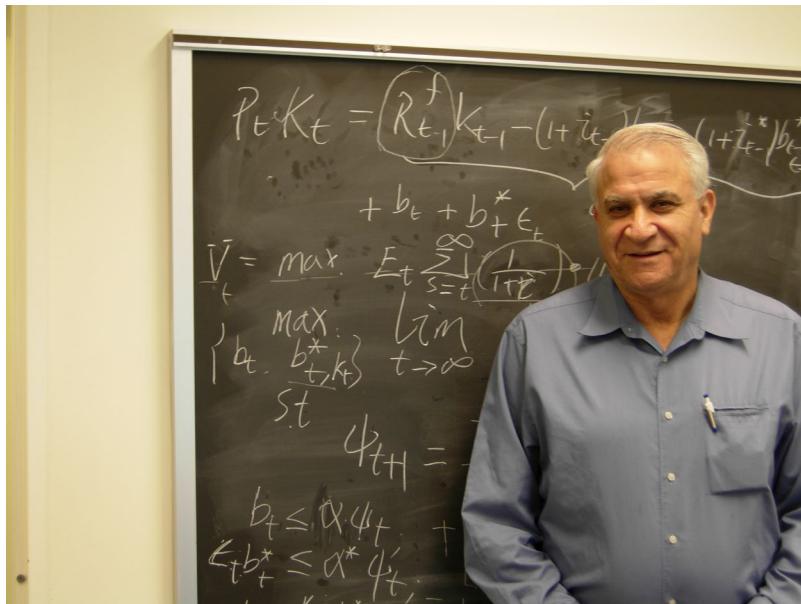


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## Assaf Razin: SHORT CURRICULUM VITA



“Assaf Razin's life story is one of extremes. It follows Assaf from the Kibbutz to the city, from Israel to different parts of the world, from his childhood in the nursery bed of socialism, to the Economics Department in Chicago University, the cradle of intellectual capitalism. Our hero pursues a stellar career and personal achievements while withstanding rather dramatic personal events.”

Ronny and Iddo Razin in Assaf Volume I: The first 70 years- COMICS BIOGRAPHY

## Prizes

The 2017 EMET Prize in economics:

The Emet Prize for Art, Science and Culture is an Israeli prize awarded annually for excellence in academic and professional achievements that have far-reaching influence and make a significant contribution to society. Prizes are awarded in the following five categories: the Exact Sciences, Life Sciences,

Social Sciences, Humanities, and Culture and the Arts.

IEA Fellow award for 2022:

The International Economic Association instituted the annual IEA Fellow honorific award to recognize excellence in economic research, research-driven popular writing, and economic policymaking. This is a recognition of outstanding work and is awarded to at most 10 individuals in the world.

Fellow of the Econometric Society (elected 1994)

## Personal History

1941: Born in **Kibbutz Shamir, Israel** 

1958-1959: Military service in the Israel Defense Forces (IDF), Disabled Veteran

Wife: Shula Razin

Children: Einat Razin (born 1973), Ronny Razin (born 1969),  
And Ofer Razin (born 1966, died 1996)

Grandchildren: Iddo Razin (born 1999), Neeve Razin (born 2005)

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## Primary Education

Primary school in Kibbutz Shamir, and high School in Mossad Ayanot, a Regional high School near Kibbutz Amir, Israel

## HIGHER EDUCATION

The University of Chicago: 1966-1969, Ph.D., Economics  
Dissertation: "Investment in Human Capital  
And Economic Growth: A Theoretical Study".  
1968 M.A., Economics, University of Chicago

The Hebrew University (Rehovot Branch) 1966 M.Sc., Agricultural  
Economics (with distinction); B.A. in Economics, Tel Aviv Extension of  
the Hebrew University in Jerusalem

## **Recent Academic Positions**

Tel Aviv University, Professor Emeritus, since 2008

The Friedman Professor of International Economics,  
Cornell University—2001 to 2016

