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CURRICULUM VITAE

EDUCATION

Tel-Aviv University, Buchmann Faculty of Law
PhD., 2020

Supervisors: Prof. Shai Lavi, Prof. Aeyal Gross; Committee: Prof. Lisa Hajjar, Prof. Liora Bilsky
Dissertation Title: Citizen-Enemies: Military Courts in Israel and the Occupied Territories 1967-2000

University of Oxford
MSt., International Human Rights Law, Distinction, 2010

Supervisors: Prof. Orna Ben-Naftali, Dr. Patricia Sellers
Dissertation Title: The Honey Trap: The Application of Israeli Law in the Military Courts of the Occupied Palestinian Territory

Tel-Aviv University, Buchmann Faculty of Law
LLB., 1995

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

University of Washington, Seattle, Benaroya Postdoctoral Fellowship in Israel Studies
Jackson School of International Studies, 2020-2022

University of California, Berkeley, Center for Middle Eastern Studies
Visiting Scholar, 2018-2020

Harvard University, Institute for Global Law and Policy
Visiting Researcher, 2019

University of California, Berkeley, School of Law, Center for the Study of Law and Society
Visiting Scholar, 2016-2018

PUBLICATIONS

PUBLISHED PEER REVIEWED ARTICLES

Revise Your Syllabi: Israeli Supreme Court Upholds Authorization for Torture and Ill-Treatment, 10 J. INT. HUMANIT. LEG. STUD. 41–57 (2019).

Constitutional Mindset: The Interrelations between Constitutional Law and International Law in the Extraterritorial Application of Human Rights, 50 ISR. LAW REV. 139–176 (2017).

The Application of Israeli Law in the Military Courts in the Occupied Territories, 43 THEORY CRIT. 45–74 (2014) (Hebrew).

Smadar Ben-Natan CV

FORTHCOMING

Self-Proclaimed Human Rights Heroes: The Professional Project of Israeli Military Judges
Law & Social Inquiry (2020)

Above and Beyond Denial: Incarcerated Children in Israel/Palestine
Book Review: Nadera Shalhoub-Kevorkian, *Incarcerated Childhood and the Politics of Unchilding* (CUP, 2019)
Journal of Genocide Research (2020)

UNDER REVIEW

The Duality of Penal Emergencies
Accepted for special issue of *Punishment & Society: Legacies of Empire*

The Overbroad Path of Secret Evidence: Comments on Special Advocates Bill (Hebrew)
Smadar Ben-Natan, Ilan Saban, Tomer Barazani, Hadar Madnick, Kela Sappir, Wissam Sharaf
Invited to Revise and Resubmit by *Hukim - Journal on Legislation*

PUBLISHED BOOK CHAPTERS

Citizen-Enemies: Palestinian Citizens and Military Courts in Israel and the Occupied Palestinian Territories 1967-2000, in: Amal Jamal ed., *New Studies of the Israeli-Palestinian Reality*, Tel-Aviv University Press, (2020) (Hebrew).

Controversy and Consensus, Pornography and Hate Speech: The Legal Challenge to the Playboy Channel
In: Hertzog and Shadmi, eds., *Prostitution, Pornography and Trafficking in Women: Israel's Blood Money*, Routledge (2019)

The Israeli Supreme Court and the Occupied Territories: The Last Diamond in the King's Crown
In: Ishai Menuchin, ed., *50 Concepts, Testimonies and Representations of Occupation*, November Books (2017) (Hebrew)

Freedom of Speech, Racism and Pornography: A Comment on the Playboy Channel Decision
In: Hertzog and Shadmi, eds., *Blood Money: Prostitution, Sex Trafficking and Pornography in Israel*, Pardes (2013) (Hebrew)

Are There Prisoners in This War?
In: Baker and Matar, eds., *Threat: Palestinian Political Prisoners in Israel*, Pluto Press (2011)

Since He is a Patriot
In Hacker and Ziv, eds., *Does Law Matter?* Tel-Aviv University Law Faculty Press (2010) (Hebrew)

TEACHING AND PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

International Law and International Relations
UC Berkeley, Legal Studies, 2020

Legal Research and Writing
Tel-Aviv University, Buchmann Faculty of Law, 2015-2016

Writing Skills Support Group for Arabic Speaking Students
Tel-Aviv University, Buchmann Faculty of Law, 2015-2016

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Between Obscenity and Pornography

Ramat-Gan Academic College of Law, 2005

Documentation of Torture According to the Istanbul Protocol, Tel-Aviv, Israel 2015

Professional training for lawyers, physicians and mental health professionals, UNHCR and PCATI

Successfully Litigating Human Rights Cases Involving Torture, Kampala, Uganda 2010

Professional training for lawyers, Avocats Sans Frontières, Belgium

The Law and Practice in Israeli Military Courts, Ramallah/Bethlehem, Palestinian Territories 2008

