

Itai Trilnick

Education

- 2013–present **Agricultural and Resource Economics, UC Berkeley.**
Ph.D Candidate
- 2009–2011 **M.Sc Environmental Studies, Ben-Gurion University, Israel, Cum Laude.**
Interdisciplinary program in Environmental Studies. My thesis focused on recently introduced market based instruments for solid waste management in Israel.
- 2004–2008 **B.Sc Economics and Biology, Tel Aviv University, Israel, Magna cum Laude.**

Work Experience

- Research, UC Berkeley.**
Currently working for Prof David Zilberman. In the past, I worked for Prof. Meredith Fowlie and Prof. Max Auffhammer.
- Teaching, UC Berkeley.**
Teaching Assistant for Regulation of Energy and the Environment and Economic Analysis-Macro.
- 2011–2013 **Energy and Environment reporter, TheMarker newspaper, Tel Aviv.**
TheMarker is the business supplement of Ha'aretz newspaper. Some articles can be found translated to English at the international edition website (www.haaretz.com).
Topics covered:
- Oil and Gas: exploration, development of recently found gas reserves, export debate.
 - Electricity: consumer tariffs, renewable energy policies, proposed restructuring plans.
 - Environment: Policies and debates regarding oil and gas exploration, solid waste, air quality, and environmental hazards.
 - Gasoline: prices, tax debates, alternative fuel initiatives.
 - Water management: transition to desalination as main water source, newly established independent water utilities, water tariffs.
- 2008 **Research Assistant, Tel Aviv University.**
Research Assistant for Dr. Analia Schlosser at the Berglas School of Economics.
- 2000–2003 **Military service.**

Publications

- Trilnick, I. and Tal, A.(2014), Should we blame the rich for clogging our landfills?
Waste Management and Research, 32(2) pp. 91-96.
- Trilnick, I. and Tal, A. (2014), What Drives Municipal Solid Waste Policy Making?
An Empirical Assessment of the Effectiveness of Tipping Fees and Other Factors in Israel
The Journal of Solid Waste Technology and Management, 40(4) pp. 364-374.

Languages

- Spanish Native speaker
Hebrew Native speaker

Computer skills

- Statistical software *STATA, R, MATLAB* Miscellaneous *MS Office*