Research Professor: IFO and LMU university, Munich,

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

Fellow of the Econometric Society

Research Fellow, Center for Economic Policy Research (CEPR),  
London, UK

Research Associate, National Bureau of Economic Research (NBER),  
Cambridge, USA

Research Associate, IZA, Berlin,

Research Associate, and Chairman of the scientific committee (2005-2010),  
Center for Economic Studies (CES-ifo), Munich, Germany

Honorary Fellow, European Economic Association

President, Israel Economic Association (IsEA), in the 1990s

### **I. Public Service in Israel**

Member of the Rabinovitch Tax Reform Commission on Labor, Capital

In addition, International Taxation, which introduced the capital gain taxation put into law on July 24, 2002.

- 1997-1999: Chief Economic Advisor, Israel Employer Association
- 1979: Director of Economic Planning Authority, Chief Economic Adviser to the Government of Israel, Ministry of Finance, Israel

### **Academic Administration Positions**

- 1993-1994 Deputy Provost, Tel Aviv University
- 1981-1986 Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences,  
Tel Aviv University, Israel
- 1974-1976 Chair, Department of Economics, Tel Aviv University

### **Past Academic Positions**

- 2000 - 2016 Barbara and Steve Friedman Professor, Cornell University

- 2016: University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill  
2015: Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies IHEID

- 2008-2009 Fernand Braudel Senior Fellow , European University Institute, Florence
- 2007 Visiting Professor, University of Munich, LMU

- 2006 Visiting Professor, London School of Economics
- 2006 Visiting Professor, Yale University
- 1999-2001 Visiting Professor, Department of Economics, Stanford University
- 1998 Visiting Professor, Department of Economics, Harvard University
- 1986, 1987, 1991, 1995, and 1997 Visiting Professor, Department of Economics, University of Chicago
- 1992 Visiting Professorship, Department of Economics, Yale University
- 1984 Visiting Professor, Department of Economics, Princeton University
- 1976, 1981 Visiting Professor, Department of Economics, University of Pennsylvania
- 1979 Visiting Professor, Department of Economics, University of California at Berkeley
- 1977-1978 Visiting Professor, Department of Economics, Northwestern University
- 1971, 1972, 1973, and 1974 Visiting Associate Professor, University of Minnesota
- 1987-to-2002 and 2014-2016: Research Department, International Monetary Fund
- 1996: Resident Scholar, Research Department, International Monetary Fund
- 2005 Bank of England
- 1987-to-2002: Research Department, International Monetary Fund
- 1996: Resident Scholar, Research Department, International Monetary Fund
- 1998, 2000, 2003, and 2005: EPRU, University of Copenhagen

- 1992-2016:              Short visits, CES, University of Munich
- 1991, 1992, 2000:  
                             Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System, Washington DC
- 1987                      Macroeconomics Division,  
                             Development Research Department, World Bank
- 1989                      Resident Scholar, Center for Advanced Studies,  
                             Hebrew University, Jerusalem
- 1985, 1982, 1980, 1981  
                             Institute for International  
                             Economic Studies, University of Stockholm, Stockholm, Sweden
- 1969-1970                Assistant Professor, University of Minnesota

### **Keynote Lectures**

1. Berglas Lecture, Tel Aviv University, December 2005  
    “The Political Economics of the Welfare State : Aging and Globalization”  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WQ-Ez7PMtmE>
2. Key note lecture in the world congress of the International Association of Public Finance, Prague, 2004  
    “International Tax Competition”.
3. Keynote lecture in Hong Kong Economic Association, Hong Kong, 2006  
    “Ageing and Social Security: Political Economy Approach”.
4. The Don Patinkin Lecture, **Israel Economic Association**, annual meetings, 2008, "Immigration and the Welfare State: The New Political-Economy Approach".
5. Key note lecture in CEPII-OECD in Paris, “Immigration and the Welfare State” November 22, 2008.
6. Key note lecture in migration conference CEPII-OECD in Paris, “Immigration and the Welfare State” October 24, 2011.

