cycles for rational functions over a number field.” *Trans. Amer. Math. Soc.* (Ranked 25/423 in MATHEMATICS (MISCELLANEOUS); Quartile in Category Q1); CI – 5.
 - 6) **Vishkautsan S.** 2019. “Quadratic rational functions with a rational periodic critical point of period 3.” *J. Théor. Nombres Bordeaux.* 31.1 (2019): 49-79. (Ranked 72/94 in ALGEBRA AND NUMBER THEORY; Quartile in Category Q4); CI – 0.
 - 7) Canci J.K., Troncoso S., **Vishkautsan S.** 2019. “Scarcity of finite orbits for rational functions over a number field.” *Acta Arith.* 190 (2019), 221-237. (Ranked 37/94 in ALGEBRA AND NUMBER THEORY; Quartile in Category Q2); CI – 0.
6. Articles or chapters in refereed books: N/A
7. Refereed conference proceedings: N/A
8. Other articles (in collections or non-refereed journals): N/A
9. Articles in preparation:

1) Veneziano F., **Vishkautsan. S.** “The field of iterates of a rational function”.

L. Miscellaneous

1) Reviewer for MathSciNet (since 2016)

2) Contributor to SageMath open source mathematical software system (since 2014)