Freedom of Expression & Digital Platforms
The Next Generation
The Chief Justice Meir Shamgar Center for
Digital Law and Innovation
Tel-Aviv University
The Buchmann Faculty of Law
Kaplun Lecture Hall (209)
May 8, 2023

Symposium in memory of
Dr. Joshua Rotenstreich
Head of the Israel Bar Association (1962-1972)
President of the Israel Press Council (1974-1988)

9:30  Gathering and Registration
10:00  Session 1: The Emerging New Platform Order: A Global Overview
11:30  Coffee Break
12:00  Session 2: How Can Social Media Support Democracy?
13:30  Lunch
14:30  Session 3: Governing Online Speech by Algorithmic Measures
16:00  Reception
17:00  Keynote

Professor Robert Post
Sterling Professor of Law, Yale Law School
Democracy and the Internet

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10:00 Greetings

Prof. Niva Elkin-Koren
Director, The Chief Justice Meir Shamgar Center for Digital Law and Innovation, TAU Law

Prof. Abraham (Avi) J. Domb
Chief Scientist, Israel's Ministry of Innovation, Science and Technology

The Emerging New Platform Order: A Global Overview

Chair
Dr. Asaf Wiener
Managing Director of Research & Policy Israel Internet Association

Prof. Kevin Werbach
Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania
Platform Regulation in America: The Devils We Don’t Know

Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Schulz
Leibniz-Institut für Medienforschung | Hans-Bredow-Institut and Humboldt Institute for Internet and Society
The EU Digital Services Act as an example of Hybrid Speech Governance

Prof. Michael Geist
Canada Research Chair in Internet and E-commerce Law, University of Ottawa, Faculty of Law
Freedom of Expression and Digital Platforms: A Canadian Perspective

Ms. Liran Avisar Ben Horin
Former DG of the Ministry of Communications
Regulating Social Media: A Israeli Perspective

11:30 Coffee Break

12:00 How Can Social Media Support Democracy?

Chair
Dr. Moran Yemini
Partner Herzog law firm, Senior Research Fellow Shamgar Center

Ms. Emi Palmor
Meta Oversight Board, former DG of the Ministry of Justice
Building Accountability through the Oversight Board

Prof. Neil Netanel
UCLA School of Law
Applying Militant Democracy to Defend Against Social Media Harms

Dr. Tomer Shadmy
The Rachel and Salim Benin School of Engineering and Computer Science
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
Protecting the Public Discourses: From Man-To-Man to Zone Defense

Prof. Orit Fischman Afori
Faculty of Law, College of Management
Regulating Online Content Moderation: Introduction of Procedural Justice Standards

13:30 Lunch

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14:30  
**Chair**  
**Governing Online Speech by Technology Measures**  
Mr. Alon Jasper  
PhD Candidate, Zvi Meitar Center for Advanced Legal Studies, TAU Law  
Research Fellow Shamgar Center  
Dr. Inbal Yahav  
Coller School of Management, TAU  
The Ethics of AI Content Moderation: Finding a Balance Between Safety and Free Speech  
Mr. Noam Schwartz  
CEO & Co-Founder of ActiveFence  
Ms. Noga Ben Yoash  
Microsoft Research & Development Center  
Exploring the Possibilities and Limitations of Generative Models  
Dr. Maayan Perel  
Netanya Academic College School of Law  
Prof. Niva Elkin-Koren  
TAU Law  
Contestation by Design: Democratizing Speech Governance by AI  

16:00  
**Reception**  

17:00  
**Greetings**  
Prof. Yishai Blank, Dean, TAU Law  
Ms. Daniella Alyagon, on behalf of the Rotenstreich family  

**Keynote**  
Chair  
Prof. Michael Birnhack, TAU Law  
Professor Robert Post  
Sterling Professor of Law, Yale Law School  
Democracy and the Internet  
Commentator  
Prof. Amnon Reichman, Faculty of Law, Haifa University  

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