7. Keynote lecture in the world congress of the International Institute of Public Finance, Annual Congress, 2012.
8. Distinguished lecture at the University of Warwick: Theory of Banking and Currency Crises: Understanding the Fragility of the Eurozone, 2014

<https://www.flickr.com/photos/warwickeconomics/12633158475/in/album-72157641207834785/>

9. Keynote lecture In University of California- Davis, “Israel and the World Economy 11/15/2017  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eF\\_aoURcP8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eF_aoURcP8)

10. Gruen Public Lectur, Australian National University: “Globalization and the Welfare State,” June2020.

### **Member of Corporate Boards**

1997-2002     External Director, First International Bank of Israel, Tel Aviv, Israel

1998-2003     External Director, Gan-Shmuel Food Industry, Israel

1990-1996:     Chairman, Capital Market Investment committee,  
Israel Public Sector Provident Funds,  
Bank Yahav, (The Bank Hapoalim Group), Israel

## **Festschrift at 60**

### **Economic Policy in the International Economy**

Essays in Honor of Assaf Razin

**Edited by Elhanan Helpman, Efraim Sadka**

November, 2002

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3. Marc Nerlove, Assaf Razin and Efraim Sadka

Population Policy and Individual Choice: A Theoretical Investigation

(June 1987), International Food Policy Research Institute; ISBN: 089629062X

4. Marc Nerlove, Assaf Razin, and Efraim Sadka  
Household and Economy: Economics of Endogenous Fertility (Academic Press, 1988)
5. Jacob Frenkel and Assaf Razin  
Spending, Taxes, and Deficits: International-Intertemporal (December 1988)  
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(1993) University of Chicago Press
10. Assaf Razin and Efraim Sadka  
  
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(1995) MIT Press;
11. Gian Maria Milesi-Ferretti and Assaf Razin  
  
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Princeton University Press, 1995;
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(1996) MIT Press;

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Cambridge University Press, (2001)

14. Assaf Razin, and Efraim Sadka

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15. Assaf Razin and Efraim Sadka

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Migration and the Welfare State: Political Economy, Formation Policy

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## Assaf Razin Blogs

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## Europe vs. America: the federal governance matters, May 25, 2021 Telos

Europe and America have been strikingly different in terms of the Corona-era big-relief packages, and the roll out of Covid-19 vaccination. These differences are rooted in differences in their federal governance. Governance differences in the federal system matters also for migrants skill composition, tax burden, and the generosity of the welfare state.

[Europe vs. America: the federal governance matters - Telos \(telos-eu.com\)](#)

- **Globalization and Global Crises** 15 April, 2021

Concerns associated with the Covid-19 pandemic have led to new rationales of protectionism, with renewed emphasis on domestic production and sourcing. This column compares the current economic crisis brought on by the pandemic to previous major economic crises and examines what this could mean for the future of various aspects of globalization.

[Globalisation and global crises | VOX, CEPR Policy Portal \(voxeu.org\)](#)

- **The welfare state besides globalisation and ageing forces**

**Assaf Razin, Efraim Sadka**, 7 October 2018

Globalisation, in the form of trade, migration, and financial flows, typically increases income inequality. However, this column argues that the welfare state spreads the gains from trade to almost all income groups, thereby reducing inequality.

- **Financial globalisation and the welfare state**

**Assaf Razin, Efraim Sadka**, 8 July 2018

Financial globalisation triggers tax competition among countries and the possibility of a 'race to the bottom'.

- **Israel's immigration: A unique assimilation story with a message**

**Assaf Razin**, 6 May 2018

The exodus of Soviet Jews to Israel in the 1990s was a unique event. This column shows that this immigration wave was distinctive for its large high-skilled cohort, and its quick integration into the domestic labour market.

