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- "China and the Middle East after the Cultural Revolution," Contemporary China Centre, Australian National University, September 1978.
- "The Middle East in China's Strategic Outlook," Contemporary China Centre, Australian National University, September 1978.
- "The American Recognition of China: Its Origins and Prospects," Conference on *Perspectives on East Asia*, The Truman Institute, Jerusalem, 1978. In Hebrew.
- "China and Africa," Conference on *Superpower Conflicts in Africa and Their Impact on the Middle East*, The Truman Institute, 1978. In Hebrew.
- "The Role of Islam in China's Middle Eastern Policy," International Conference on *Islam in South, Southeast and East Asia*, Jerusalem, 1977.
- "China and the Arab-Israeli Conflict," The Truman Institute, 1976. In Hebrew.
- "China's Stand on the Arab-Israeli Conflict and the Palestine Problem," China Discussion Group, The Royal Institute of International Affairs (Chatham House), London, 1975.

## **Visits, Research Grants, and Fellowships**

London – Lady Davis Fellowship and grant from the Leonard Davis Institute for International Relations (1973-1976)

- Canberra – Contemporary China Centre, Research School for Pacific Studies, Australian National University (1978)
- Tokyo – Department of International Relations, Tokyo University, and the Japanese Association for the Promotion of Science (1979)
- USA – International Communication Agency (US Information Service) State Department, a tour of US universities and research centers (1981)
- Salzburg – Session 256 of the Salzburg Seminar, "Impact of East-West Relations on the Third World" (1987)
- Hong Kong – Universities Service Center, Hong Kong University, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (1987)
- Kaohsiung – Sun Yat-sen Center for Policy Studies, National Sun Yat-sen University, Kaohsiung (1988)
- Taipei – Institute of International Relations, National Chengchi University (1988)
- Medford – The Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University (1989)
- Tokyo – The Institute of Developing Economies (1989)
- Beijing – China Institute of Contemporary International Relations; Beijing University; Xinhua (1991)
- Shanghai – The Chinese Institute of Peace and Development Studies; Shanghai Institute for International Studies; Institute of Asian and Pacific Studies, Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences (1992)
- Christchurch (New Zealand) – University of Canterbury, Asia Peace Research Association Conference (1992)
- USA – International Relations Program, East West Center, Honolulu, Hawaii; Department of History, University of Hawaii (1992)
- Kyoto – Academia Ritsumei, Ritsumeikan University, the XIVth General Conference of the International Peace Research Association (1992)
- Beijing – China's National Research Center for Science and Technology for Development, international conference on "China's Science and Technology towards the Year 2000" (1992).
- Prague – Oriental Department, Faculty of Philosophy, Karl University; Institute of International Relations (1993).
- Berlin – German Foundation for International Development, International Round Table on "Disarmament and Development" (1993)
- Stockholm – SIPRI, Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (1993)
- Oslo – PRIO, Peace Research Institute Oslo (1993)
- Copenhagen – Centre for Peace and Conflict Research (1993)
- Penang – Universiti Sains Malaysia (1994)
- Hong Kong – Conference, "China's Economic Reform: The Impact on Security Policy" (1994)
- Beijing – Central Nationalities University, Center for International Studies, Beijing University, Institute of Nationalities, Institute of World Religions - Chinese Academy of Social Science (1994)
- London – Public Record Office, School of Oriental and African Studies, the London School of Economics and Political Science (1995)
- Bonn – Bonn International Center for Conversion (1995)
- Hong Kong – Universities Service Center, Chinese University of Hong Kong (1995)
- Beijing – International Conference on the Conversion of China's Military Industries, organized by the OECD Development Centre and the China Association for the Peaceful Use of Military Industrial Technology (CAPUMIT), (1995)