Professional training for lawyers, Machsom Watch and PCATI

GRANTS, HONORS AND ACCOLADES

Commendation, Michel Halperin Competition for Best Article in Human Rights Theory and Practice (Citizen-Enemies)	2020
Zvi Meitar Center for Advanced Legal Studies, Tel-Aviv University, Travel Grant	2019
Walter Lebach Institute for Jewish-Arab Coexistence through Education, Tel-Aviv University Research grant	2018
Annual Israel Law Review Prize: Best Unsolicited Article (Constitutional Mindset)	2017
David Berg Institute for Law and History, Tel-Aviv University, Research Grant	2016
Zvi Meitar Center for Advanced Legal Studies, Tel-Aviv University, Travel Grant	2016
Zvi Meitar Center for Advanced Legal Studies, Tel-Aviv University, Meitar Fellow	2016
Zvi Meitar Center for Advanced Legal Studies, Tel-Aviv University, Doctoral Scholarship	2014-2017
Minerva Center for Human Rights, Tel-Aviv University, Research Grant	2014
University of Oxford, Morris Prize for the Best Dissertation	2011
Israel National Public Defender, Award for Special Contribution	2006
Forbes Magazine, cited as one of the 50 most influential women in Israel	2007
Globes Financial Magazine, cited as one of the 50 most influential women in Israel for 2005	2005

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2019-2020	Senior Researcher, Defense lawyers in Israeli military courts, Tel-Aviv University Research project by Prof. Neta Ziv, funded by the Israeli Science Foundation
2019	Member of the UN Istanbul Protocol Review Committee
2010-2018	Co-founder and legal advisor: Gun Free Kitchen Tables An Israeli feminist gun control initiative focused on gender implications of small arms proliferation.
2017-2018	Project Advisor, UC Berkeley International Human Rights Law Clinic Non-Typical Forms of Torture and Ill-Treatment
2017	Consultant to the UN Special Rapporteur on Torture on Non-Typical Methods of Torture
2015	Admitted to the List of Counsel of the International Criminal Court
2011-2016	Legal advisor for the Public Committee against Torture in Israel
2001-2016	Legal practice - human rights, constitutional law, criminal defense Representation of NGOs, individual clients, clients referred by the criminal public defender and civil legal aid. Litigation of criminal and security cases, fair trial rights, prisoners' rights, asylum, immigration, women's rights, consultation and report writing for human rights NGOs. List of selected cases available upon demand.
1996-2000	Attorney, Avigdor Feldman Law Office

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1996 Admitted to the Israeli Bar Association

ACADEMIC CONFERENCES

- 2020 **Middle East Studies Association Annual Meeting, Online**
Self-Proclaimed Human Rights Heroes: The Counter-Narrative of Israeli Military Judges
- 2020 **Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Online**
Enemy Jurisdictions: The Conflation of Emergency and Armed Conflict
- 2019 **Military Justice and Armed Conflict: Old Problems, New Challenges, Minerva Center for Human Rights, Hebrew University, Jerusalem**
The Imperial Turn in Military Justice: Armed Conflict, Emergency Powers, and Criminal Law
- 2019 **Law and History Israeli Association Annual Conference, Jerusalem**
Citizen-Enemies: Military Courts in Israel and the Occupied Palestinian Territories 1967-2000
- 2019 **Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Washington DC**
The More the Merrier? Military Courts from Sovereignty to Governmentality
- 2019 **Law and Society Association, Junior Scholars Workshop, Washington DC** (competitive selection)
- 2018 **Association for Israel Studies Annual Conference, Berkeley**
Citizen-Enemies: The Constitution of Multiple Israeli Security Jurisdictions
- 2018 **Law and Society Association Annual Meeting, Toronto**
Citizens-Enemies: Military Courts and the Bureaucratic Designation of Dangerous Populations
- 2018 **Law and Society Association, Junior Scholars Workshop, Toronto** (competitive selection)
- 2016 **American Association of International Law Research Forum, Seattle**
Constitutional Mindset: The Interrelations between Constitutional Law and International Law in the Extraterritorial Application of Human Rights
- 2015 **Israeli Law and Society Association Annual Conference, Haifa**
Inside and Outside Israeli law: The Application of Israeli Law in the Military Courts of the Occupied Palestinian Territories
- 2012 **Ono Academic College, *National Security and Criminal Justice***
The Honey Trap: The Application of Israeli Law in the Military Courts of the Occupied Palestinian Territories

OTHER SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2017 **Science Po, Intensive Doctoral Week, Paris**
The Burden of Citizenship
- 2017 **UC Berkeley, Center for Middle Eastern Studies, *1967 and the Politics of Time***
Temporary as Indefinite: Horizons of the Future in 1967

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- 2014 Expert Symposium, UK Independent Reviewer of Terrorism Legislation, *Deportation with Assurances*, London
Deportation with Assurances: The Case of Israel
- 2012 Israeli Institute for Democracy, *Secret Evidence, Counter-Terrorism and Criminal Law*
The Expiry Date of Secret Evidence
- 2011 Israeli Institute for Democracy, *Interrogation of Terrorism Suspects*
Security Interrogations v. Criminal Interrogations

SELECTED PUBLIC SERVICE

- 2020 1947 Partition Archive, Oral History Program, Archivist
- 2019-2020 Reviewer for: Torture Journal, Journal for Palestine Studies, Mishpatim, Iyunei Mishpat
- 2019 UN Istanbul Protocol Review Committee, Contributing Author
- 2017-2019 Center for the Study of Law and Society, organizer, Visiting Scholars Speakers Series
- 2008-2010 Israeli Bar Association, Deputy Chairperson, National Security Offenses Committee
- 2003-2007 Israeli Bar Association, Chairperson, Committee on the Status of Women

LANGUAGES

English, Hebrew, French, Arabic