- **International tax reforms with flexible prices**

**Assaf Razin, Efraim Sadka**, 18 December 2017

The ongoing advance of globalisation has created a genuine need for international tax reforms. This column explores potential reforms and their likely effects, using a model with flexible prices.

## **Commercial Policy, Employed to Curb Trade Imbalances: Revisiting Decades-Old Literature** 2017 By: Assaf Razin

[http://vox.lacea.org/?q=review/commercial\\_policy\\_trade](http://vox.lacea.org/?q=review/commercial_policy_trade)

The relationship between the trade balance and tariffs puzzled economists for many decades. Prompted by current events, I revisit some of the old literature. Recently, the US is attempting to curtail the US current account deficit by commercial means. What the old literature can say about the effectiveness of these policies?

- **The welfare state and migration: Coalition-formation dynamics**

**Assaf Razin, Efraim Sadka, Benjarong Suwankiri**, 17 January 2015

Allowing greater immigration may raise tax revenue and help pay for the welfare state, but it also affects the future composition of the voting population.

- **Tax competition vs. tax coordination: Revisiting the debate**

**Assaf Razin, Efraim Sadka**, 21 January 2011

Does the free movement of factors of production lure tax authorities into a race to the bottom?

- **Immigration and the welfare state: New evidence from the EU**

**Assaf Razin, Jackline Wahba**, 4 March 2011

Do immigrants just move for the benefit systems?

- **Israel's positive immigration story**

**Assaf Razin**, 1 April 2017

Israel has received almost one million immigrants from the former Soviet Union, close to 19% of its established population. The extraordinary exodus of Soviet Jews to Israel in the 1990s is relevant to the current debate about globalisation.

- **Creditor protection and financial crises**

**Assaf Razin, Galina Hale**, 8 August 2009

Finding reliable indicators that predict the likelihood and severity of crises across countries has been a frustrating quest for economists. This column suggests that countries with better creditor protection suffer less when a crisis hits.

- **The ageing, crisis-prone welfare state is bad news for welfare migration**

**Assaf Razin**, 6 November 2010

The growing voice of skilled workers and the retired in industrialized countries is calling out for politicians to further restrict immigration in order to allay fears of stealing jobs and scrounging off benefits.

- **Theories of financial crises**

**Itay Goldstein, Assaf Razin**, 11 March 2013

Broadly speaking, there are three types of economic crisis: banking crises and panics, credit frictions and market freezes, and currency crises.

- **Migration and welfare in the US and Europe**

**Assaf Razin, Efraim Sadka**, 1 September 2014

European migration exhibits a bias towards low-skilled workers, whereas the US attracts the majority of the world's skilled migrants. At the same time, the welfare system in Europe is more generous than the one in the US.

- **Welfare state generosity and immigrants' skills**

**Alon Cohen, Assaf Razin**, 2 December 2008

Do generous welfare states attract less-skilled immigrants?

# Selected Scientific Papers

## Effective tax rates in macroeconomics: Cross-country estimates of tax rates on factor incomes and consumption

[EG Mendoza, A Razin, LL Tesar - Journal of Monetary Economics, 1994 - Elsevier](#)

Abstract This paper proposes a method for computing tax rates using national accounts and revenue statistics. Using this method we construct time series of tax rates for large industrial countries.

## The terms of trade and the current account: The Harberger-Laursen-Metzler effect

[LEO Svensson, A Razin - Journal of political Economy, 1983 - journals.uchicago.edu](#)

The paper examines the effect of terms-of-trade changes on a small country's spending and current account, assuming optimizing behavior in an intertemporal framework with perfect international capital mobility. A temporary (future) terms-of-trade deterioration implies a

## Current account reversals and currency crises: empirical regularities

[GMM Ferretti, A Razin - Currency crises, 2000 - nber.org](#)

Three waves of external crises have swept international capital markets during the 1990s: the European Monetary System crisis in 1992-93, the collapse of the Mexican peso with its induced "tequila" effects, and, most recently, the financial crisis in East Asia. In Italy and

## International tax competition and gains from tax harmonization

[A Razin, E Sadka - Economics Letters, 1991 - Elsevier](#)

Abstract In a world economy there are two types of distortions which can be caused by capital income taxation in addition to the standard closed-economy wedge between the consumer-saver marginal intertemporal rate of substitution and the producer-investor

## Current account sustainability: selected East Asian and Latin American experiences

[GM Milesi-Ferrett, A Razin - 1996 - nber.org](#)

A number of developing countries have run large and persistent current account deficits in both the late seventies/early eighties and in the early nineties, raising the issue of whether these persistent imbalances are sustainable. T

## How beneficial is foreign direct investment for developing countries?

[P Loungani, A Razin - Finance and Development, 2001 - tau.ac.il](#)

The resilience of foreign direct investment (FDI) during financial crises may lead many developing countries to regard it as the private capital inflow of choice. While there is substantial evidence that FDI benefits host countries, they should assess its potential impact

## The aging population and the size of the welfare state

**A Razin, E Sadka, P Swagel** - Journal of Political Economy, 2002 - journals.uchicago.edu  
Data for the United States and countries in western Europe indicate a negative correlation between the dependency ratio and labor tax rates and the generosity of social transfers, after other factors that influence the size of the welfare state are controlled for. This occurs

### Tax burden and migration: a political economy theory and evidence

**A Razin, E Sadka, P Swagel** - Journal of Public Economics, 2002 - Elsevier  
The extent of taxation and redistribution policy is generally determined as a political-economy equilibrium by a balance between those who gain from higher taxes/transfers and those who lose.

### Fiscal policies in the world economy

**JA Frenkel, A Razin** - Journal of Political Economy, 1986 - journals.uchicago.edu  
This paper uses a two-country general equilibrium model of the world economy in order to analyze the effects of budget deficits and government spending on world rates of interest, consumption, and international indebtedness. It demonstrates the difference between the

### Sharp reductions in current account deficits an empirical analysis

**GM Milesi-Ferretti, A Razin** - European Economic Review, 1998 - Elsevier  
We study determinants and consequences of sharp reductions in current account imbalances (reversals) in low-and middle-income countries. We pose two questions: what triggers reversals, and what factors explain how costly reversals are? We find that both

### Sustainability of persistent current account deficits

**GM Milesi-Ferretti, A Razin** - 1996 - nber.org  
ABSTRACT This paper puts forward a notion of current account sustainability that explicitly takes into account willingness to pay and willingness to lend in addition to intertemporal solvency. It argues that this notion of sustainability provides a better framework for

### An intergenerational model of population growth

**A Razin, U Ben-Zion** - The American Economic Review, 1975 -  
The problem of population growth has been only partially formulated in an inter-temporal context. Therefore, a link between population theory and economic growth theory is still missing.

### Migration and pension with international capital mobility

**A Razin, E Sadka** - Journal of Public Economics, 1999 - Elsevier  
Being relatively low earners, migrants are net beneficiaries of the welfare state. Therefore, migration may be resisted by the entire native-born population.

### The dynamic-optimizing approach to the current account: theory and evidence

**A Razin** - 1993 – Understanding Interdependence (editor:Kenen)

by Assaf Razin The past decade has witnessed the development of a large theoretical literature on the intertemporal approach to the current account. These models typically emphasized the effects on the current account balance of real factors such as productivity,

### **Business cycle volatility and openness: An exploratory cross-section analysis**

[A Razin, A Rose - 1992 - nber.org](#)

ABSTRACT This paper links business cycle volatility to barriers on international mobility of goods and capital.

### **A pecking order of capital inflows and international tax principles**

[A Razin, E Sadka, CW Yuen - Journal of International Economics, 1998 - Elsevier](#)

Even though financial markets today show a high degree of integration, the world capital market is still far from the textbook story of high capital mobility.

