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Prof. Yemini was born and raised in Ukraine. She graduated (*Summa cum laude*) with a BSc in Natural Sciences from Ben Gurion University; she holds both a MSc and PhD in Biotechnology from Tel Aviv University; and she had undertaken postdoctoral studies in Materials Engineering. Prof. Yemini also holds an MBA in strategy and entrepreneurship from Tel Aviv University. After completing a successful postdoctoral stint in Materials Engineering and having twins in 2007, Prof. Yemini pivoted her professional efforts to focus on education, with a career aspiration being to improve education opportunities and quality for future generations. In the last decade, Prof. Yemini has independently completed background studies in comparative education and sociology of education and has developed a very strong track record of publications on global citizenship education, the global middle class, internationalisation in education and in entrepreneurship in education.

Prof. Yemini has vast experience in leading research projects and in quantitative & qualitative methodology and policy studies. She has developed strong and globally distributed research collaborations: the UK, US, Hong Kong, Argentina, Australia, Italy, Denmark, and Germany, as well as ongoing fruitful collaborations with Israeli peers. She co-edited/edited several edited volumes including: *Discourse on Global Middle Classes* (co-edited); *International Journal of Educational Development* on educational policy in Israel; *Future Policies in Education* on Internationalisation in Education, the *British Journal of Educational Studies* on Global Citizenship Education (co-edited), the *Journal of Educational Administration* on School-NGO partnerships (co-edited), *Education, Citizenship and Social Justice* on citizenship and education (co-edited), *Educational Review* on international schooling (co-edited) and *Teachers & Teaching* on internationalisation in teaching education (co-edited). She also received a prestigious Jean Monnet Module grant from the European Commission (EACEA) for teaching and research on internationalisation in education (2016-2019). Prof. Yemini was appointed as a co-Chair for the UNESCO chair on Technology and Internationalisation in Education at Tel Aviv University. In April 2018, she was awarded a prize for Research Cooperation and High Excellence in Science (ARCHES) by the Max Planck Foundation, which offered €200,000 to develop research and teaching in school-NGO interactions. Prof. Yemini also secured funding from the (German) Humboldt Foundation, under the framework of scholarships for experienced researchers. She has won research funding from the Israeli Science Foundation. Prof. Yemini serves the editorial boards of many leading academic journals (*British Journal of Sociology of Education*, *Higher Education Policy*, *Compare*, *Journal of Research in Comparative and International Education*, *Comparative Education Review*, *Educational Review*, and *International Journal of Educational Development*). She serves as an associate editor for *Multicultural Education Review* and the *International*

Journal of Educational Development. Prof. Yemini also serves as a joint lead editor for *International Studies in Sociology of Education.*