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EDUCATION:

- Ph.D. Columbia University, 1971.  
Fields: Labor Economics and Mathematical Economics.  
Title of Dissertation: "Allocation of Time and Goods in a Family Context."  
  
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James J. Heckman  
Kelvin Lancaster
- M.A. Hebrew University (passed with distinction), 1967.  
Fields: Labor Economics and Economic Theory.
- B.A. Hebrew University, 1964.  
Major Fields: Economics and Mathematics.

ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

- 1999-present Professor of Economics, Department of Economics, SUNY Binghamton.
- 1981-99 Associate Professor, Department of Economics, SUNY Binghamton.
- 1976-78 Research Associate, Center for the Social Sciences, and Visiting Assistant Professor, Columbia University.
- 1975-76 Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Chicago.
- 1972-75 Lecturer in Economics, Hebrew University.

VISITING POSITIONS:

- 1994-95 Visiting Scholar, The University of Chicago.
- 1986-87 Visiting Associate Professor, University of Haifa.
- 1980-81 O'Connor Associate Professor of Economics, Colgate University.
- 1978-79 Visiting Assistant Professor, University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill.

AREAS OF CONCENTRATION IN RESEARCH:

- (1) Urban Labor Economics
- (2) Evolutionary Economics
- (3) Economic Theory

## PUBLICATIONS:

### I. Books

*Second Nature: Economic Origins of Human Evolution*, **Cambridge University Press**, 2001.

Chinese translation of *Second Nature*. **China Social Sciences Press**: 2006.

*The Mercator Gene* (a revised and extended Hebrew edition of *Second Nature*). **The Hebrew University Magnes Press**, 2010.

### II. Articles in Refereed Journals

"The Value of Time in Consumption and Residential Location in an Urban Setting," (with Oded Hochman), **American Economic Review**, Vol. 67, No. 5, December 1977, pp. 996-1003.

"Indexation of Contractual and Regulated Prices: A Methodology of Microindexation," **Journal of Economics and Business**, Vol. 31., No. 2, Winter 1979, pp. 119-125.

"The Distribution of Lifetime Labor Force Participation of Married Women: Comment," **Journal of Political Economy**, Volume 87, Number 1, February 1979, pp. 197-201, (with Jacob Mincer).

"Is the Macro-production Function Linear Homogeneous," (with Jacob Paroush), **Journal of The New York Economic Association**, Vol. IX, 1979, pp. 68-76.

"A Theory of the Behavior of Municipal Governments: The Case of Internalizing Pollution Externalities," (with Oded Hochman), **Journal of Urban Economics**, vol. 6, October 1979 pp. 416-431.

"The Economic Attainment of Women: A Comparative Analysis of the Parental Role," (with F. Pickford), **Economica**, 46, November 1979, pp. 427-433.

"Is Perfect Competition an Empirically Inadequate Model?," **Economic Inquiry**, Vol. XX, No. 1, January 1982, pp. 21-39.

"Interrupted Work Careers: Depreciation and Restoration of Human Capital," (with J. Mincer) **Journal of Human Resources**, Vol. XVII, No. 1, Winter 1982, pp. 1-24,(lead article).

"Endogenous Risk in Oligopolistic Competition and Quasi-Competitiveness in Cournot Markets," (with Jacob Paroush) **Atlantic Economic Journal**, Vol. XIV, No. 2, pp. 1-8, July 1986 (lead article).

"City Size, Quality of Life, and the Urbanization Deflator of the GNP: 1910-1984," (with J. Kahn and D. Clark), **Southern Economic Journal**, Vol. 54, No. 3, January 1988, pp. 701-714.

"The Urbanization Deflator of the GNP, 1919 - 1984: Reply," (with James Kahn and David Clark), *Southern Economic Journal*, Vol. 57, No 4, pp. 1179-1182, April 1991.

"The Equilibrium Distribution of Population and Wages in a System of Cities," (with J. Kahn) *Review of Regional Studies*, Vol. 22, No 3, Winter 1992, pp. 201-216 (lead article).

"Labor Mobility and the Formation of Gender Wage Gaps in Local Markets," (with Yesook Merrill), *Economic Inquiry*, Vol. XXXV, No 1, pp. 28-47, January 1997.

### III. Chapters in Books and Book Reviews

Review of "America's Ailing Cities: Fiscal Health and the Design of Urban Policy." by H. F. Ladd and J. Yinger, Johns Hopkins University Press 1989, (with Clifford Kern), *Southern Economic Journal*, Vol. 57, No 1, pp. 259-261, July 1990.

"Interrupted Work Careers: Depreciation and Restoration of Human Capital," reprint from the *Journal of Human Resources*, (lead article), Vol. XVII, No. 1, Winter 1982, pp. 1-24, (with Jacob Mincer), Chapter 6, in Jacob Mincer, *Studies in Labor Supply*, Vol. 2, pp. 140-160 (*Edward Elgar, University Press*, Cambridge U.K. 1993).

Review of Paul Seabright, *The Company of Strangers: A Natural History of Economic Life* (Princeton, NJ: Princeton University Press, 2004). Published by *EH.Net, Economic History Services*, (the Economic History Association). January 2007.

"MHC-Mediated Benefits of Trade: A Biomolecular Approach to Cooperation in the Marketplace," in K. Sterelny, R. Joyce, B. Calcott and B. Fraser (eds.). *Cooperation and Its Evolution*. pp. 175-194, *MIT Press*, Cambridge, MA: 2013.

### IV. Reviews and Replies in Response to Ofek's Published Works

Alan Grafen (2002), "Should It Be Homo economicus?" *Science*, 296:1243 (May 17).

João Ricardo Faria (2002), "Review of Haim Ofek *Second Nature: Economic Origins of Human Evolution*", *EH.NET* (Economic History Services), May 30, URL : <http://www.eh.net/bookreviews/library/0491.shtml>

Christopher Wills (2002), "Hominid Economics", *Nature*, 416, 370-371 (March 28).

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Alexander J. Field (Sept. 2002), [Review of] *Second Nature: Economic Origins of Human Evolution*, by Haim Ofek. *Journal of Economic History*, 62, 3, 922-924.

R. Szostak (Dec. 2002), [Review of] *Second Nature: Economic Origins of Human Evolution*. *Journal of Economic Literature*, 40, 4, 1283-84.

W. Young (March 2003), *Second Nature: Economic Origins of Human Evolution* - Haim Ofek (book review). *European Journal of Political Economy*, 19, 1, 159-160 .

J. Burns (May 2003), "Second Nature: Economic Origins of Human Evolution" by Haim Ofek (book review). *The Canadian Review of Sociology and Anthropology*, 40, 2, 243 .

Robert Whaples (April 1991), The Urbanization Deflator of the GNP, 1919 - 1984: Comment. *Southern Economic Journal*, Vol. 57, No 4, 1174- 78.

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