### **The global dis-connect the role of transactional distance and scale economies in gravity equations**

[P Loungani, A Mody, A Razin - Scottish Journal of Political ..., 2002 - Wiley Online Library](#)

Abstract Recent empirical analyses show that asset flows can be modelled by the same 'gravity' equations that trade economists have used so successfully for the past few decades.

### **An information-based tradeoff between foreign direct investment and foreign portfolio investment**

[I Goldstein, A Razin - Journal of International Economics, 2006 - Elsevier](#)

The paper develops a model of foreign direct investments (FDI) and foreign portfolio investments (FPI). FDI enables the owner to obtain refined information about the firm.

### **The Mundell-Fleming model a quarter century later: a unified exposition**

[JA Frenkel, A Razin - Staff Papers, 1987 - Springer](#)

Abstract The Mundell-Fleming model of international macroeconomics originated in the early 1960s and has been extended during the ensuing quarter century.

### **Resisting migration: wage rigidity and income distribution**

[A Razin, E Sadka - Trade, Growth, and Economic Policy in Open ..., 1998 - Springer](#)

Summary Like any trade activity, migration tends to generate gains to all parties involved, (the migrants as well as the native-born population).

### **Unskilled migration: a burden or a boon for the welfare state?**

[A Razin, E Sadka - The Scandinavian Journal of Economics, 2000](#)

As relatively low earners, migrants are net beneficiaries of the welfare state. Therefore, in a static setup, the entire native-born population may resist migration.

### **Exchange Rate Management: Intertemporal Tradeoffs**

[E Helpman, A Razin - 1985 - nber.org](#)

The management of the exchange rate is possible only if the government pursues a monetary-fiscal policy mix, which is consistent with its exchange rate targets.

## The 'New Keynesian' Phillips curve: closed economy versus open economy

A Razin, CW Yuen - Economics Letters, 2002 - Elsevier

The paper extends Woodford's [Optimizing models with nominal rigidities,

## Efficient investment incentives in the presence of capital flight

A Razin, E Sadka - Journal of International Economics, 1991 - Elsevier

Abstract this paper examines the efficiency of quantity restrictions on capital exports and the accompanying set of taxes.

## A comparison of exchange rate regimes in the presence of imperfect capital markets

E Helpman, A Razin - International Economic Review, 1982 -

The renewed interest in systematic evaluations of exchange rate regimes has brought about new approaches, which are based on macroeconomic foundations; including macroeconomic foundations of monetary theory

## Government spending, debt, and international economic interdependence

JA Frenkel, A Razin - The Economic Journal, 1985 - JSTOR

$t= O t= O$  where  $W_0$  denotes the value of initial wealth consisting of the sum of the present values of output streams (gross domestic products) minus the sum of the present values of taxes,  $T$ , and the initial private debt commitment,  $B_p$ .

## Capital income taxation and long-run growth: New perspectives

A Razin, CW Yuen - Journal of Public Economics, 1996 - Elsevier

We study the effects of capital income taxation on long-run growth in an endogenous growth framework with two distinguishing features: endogenous population and international capital mobility. Endogenizing population growth introduces a new channel for taxes to affect

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The purpose of this paper is to develop and estimate a stochastic-intertemporal model of consumption behavior and to use it for testing a version of the Ricardian-equivalence proposition with time series data.

## International migration and international trade

A Razin, E Sadka - Handbook of population and family economics, 1997 -

This chapter explains the ways in which different trade models account for either substitution or complementarity patterns between labor mobility and commodity trade, and the key elements in the models responsible for the contrasting predictions.

