

Chava Turniansky

Curriculum Vitae

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1. Personal Data

Born in Mexico D. F, 1937

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2. Education

1954 Graduated from High-School (Yidishe shul in Meksike)

1955 One-year-program-studies at the Bet-Hamidrash le-Morey ha-Gola al-shem Hayyim Grinberg (Normal School for Teachers of the Diaspora) in Jerusalem.

1956-1957 Studied Pedagogics at the Faculty of Humanities of the Universidad Autónoma de México

1958 Studied in the Departments of Education and Hebrew Literature at the Hebrew University.

1959 Graduated Bet-Hamidrash le-Morim ha-Ivri al-shem David Y elin (Normal School for Teachers), Jerusalem.

1960-1962 B.A. Studies in Yiddish Literature and Jewish History at the Hebrew University. B.A. degree 1963 (cum laude).

1963-1966 M.A. Studies in Jewish History and Yiddish Literature at the Hebrew University. M.A. degree 1967 (magna cum laude).

1967-1973 Ph. D. Studies in Yiddish Literature at the Hebrew University. Ph. D. degree (1974, summa cum laude).

3. Employment

1963-1968 Teacher of Yiddish for beginners and advanced students at the Department of Yiddish of the Hebrew University of Jerusalem..

1968 to Present At the Department of Yiddish of the Hebrew University of Jerusalem: Assistant (1968-1970); Instructor (1971-1974); Lecturer (1976-1979); Senior Lecturer (1980-

Visiting Lecturer at the Oxford Centre for Postgraduate Hebrew Studies (1975); the Universidad Iberoamericana de México (1984); Visiting Professor at the Institute of Hebrew and Jewish Studies, University College London (1988); at the Istituto de Glottologia e lingue orientali of the Università degli studi di Milano (3 one-month courses, 1991-1993), at Berkeley University (2002); at the Center for Advanced Judaic Studies, Philadelphia (2005-2006).

2006 Received The Bialik Prize in Jewish Studies and Literature

2007 Nominated Member of The Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities