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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW

Assistant Professor, July 2025 – present

SOLOMON CENTER FOR HEALTH LAW AND POLICY, YALE LAW SCHOOL

Senior Research Fellow, 2023 – 2025

HARVARD LAW SCHOOL PROJECT ON DISABILITY

Fellow, 2024 – 2025

EDUCATION

COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL, JSD, 2023

Dissertation: Disability Integration Outside the Mainstream

Committee: Professors Elizabeth Emens (Chair), David Pozen, Petros Mavroidis

COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL, LL.M, 2019

Honors: Fulbright Fellow, Kent Scholar (equivalent to “High Honors” under CLS’ [updated system](#) of academic honors), Norman E. Alexander Scholar, Milton B. Conford Award (Best Paper in Jurisprudence), Emil Schlesinger Award (Student Most Proficient in the Subject of Labor Law)

Activities: Research and Teaching Assistant to Professor Elizabeth Emens

TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY LAW SCHOOL, LL.B, *magna cum laude*, 2014

Honors: Award for Academic Excellence (2014), Dean’s List (2010–11, 2012–13)

Activities: TAU Law Review; Research Assistant to Professor Ariel Porat (Torts)

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

LAW REVIEW ARTICLES

The Contractualization of Disability Rights Law, 92 U. CHI. L. REV. ____ (forthcoming 2025)

- Selected for the 9th Annual Health Law Works-in-Progress Retreat at Seton Hall Law School
- Featured in [Legal Theory Blog](#)
- Featured in [LPE Blog](#) (“Some of the Best New LPE and LPE-Adjacent Scholarship”)

Inverse Integration and the Relational Deficit of Disability Rights Law, 124 COLUM. L. REV. 563 (2024) ([link](#))

- Selected for the Michigan Law Junior Scholars Conference

- Selected for the Cornell Law School's Inter-University Graduate Conference
- Selected for the Annual McGill Law Graduate Conference

***Reversing Reverse Mainstreaming*, 75 STAN. L. REV. 601 (2023) ([link](#))**

- Selected for the Law and Society Association Graduate Student & Early Career Workshop

***Gambling on Disability Rights*, 43 COLUM. J.L. & ARTS 237 (2020) ([link](#))**

- Discussed in [Sportico: The Business of Sports](#)

BOOK CHAPTERS

The 100 Year-Old-American and Our Health System, in *LAW AND THE 100-YEAR-OLD AMERICAN* (Alstott, Gluck & Rusyn eds., 2025) (CUP) (with Abbe Gluck & Dr. Linda Fried) ([link](#))

WORKS IN PROGRESS

It's Not "Personal:" Health Information Disclosure and the Physical-Mental Distinction (with Dr. Mihir Gupta, Trevan Klug, Melisa Olgun, Mohamed Ahmed Ramy & Rayyan Darji)

Accommodative Contracts (with Szymon Osmola & Michael Stein)

The Legal Side Effects of Alzheimer's Medication (with Dr. Mihir Gupta, Trevan Klug, Melisa Olgun, Rayyan Darji & Mohamed Ahmed Ramy) [selected for the 8th Stanford Law and Society Conference for Junior Researchers]

Disaggregating "Integration"

MEDIA

How Will Returning Sports Leagues Disclose COVID-19 to Prevent Insider Bets?, SLATE (2020) ([link](#))

AWARDS/HONORS

Fulbright Fellow (2019)

James Kent Scholar (Columbia Law School, 2019) (equivalent to "High Honors" under CLS' [updated system](#))

Norman E. Alexander Scholar (Columbia Law School, 2019)

Milton B. Conford Award (Columbia Law School, 2019)

Emil Schlesinger Award (Columbia Law School, 2019)

Tel Aviv University Memorial Award for Academic Excellence (2014)

Dean's Honor List (Tel Aviv University, 2010-11, 2012-13)

SELECTED PRESENTATIONS

Shaving in Solidarity

“Weaving it All Together: Hair, Health, Law, and Policy Symposium,” Drexel Law School, Sept. 2025 (scheduled)

The (Other) Universal Turn in Disability Rights Protection

AALS Disability Law Section summer WIP session, July 2025

The Contractualization of Disability Rights Law

9th Annual Health Law Works-in-Progress Retreat at Seton Hall Law School, Jan. 2025

Health Law Professors Conference, June 2024

Richmond Junior Faculty Forum, May 2024

Northeastern Junior Scholars Conference, Mar. 2024

The Legal Side Effects of Alzheimer’s Medication

Health Law Professors Conference, June 2025

Northeastern Junior Scholars Conference, Mar. 2025

8th Stanford Law and Society Conference for Junior Researchers, Apr. 2024

Inverse Integration and the Relational Deficit of Disability Rights Law

9th Michigan Junior Scholars Conference, Apr. 2023

Cornell Law School’s Inter-University Graduate Conference, Apr. 2023

Law and Society Annual Meeting, July 2022

Columbia Law School Sixth Annual Human Rights Student Paper Symposium, Mar. 2022

Annual McGill Law Graduate Conference, Sept. 2020

Reversing Reverse Mainstreaming

Law and Society Annual Meeting, May 2021

Law and Society Association Graduate Student & Early Career Workshop, May 2021

Society for Disability Studies Annual Conference, Apr. 2021

Columbia Law School Fifth Annual Human Rights Student Paper Symposium, Mar. 2021

Disaggregating Integration

17th Annual Colloquium on Scholarship in Employment and Labor Law (COSELL), Oct. 2022

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

EDMOND J. SAFRA CENTER FOR ETHICS, TEL AVIV UNIVERSITY

2022–2023

Post-doctoral Fellow

YALE LAW SCHOOL

Fall 2021

Teaching Assistant to Professor Elizabeth Emens (Disability Law & Culture)

COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL

Spring 2021

Teaching Assistant to Professor Elizabeth Emens (Disability Law & Culture)

COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL

Fall 2019

Teaching Assistant to Professor Daniel Serviansky (Negotiation Workshop)

COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL

Spring 2019

Teaching Assistant to Professor Elizabeth Emens (Disability Law)

SUPREME COURT OF ISRAEL

2014–2018

Senior Law Clerk to the Hon. Justice Daphne Barak-Erez

Law Clerk to the Hon. Justice Daphne Barak-Erez

SERVICE AND PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Reviewer, COLUMBIA LAW REVIEW

LAW & SOCIETY ASSOCIATION

2021–2022, 2024

SOCIETY FOR DISABILITY STUDIES

2021