Shula Mola – Resume

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Educational History

2006-2010	Master of Arts, Sociology of Education School of Education Hebrew University, Jerusalem
	Thesis Title: "The Struggle for Normalcy": Ethiopian High School Students encounter racism in Religious Schools Main Themes: Strategies for integration, Normalization versus Ethiopian solidarity, multi-faceted aspects of identity
2003-2005	Fellow in Educational Leadership Fellowship Mandel Leadership Institute, Jerusalem
	Project: Multiple Strategies for Social Change: Empowering Peripheral Groups.
1998-2003	Master of Arts, Educational Policy and Administration (Non Research Tract) School of Education, Department of School Administration and Policy Hebrew University, Jerusalem
	Main Themes: Comparative Study of government policy papers, analysis of absorption and integration of Ethiopian immigrants
1994-1997	Bachelor's Degree, Education and General Studies School of Education, Department of School Administration and Policy Hebrew University, Jerusalem
	Additional Qualifications:
2010	Literacy Coach Training Course Israel Center for Innovation in Education in cooperation with: Teacher's College of Colombia University, Reading and Writing Project
2004-2005	School Principal Certification Course Ministry of Education
2003-2004	Teacher's Certification Course Ministry of Education

Professional Experience

- 2010-2013 Director of Department of Community Development Israel Center for Educational Innovation/Moriah Fund, Kfar Saba, Israel
- 2005-2010 **Teacher and School-wide New Immigrant Coordinator** Reut School, Jerusalem

Taught middle school and developed pilot project for integrating students with peripheral backgrounds into Jerusalem schools.

2005-2006 Supervisor/Teacher Trainer for "Active Citizenship Program" New Israel Fund and Israel Venture Network, Sderot

Introduced new Active Citizenship Program in schools in development town of Sderot, and trained and oversaw teachers teaching corresponding curriculum.

- 1999-2003Executive Director of Nonprofit AssociationIsrael Association for Ethiopian Jews
- 1997-1999Founding Director of Strategic Planning UnitIsrael Association for Ethiopian Jews
- 1995-1996 Spokesperson and Lobbyist for Ethiopian Community at the Knesset and at the United Jewish Committee Israel Association for Ethiopian Jews

Awards, Voluntary Appointments

- 2005-present Chairperson of the Board, Israel Association for Ethiopian Jews
- 2000-present Member of Board, Gesher Film fund for Multicultural Cinema
- 2010 Honorary Doctoral Degree Award by: The Reginald F. Lewis Museum of Maryland African American History and Culture
- 2000 **The Nachshon Award for contribution to the Jewish People** Presented by: The UJA National Young Leadership Cabinet