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Arthur (Ari) Schaffer completed his doctoral research at Rutgers University in 1982 studying the biochemical genetics of squash pigmentation, and carried out postdoc research at the Hebrew University on Citrus carbohydrate metabolism. Since 1986 he has been at the Volcani Center studying the genetic control of fruit metabolism, with particular interest in the natural genetic variability for metabolism that can be utilized for the improvement of fruit quality.