Bellagio – Resident, the Rockefeller Foundation Bellagio Study and Conference Center (1996)  
 Bonn – Visiting Fellow, The German Academic Exchange Service, Bonn International Center for Conversion (1996)  
 Hamburg – Institute of Asian Affairs (1996)  
 Ebenhausen – Center for International Relations and Security (1996)  
 Beijing – Asia-Africa Development Research Institute, Development Center of the State Council; Institute of World Religions and Institute of West Asian and African Studies, the Chinese Academy of Social Sciences; the Beijing Center for Jewish Studies; Foreign Affairs College (1996)  
 Beijing – Chinese People's Association for Peace and Disarmament (1996)  
 Seoul – The Sejong Institute (1997)  
 Istanbul – The Eastern Turkestan Foundation (1998)  
 Singapore – Institute of Defence and Strategic Studies; Temasek Polytechnic; East Asian Institute, National University of Singapore (1999)  
 Beijing – Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (1999)  
 Shanghai – Shanghai Institute for International Studies; Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences; Shanghai International Studies University (1999)  
 Hong Kong – Hong Kong University of Science and Technology; Hong Kong Jewish Community Centre (1999)  
 New York – Columbia University, ASN Fifth Annual Convention (2000)  
 Montreal – XXXVI International Congress of Asian and North African Studies (2000)  
 Bishkek and Djalalabad (Kirghizstan) – member of National Democratic Institute (NDI) delegation to monitor the presidential election (2000)  
 Hong Kong – Universities Service Center, Chinese University of Hong Kong and Hong Kong Baptist University (2001)  
 Seoul – The 2<sup>nd</sup> Korea-Israel Forum (2001)  
 Florence – The European University Institute and the Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies (2001)  
 New York – Columbia University, ASN Sixth Annual Convention (2001)  
 Washington – The Brookings Institute, World Bank, Johns Hopkins University (2001)  
 Shanghai – The Shanghai Institute for International Studies; The Institute of Eurasian Studies, the Shanghai Academy of Social Sciences (2001)  
 Taipei – Cross-Strait Interflow Prospect Foundation; Taiwan Research Institute; Institute of International Relations, National Chengchi University (2001)  
 Washington – Johns Hopkins University (2002)  
 Forli (Italy) – University of Bologna (2002)  
 Bucharest – Ministry of National Defense (2002)  
 Budapest – Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty Research, Open Society Archives, Central European University (2002)  
 Xinjiang (China) – China International Economic and Cultural Development Center (2002)  
 Beijing – Chinese Academy of Social Sciences (2002)  
 Washington – East-West Center (2002)  
 New Delhi – IDSA and Jawaharlal Nehru University (2003)  
 Morges (Switzerland) – Interviews with Uyghur refugees (2003)  
 Munich – The Eastern Turkestan National Congress, the Eastern Turkestan Union in Europe (2003)  
 New York – interviews with Uyghurs (2003)

Philadelphia – interviews with Uyghurs (2003)  
 Toronto – interviews with Uyghurs (2003)  
 Honolulu – Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies (2003).  
 Bremen – Deutsch-Israelische Gesellschaft Arbeitsgemeinschaft Bremen (2004)  
 Toronto – The University of Toronto (2004)  
 New York – Columbia University (2004)  
 Carlisle, PA – US Army War College (2004)  
 Cambridge, MA – Harvard University  
 Honolulu – Asia-Pacific Center for Security Studies (2004).  
 Singapore – Institute of Defence and Strategic Studies (2004)  
 Australia (Sydney, Adelaide, Melbourne) – Uyghur communities (2005)  
 Canada (Toronto, Montreal, Ottawa) – Uyghur conference (2005)  
 Xiamen (China) – Xiamen University (2005)  
 Boston – Boston University, Harvard University (2005).  
 Istanbul, Wurzburg, London, Washington, New York, (2006)  
 San Francisco – 58<sup>th</sup> AAS convention (2006)  
 Munich – 2<sup>nd</sup> Plenum, World Uyghur Congress (2006)  
 The Hague – UNPO (2007)  
 Paris – Asia Center (2007)  
 Cochin (India) – School of Communication and Management Studies (2008)  
 London – School of Oriental and African Studies (2008)  
 Berlin (2009)  
 London, Manchester (2009)  
 Munich, Würzburg (2009)  
 Cambridge, MA., Harvard University (2009)  
 Toronto (2009)  
 Cambridge, MA., Harvard University (2010)  
 Philadelphia – AAS Annual Convention (2010)  
 Cambridge, MA., Harvard University (2010)  
 Brussels – European Parliament (2010)  
 Mainz – Gutenberg University (2010)  
 Taipei – National Defense University; Office of International Cooperation, National Chengchi University; Chinese Council of Advanced Policy Studies; Deputy Minister for Policy, Ministry of National Defense; Research and Planning Committee, Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2010)  
 Munich, Berlin – World Uyghur Congress; Bundestag; Ministry of Foreign Affairs (2010)  
 Hong Kong – University of Science and Technology, University of Macao (2011).  
 London – The British Library, School of Oriental and African Studies.

## **Courses Taught**

Introduction to Pre-modern China  
 Tradition and Change in Modern China  
 Politics and Development in the PRC  
 China in the International System  
 China and the Middle East  
 Asia in European Political Thought  
 China in European Political Thought: Enlightened Despotism

China in European Political Thought: Oriental Despotism  
Mao and Maoism (seminar)  
Reform and Reaction in Chinese Communism (graduate seminar)  
The Foundations of Asian Communism (seminar)  
Tradition, Change, and Revolution in Korea  
Mao Zedong and the Rise of the Chinese Communist Movement  
China between Autocracy and Democracy  
East Asian Democratization Processes (graduate seminar)  
Israel and Asia in the International System  
China's Democratization Prospects (graduate seminar).