## Stochastic prices and tests of efficiency of foreign exchange markets

JA Frenkel, A Razin - Economics Letters, 1980 - Elsevier

Abstract this paper shows that typical specifications of efficiency tests of foreign exchange markets are strictly valid only when individuals are risk neutral and prices are non-stochastic. Empirically, however, the neglect of these factors is shown to be of little

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## Dynamics of a floating exchange rate regime

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We study the full equilibrium dynamics of a two-country world economy with a floating exchange rate, traded and nontraded goods, and explicit modeling of the use of money.

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International Economic Review, 1979

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האם שר האוצר מביא בשורה חדשה לגבי השפל הכלכלי? אם כן, מדוע בחר להשתמש למשל ה-90-10-10 ומשל ה"שמן והרזזה" כאמצעי שיווק עיקרי של התוכנית הכלכלית, שאינם עוסקים בלבד בו של העניין - **הmittern**

**אסף רזין**

10.04.2003



## דרושים קיזוץ בתשלומים לישיבות והורדת הריבית

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מאת אפרים צדקה

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## כלכליסט - מאמרים של ASF רזין

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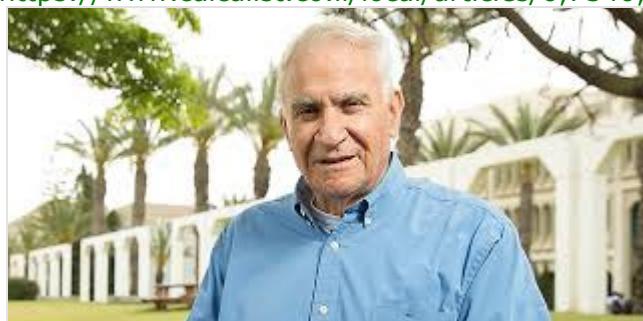
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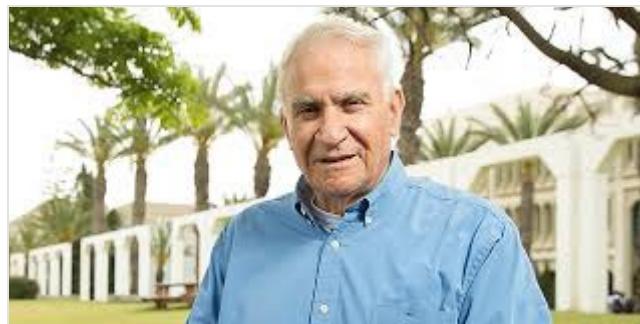
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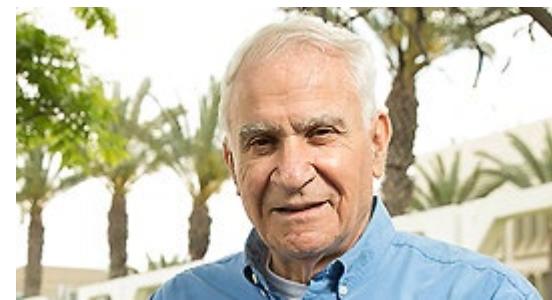
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"**מדינת ישראל היא נס כלכלי שנבנה מהשילוב עם  
העולם"**

18.04.15 אוורי פסובסקי פרופסור לכלכלה אסף רזין מנתח את הצמיחה הכלכלית מהירה של ישראל: "מדינה שב-1948 התחילה מרמה של עולם שלישי הפכה ב-70 שנה לחברה במועדון המדינות העשירות ביותר". לדבריו, "בידוד כלכלי הוא אسوון. אם יתנתקו מאיتنا זו תהיה מכיה אנושה"



## בל' מבוגר אחראי?

12.12.31 עוד בלומרפروف' אסף רזין: הצעד הפיסකאלי הוא דו-קרב פוליטי עם סנדול הדדי. בטוח האורך תיתכן הסכמה על רפורמה במיסוי



## ביטחון בתקציב?

12.08.15 עוד בלומרפروف' אסף רזין: צרי ועדה חדשה שתבחן את מבנה והיקף תקציב הביטחון. הנזונים לפיהם פعلاה ועדת ברודט השתנו משמעותית