

# 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**

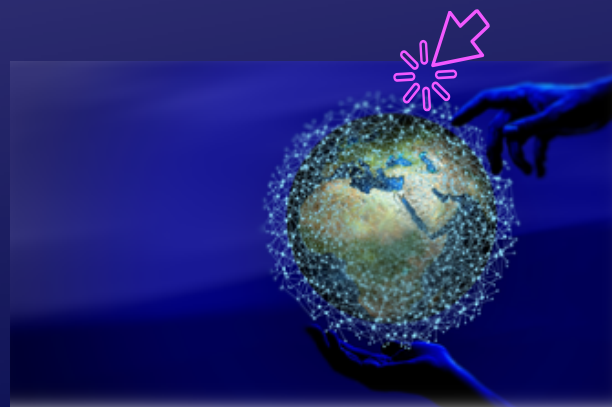
Sterling Professor of Law, Yale Law School  
*Democracy and the Internet*

**Participation is free  
but requires registration**

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Program

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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: An 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 Governing Online Speech by Algorithmic Measures

Chair **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**

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Commentator

**Prof. Amnon Reichman, Faculty of Law, Haifa University**