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Academic Appointments

University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law

Associate Professor of Law 2024-

Courses: Administrative Law, Constitutional Law, Comparative Public Law

Harvard Law School

Post-doctoral Fellow 2022-2024

Affiliated Scholar, Harvard Innovation Lab

Courses taught: Progressive Alternatives: Institutional Reconstruction Today (TF)

Won the Derek Bok Award for Excellence in Teaching

NYU School of Law

Adjunct Professor 2023-2024

Global Hauser Post-doctoral Fellow 2022-2023

Courses taught: Resisting Contemporary Authoritarianism

Brooklyn Law School

Visiting Assistant Professor, Spring 2024

Courses taught: Property

Education

Harvard Law School • SJD, 2022

Dissertation title: New Advances in the Study of Norms, Conventions, and Rights
(Constitutional and Otherwise)

Dissertation committee: Professors Mark Tushnet & Vicki C. Jackson

Harvard Law School • LLM, 2015 (requirements fulfilled; degree waived)

Hebrew University, Faculty of Law • LLB, 2011 (*magna cum laude*)

PUBLICATIONS

Monographs & Edited Books

Comparative Judicial Review Principles: Core Questions & Beyond

EDWARD ELGAR (forthcoming 2027)

(with Paul Daly, Yseult Marique & Maurice Sunkin)

The Cambridge Handbook on Comparative Statutory Interpretation in the Global Common Law World

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY PRESS (forthcoming 2026)
(editor, with Janina Boughey & Lisa Burton Crawford)

Articles & Other Major Scholarly Works

Pictures of a Revolution: Administrative Law in a Time of Change

123 MICHIGAN LAW REVIEW (forthcoming 2025)
(with Shalev Roisman)

Our Parochial Administrative Law

97 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA LAW REVIEW 801 (2024)

- Winner of the AALS Comparative Law Section 2025 Mark Tushnet Award for a “scholarly article judged to have made an important contribution in the field of comparative law”
- “Highly recommended” on the [Legal Theory Blog](#)

Getting Right What’s Wrong with the Major Questions Doctrine

62 COLUMBIA JOURNAL OF TRANSNATIONAL LAW 543 (2024)

- Featured on the Harvard Law School Newsletter: [What Critics Get Wrong—and Right—About the Supreme Court’s New Major Questions Doctrine](#), Harvard Law Today, April 19, 2023
- “Highly recommended” on the [Legal Theory Blog](#)

Beyond the Binary: Toward a New Global Model of Constitutional Rights Adjudication

41 BERKELEY JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW 198 (2023)

- “Highly recommended” on the [Legal Theory Blog](#)

Political Stare Decisis

22 CHICAGO JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW 494 (2022)

- “Highly recommended” on the [Legal Theory Blog](#)

Constitutional Norm Entrepreneurship

80 MARYLAND LAW REVIEW 881 (2021)

- Cited by the Israeli Supreme Court in [HCJ 2592/20 Movement for Quality Gov’t v. the A.G.](#)
- “Highly recommended” and an “important paper” on the [Legal Theory Blog](#)

Book Chapters

Introduction

HANDBOOK OF COMPARATIVE STATUTORY INTERPRETATION IN THE COMMON LAW WORLD (Janina Boughey, Lisa Burton Crawford & Oren Tamir eds.)
Cambridge University Press (forthcoming, 2026)
(with Janina Boughey & Lisa Burton Crawford)

The Stakes of Deference

HANDBOOK OF COMPARATIVE STATUTORY INTERPRETATION IN THE COMMON LAW WORLD (Janina Boughey, Lisa Burton Crawford & Oren Tamir eds.)
Cambridge University Press (forthcoming, 2026)

[The Major Questions Doctrines: A Case Study on the “Possibilities” of Comparative Administrative Law](#)

COMPARATIVE ADMINISTRATIVE LAW 3RD EDITION (Megan Pfiffer, Farrah Ahmed, Mariana Mota Prado, Blake Emerson & Peter Lindseth eds.)
Edward Elgar (forthcoming, 2025)

Casebook

Constitutional Fidelities: A Constitutional Law Casebook

MIT PRESS (forthcoming, 2025)
(with Lawrence Lessig)

Works-In-Progress

Collapsing the Public Law Firewall

Private Administrative Law

Constitutional Theory to Save a Country

From Principals to Practice: What Administrative Law Can Become
(with Charles Sabel & Jeremy Kessler)

Surviving Without *Chevron*

(with Mariolina Eliantonio)

Statutory Interpretation Around the World

(with Janina Boughey & Lisa Burton Crawford)

Commentary

[The 2024 Administrative Law Supreme Court Cases and the Second Trump Administration](#)

CHEMINS PUBLICS, February 5, 2025
(with Susan Rose-Ackerman)

[The Chevron Doctrine through the Lens of Comparative Law: An Introduction to a Symposium](#)

BALKINIZATION, September 27, 2023
(with Susan Rose-Ackerman)

[Comparative Administrative Law: Is the U.S. an Outlier? A Concluding Essay](#)

BALKINIZATION, October 17, 2023

(with Susan Rose-Ackerman)

[On the Need for \(and Difficulties of\) Reaching a “Mature Position” About AI](#)

YALE J. ON REG. NOTICE & COMMENT BLOG, March 15th, 2023

(part of an online book symposium on Orly Lobel, *The Equality Machine: Harnessing Digital Technology for a Brighter, More Inclusive Future* (2022))

(with Tomer Kenneth)

[The Limits of Ely-Stretching](#)

34 NATIONAL LAW SCHOOL OF INDIA REVIEW 83 (2023)

(part of a symposium on Rosalind Dixon, *Responsive Judicial Review: Democracy and Dysfunction in the Modern Age* (2023))

[“Good” Court Packing in the Real World](#)

IACL-AICL BLOG, April 5th, 2022

(part of an online symposium on Tom Gerald Daly, “Good” Court Packing? The Paradoxes of Constitutional Repair in Contexts of Democratic Decay, 23 *German Law Journal* 1071 (2022))

[Can Abusive Borrowing Itself Be Abusive?](#)

BALKINIZATION, September 26th, 2021

(part of an online book symposium on Rosalind Dixon & David Landau, *Abusive Constitutional Borrowing: Legal Globalization and the Subversion of Liberal Democracy* (2021))

Judicial Clerkship

Supreme Court of Israel • 2010–2011

Law Clerk

Chambers of the Honorable Justice Esther Hayut, Chief Justice (now ret.)

Past Experience

Office of Legal Counsel & Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice • Jerusalem, Israel

• 2011–2014

Assistant Attorney General

Selected Presentations & Speaking Engagements

2025

- *Administrative Law Discussion Forum*, University of Stockholm, Sweden, June 2025 (presenting *Loper Bright Abroad*) (following call for papers)
- *Government Law—Year in Review*, Victoria University Wellington Te Herenga Waka, New Zealand, February 2025 (discussing the rise and fall of *Chevron* deference)

- *The Future of the Second Amendment after Bruen and Rahimi*, University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law, Arizona USA, January 2025 (panelist)

2024

- *Comparative Administrative Law Roundtable*, Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan, December 2024 (presenting *Pictures of a Revolution: Administrative Law in a Time of Change*) (by invitation)
- *Comparative Constitutional Law Roundtable*, Gilbert + Tobin Center for Public Law, University of New South Wales, Australia, December 2024 (presenting *Collapsing the Public Law Firewall*) (by invitation)
- *Workshop for the Handbook on Comparative Statutory Interpretation in the Common Law World*, University of New South Wales and Sydney University, Australia, December 2024 (presenter & panel participant) (workshop co-organizer with Janina Boughey and Lisa Burton-Crawford)
- *American Bar Association Section on Administrative Law & Regulatory Policy Fall 2024 Conference*, online event, November 2024 (chair & organizer, with Susan Rose-Ackerman, of a panel on *Deference, Delegation, and Rulemaking: A View from Europe*)
- *Faculty Workshop*, Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law, Arizona State University, Phoenix, AZ, November 2024 (presenting: *Pictures of a Revolution: Administrative Law in a Time of Change*) (by invitation)
- *Comparative Administrative Law Conference*, Notre Dame University in London, London, U.K., October 2024 (panel participant) (by invitation)
- *The Future of Deference in Comparative Administrative Law: Part I*, The International Society of Public Law 2024 Conference, Madrid, Spain, July 2024 (panel chair) (co-organizer with Mariolina Eliantonio)
- *The Future of Deference in Comparative Administrative Law: Part II*, The International Society of Public Law 2024 Conference, Madrid, Spain, July 2024 (co-organizer with Mariolina Eliantonio)
- *Book Roundtable: Research Handbook on Soft Law (Mariolina Eliantonio, Emilia Korkea-aho & Ulrika Morth)*, The International Society of Public Law 2024 Conference, Madrid, Spain, July 2024 (panel participant) (by invitation)
- *The Past, Present, and Future of the Personnel of the State*, University Center for Human Values, Princeton University, April 2024 (panel participant) (by invitation)
- *New Voices Program, Administrative Law Section of the American Association of Law Schools*, Washington, D.C., January 2024 (presenting *Our Parochial Administrative Law*) (following a competitive call for papers)

2023

- *European Administrative Law Dialogues*, Online Event, November 2023 (presenting *Our Parochial Administrative Law* with commentaries from Professor Liz Fisher, Oxford University, and Professor Mariolina Eliantonio, Maastricht University) (by invitation)
- *LPE 101 series*, Law and Political Economy Group, NYU School of Law, New York, NY, February 2023 (presenting *Getting Right What's Wrong with the Major Questions Doctrine*) (by invitation)
- *Visiting Scholars Workshop*, Center on Human Rights and Global Justice, NYU School of Law, New York, NY, January 2023 (presenting *Getting Right What's Wrong with the Major Questions Doctrine*) (by invitation)

2022

- *Junior Scholars Conference*, Michigan University Law School, Ann Arbor, MI, January 2022 (presenting *Beyond the Binary: Toward A New Model of Constitutional Rights Adjudication*) (following a call for papers)

Service

University of Arizona James E. Rogers College of Law

Appointments Committee (2024-), Enrichment Committee (2024-)

Reviewer

Harvard Law Review, Yale Law Journal, International Journal of Constitutional Law