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Academia

- 1995 - 1998 Studies in biology (BSc), Tel Aviv University, Ramat Aviv (Israel)
- 1998 - 1999 Studies in neurobiology (MSc), Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot (Israel)
- 1999 - 2004 Doctorate (PhD) in neuroimmunology, Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot (Israel)

Career

- 2004 - 2005 Postdoc, Weizmann Institute of Science, Rehovot (Israel)
- 2005 - 2007 Assistant professor for pharmacology and ophthalmology, University of Nebraska Medical Center (UNMC), Omaha (USA)
- 2007 - 2012 Assistant professor for neurosciences, University of Virginia Health System, Charlottesville (USA)
- since 2007 Member of the Carter Immunology Center, University of Virginia (USA)
- since 2008 Faculty Member, Medical Scientist Training Program, University of Virginia (USA)
- since 2009 Member of the Center for Cell Clearance, University of Virginia (USA)
- 2011 - 2012 Assistant professor for ophthalmology, University of Virginia (USA)
- since 2012 Director of the Center for Brain Immunology and Glia (BIG)
- since 2012 Professor of neurosciences and ophthalmology, University of Virginia (USA)

Awards

- 1999 Dean travel award for excellence and scientific achievements for doctoral students, Weizmann Institute
- 2002 Sir Charles Clore scholarship and award of excellence in doctoral studies
- 2002 Representative of Israeli Student Delegation for the International Summit of the American Academy of Achievement (Dublin, Ireland)
- 2003 Representative of Israeli Student Delegation, International Summit for Nobel Prize Laureates in Medicine (Lindau)

2004	Distinguished Prize for excellence in doctoral studies awarded by the Israeli Parliament (Knesset)
2004	Prize of excellence for doctoral studies awarded by the Feinberg Graduate School, Weizmann Institute of Science
2006	Vada Kinman Oldfield Alzheimer's Research Award, University of Nebraska Medical Center
2011	Robert Ader New Investigator Award for 2011, PsychoNeuroImmunology Research Society (PNIRS)
2012	Jordi Folch-Pi award, American Society for Neurochemistry
2014	Distinguished Research Career Development Awards, University of Virginia
2015	Gutenberg Research College (GRC) fellowship, Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz

Selected Publications

Da Mesquita S, Louveau A, Vaccari A, Smirnov I, Cornelison RC, Kingsmore KM, Contarino C, Onengut-Gumuscu S, Farber E, Raper D, Viar KE, Powell RD, Baker W, Dabhi N, Bai R, Cao R, Hu S, Rich SS, Munson JM, Lopes MB, Overall CC, Acton ST, **Kipnis J.** (2018) Functional aspects of meningeal lymphatics in ageing and Alzheimer's disease. *Nature.* Aug;560(7717):185-191.

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Louveau A, Smirnov I, Keyes TJ, Eccles JD, Rouhani SJ, Peske JD, Derecki NC, Castle D, Mandell JW, Lee KS, Harris TH, **Kipnis J.** (2015) Structural and functional features of central nervous system lymphatics. *Nature,* Jul 16;523(7560):337-41. doi: 10.1038/nature14432.

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