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Academic Work

Professor of Law, Tel Aviv University, 2013–present
David R. Greenbaum and Laureine Night Greenbaum Distinguished Visiting Professor of Law,
University of Chicago, 2019
Director of the Batya and Isachar Fischer Center for Corporate Governance and Capital Market
Regulation, Tel Aviv University, 2007–2019
Affiliate Professor of Law, Tel Aviv University, 2007–2013
Director of the Business Law Program, University of Southern California, 2011–2013
Professor of Law, University of Southern California, 2006–2013
Associate Professor of Law, University of Southern California, 2003–2006
Assistant Professor of Law, University of Southern California, 2000–2003
Visiting Professor of Law, Tel Aviv University, 2002
Joseph H. Flom Visiting Professor of Law and Business, Harvard University, 2006–2007
Visiting Professor of Law, New York University, 2005
Visiting Professor of Law, Hebrew University, 2002
Courses: Corporations, Mergers and Acquisitions, Securities Regulation, Deal
Planning, Corporate Law Theory, Quantitative Empirical Legal Research,
Commercial Law

Legal Practice

Associate, Corporate Department, Fried, Frank, Harris, Shriver & Jacobson, New York, 1999
Deputy Director of Prosecution in the Military Court of Appeals, Israel Defense Forces, 1994
Prosecutor in Military Courts, Israel Defense Forces, 1991–1993

Education

Columbia University, LL.M. 1998, J.S.D. 1999
J. William Fulbright Scholar, 1996–1998
Lawrence A. Wien Fellow, 1996–1997
John M. Olin Fellow, 1997–1999
Hebrew University, LL.B. 1991, LL.M. *summa cum laude* 1995

Grants and Prizes

Israel Science Foundation Personal Research Grant, 2019–2022
Fattal Prize for Excellence in Legal Research, 2019
United State–Israel Binational Fund, 2013–2015
Marie Curie Intra-European Fund, European Union, 2009–2011

Publications

The Rise of Bankruptcy Directors (with Jared A. Ellias and Kobi Kastiel), Working Paper, 2021
Alibaba: A Case Study of Synthetic Control (with Jesse M. Fried), 11 *Harvard Business Law Review* (forthcoming 2021)
China and the Rise of Law-Proof Insiders (with Jesse M. Fried), Working Paper, 2020
The Effect of Minority Veto Rights on Controller Pay Tunneling (with Jesse M. Fried and Yishay Yafeh), 138 *Journal of Financial Economics* 777 (2020)
Israel (with Ayal Shenhav and Shay Yanovsky), in *Start-up Law* 152 (Alexandra Andhov ed., Edward Elgar Publishing, 2020)
Authority Without Responsibility? Response to the Proposal to Eliminate Directors' and Officers' Liability Under the New Israeli Insolvency Law (with Kobi Kastiel), 43 *Tel Aviv University Law Review* 255 (2020) (in Hebrew)
The Teva Case: A Tale of a Race to the Bottom in Global Securities Regulation (with Sharon Hannes), in *Research Handbook on Shareholder Litigation* 372 (Jessica Erickson, Sean Griffith, David Webber and Verity Winship eds., Edward Elgar, 2018)
Hidden Government Influence over Privatized Banks (with Assaf Hamdani), 13 *Theoretical Inquiries in Law* 567 (2012)
Bundling and Entrenchment (with Lucian Bebchuk), 123 *Harvard Law Review* 1549 (2010)
Selected by Corporate Practice Commentator as one of the ten best articles in corporate and securities law in 2010.
The Story of Paramount Communications v. QVC Network: Everything Is Personal, in *Corporate Stories* 293 (J. Mark Ramseyer, ed., 2009)
Going-Private Decisions and the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002: A Cross-Country Analysis (with Pinar Karaca-Mandic and Eric Talley), 25 *Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization* 107 (2009). Selected by Corporate Practice Commentator as one of the ten best articles in corporate and securities law in 2009.
Sarbanes-Oxley's Effects on Small Firms: What Is the Evidence? (with Pinar Karaca-Mandic and Eric Talley), in *In the Name of Entrepreneurship? The Logic and Effects of Special Regulatory Treatment for Small Business* 143 (Susan M. Gates & Kristin Leuschner, eds., RAND, 2007)
Beyond Competition for Incorporations, 94 *Georgetown Law Journal* 1725 (2006). Reprinted in 48 *Corporate Practice Commentator* 719 (2006–2007). A version of this article, entitled Using Corporate Law to Compete for Investments, was published in *European Integration and Investor Protection: Regulatory Competition and Harmonization* 59 (Guido Ferrarini and Eddy Wymeersch, eds., Oxford University, 2006)
The Myth of State Competition in Corporate Law (with Marcel Kahan), 55 *Stanford Law Review* 679 (2002). Selected by Corporate Practice Commentator as one of the ten best articles in corporate and securities law in 2003. Excerpted in *Foundations of Corporate Law* 126

(Roberta Romano ed., LexisNexis, 2d ed. 2010), translated to Chinese (Luo Peixin trans., Peking University Press, 2013)
Price Discrimination in the Market for Corporate Law (with Marcel Kahan), 86 *Cornell Law Review* 1205 (2001). Reprinted in 43 *Corporate Practice Commentator* 115 (2002)
Shareholder Litigation Under Indeterminate Corporate Law, 66 *University of Chicago Law Review* 887 (1999)
A Regulatory Competition Theory of Indeterminacy in Corporate Law, 98 *Columbia Law Review* 1208 (1998). Reprinted in *Corporate Governance: Law, Theory, and Policy* 129 (Thomas W. Joo ed., 2d ed. 2010)
Towards Overruling the Kinsey Rule, 42 *Israel Bar Law Review* 548 (1996)
Corroborating Confessions by the Defendants' Own Statements, 5 *Israel Journal of Criminal Justice* 277 (1996)
Institutional Investors as Corporate Monitors in Israel, 29 *Israel Law Review* 636 (1995)
Transferring Development Rights, 111 *Israel Association of Land Appraisers Review* 5 (1994)
Selected Law Reports of the Military Courts in the Administered Territories, 1989–1993 (1994) (editor)
Joint Bank Accounts – A Different Approach, 40 *Israel Bar Law Review* 548 (1993)

Work in Progress

Independent Committees (with Kobi Kastiel)
Bondholder Conflicts of Interest (with Assaf Hamdani)
Evidence on the Effect of Mandating Minority Approval of Related Party Transactions in Israel
Evidence on the Effect of the Say on Pay Reform in Israel

Professional Activities

Member of the Israel Bar since 1993
Research Associate of the European Corporate Governance Institute since 2009
Ad Hoc Referee for the Harvard University Press; Oxford University Press; Harvard Law Review; Yale Law Journal; Stanford Law Review; American Law and Economics Review Journal of Empirical Legal Studies; Journal of Legal Studies; Journal of Law, Economics, and Organization; Journal of Law, Finance and Accounting; German-Israeli Foundation for Scientific Research and Development; Israel Science Foundation; Annual Conference of the European Association of Law and Economics; Annual Conference of the Society for Empirical Legal Studies
Founder, Tel Aviv University Corporate Governance Blog
Written Statement, the Knesset Constitution, Law and Justice Committee Regarding Amendment No. 16 of the Corporation Law, 2010
Written Statement and Appearance before the Government Committee for Promotion of Competition in Israel, 2012

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