

CURRICULUM VITAE

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A. EDUCATION

- 1982 – 1990** *Yeshivath* Hebron in Jerusalem
1992 B.A. *Talmud*, Bar-Ilan University
1996 LL.B Hebrew University of Jerusalem
1997 Articles, member of Israeli Bar Association
2000 LL.M. (cum laude), The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
2006 LL.D. (cum laude), The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

B. ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 1993-2007** Research fellow in the Institute of Advanced Studies, Shalom Hartman
Institute Jerusalem
1997-2006 Teaching assistant and Lecturer, Faculty of Law Tel Aviv University
1998 Lecturer, *Labor Law in Jewish Law*, Sharei Mishpat College
2005 Lecturer, *Jewish Law*, The College of Administration, Rishon Le-Zion
2007- 2010 Lecturer, Faculty of Law Tel Aviv University
2009- 2010 Lecturer, *Jewish Law*, The College of Administration, Rishon Le-Zion
2011- Senior Lecturer, Faculty of Law Tel Aviv University
2013 Berkowitz Fellow, The Tikvah Center for Law and Jewish Civilization, NYU
School of Law

C. ACTIVE PARTICIPATION IN SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS

- 2000** The Jewish Law Association Conference, Holland
Paper presented: On The distinction between ex-ante and post-factum
(*lechat'hila* and *bede'abad*) in Jewish law.
2004 The Jewish Law Association Conference, Boston, U.S.A.

- Paper presented: Conduct Rules and Decision Rules in Jewish Law.
- 2007** The 3rd Annual Conference of the Israeli History and Law Association
Paper presented: Legal Thinking in Jewish Lithuanian *Yeshivot* in the 19th Century.
- 2008** The Jewish Law Association Conference, Manchester University
Paper presented: The Obligation to Obey Rabbinical Enactments.
- 2008** The Legal and Literary Club, Tel-Aviv University, Faculty of Law
Paper presented: Doomsday and the Law.
- 2008** The International Conference on Reform Judaism: Sociology, Education and Theology, Van Leer Institute
Paper presented: The Reform Halakhah: Reflections on ‘Sane Halakhah’ of Rabbi Moshe Zemer.
- 2008** Study Meeting on the Occasion of Awarding the Uri Ilan Scholarships and Research Grants, Bar-Ilan University.
Paper Presented: Rabbi S. Shkop – The Genius of Innovation and Originality.
- 2008** Conference on Free Will, Responsibility and Coercion in the Talmud, Harvard Law School – leading of a study workshop
- 2009** Conference on Human Dignity and Shame Punishment in Jewish Law; Harvard Law School – leading of a study workshop
- 2009** Faculty Seminar, Bar Ilan University, Faculty of Law
- 2009** Faculty Seminar, Bar Ilan University, The Department of Talmud
- 2009** Jewish Law Workshop, The Hebrew University, Faculty of Law
- 2009** Law and Philosophy Workshop, The Hebrew University, Faculty of Law
- 2010** Jewish Law Workshop, The Hebrew University, Faculty of Law
- 2010** The Future of Legal Theory, Cornell Law School & the Tel Aviv University Faculty of Law
Comment on Prof. Rachlinski's paper: Evidence-Based Law
- 2010** Jewish Law and Jurisprudence, Tel-Aviv University, The Hebrew University and Bar-Ilan University
Paper presented: "The German Historical School of Law and Jewish Law".
- 2010** The Legal and Literary Club, Tel-Aviv University, Faculty of Law
Paper presented: "Legal Insights in *The Little Prince*"
- 2011** Dignity on the Margins of Humanity and Beyond: Workshop on Law and Bioethics, Tel-Aviv University and Tübingen University (6-7/4/11 in Tel-Aviv; 21-22/9/11 in Tübingen).

- 2011** Repressed Memories and Planted Memories in Sexual Offences – Psychological and Legal Aspects, Tel-Aviv University (forthcoming 12/5/11)
Paper presented: "Planted Memories and Reasonable Doubt –considerations of probability"
- 2011** Jewish Law Workshop, The Hebrew University, Faculty of Law (26/5/11)
- 2011** Jewish Law and Criminal Law, Tel-Aviv University, The Hebrew University and Bar-Ilan University (forthcoming 20-22/6/11)
- 2012** International Workshop on New Understandings of Gender, Love, and the Jewish Family, Van Leer Jerusalem Institute, 1-3/1/12
- 2012** Criminal Law Workshop, The Hebrew University, Faculty of Law (1/2/12)
- 2012** Faculty Seminar, Law School, Sapir College (5/12)
- 2012** Conference on Jewish Law and Torts Law, Tel-Aviv University, The Hebrew University and Bar-Ilan University (25-27/6/12)
- 2012** Tikvah Center, NYU (Law School)
- 2013** Tikvah Center, NYU (Law School)
- 2013** AALS Annual Conference, (New Orleans 4-7/1/2013)

PARTICIPATION IN RESEARCH PROJECTS

- 2009-2010** "The Influence of the Lithuanian *Yeshivoth* on Israeli Public Affairs,"
Van Leer Institute
Paper presented: "The Study Methods of the Lithuanian Yeshivoth."
- 2010** "Death and Halakhic Philosophy", Van Leer Institute
Preview of Paper "The Concept of Death – Nomos and Narrative."
- 2010** "Halakhah and Reality", Bar-Ilan University, Faculty of Law,
Preview of Paper "Ontological Concepts of Acquisition in Jewish Law."
- 2010** "The Great Ones", Van Leer Institute
Preview of Paper on the Biography of R. Haim Soloveitchik
- 2011** "Dignity on the Margins of Humanity and Beyond", Tel-Aviv University and
Tubingen University.
- 2012-2013** The Tikvah Center for Law and Jewish Civilization, School of Law, NYU.

CONFERENCE ORGANIZATION

- 2011** **Conviction – a Unanimous Decision or a Majority Decision,**
The Taubenschlag Institute of Criminal Law, Tel-Aviv University, Law Faculty
(27/2/11)

2011 Repressed Memories and Planted Memories in Sexual Offences – Psychological and Legal Aspects,

The Taubenschlag Institute of Criminal Law, Tel-Aviv University, Law Faculty
(12/5/11) (co-organizer)

2011 Rape by Deception,

The Taubenschlag Institute of Criminal Law, Tel-Aviv University, Law Faculty (6/11)

2011 Jewish Law and Criminal Law,

Tel-Aviv University, The Hebrew University and Bar-Ilan University
(20-22/6/11) (co-organizer)

2012 Jewish Law and Torts Law,

Tel-Aviv University, The Hebrew University and Bar-Ilan University
(25-27/6/12) (co-organizer)

2014 Jewish Law and Contract Law,

Tel-Aviv University, The Hebrew University and Bar-Ilan University
(To be held in summer 2014) (co-organizer)

OTHER ACTIVITIES

2010 Advisor of the mock-trial

2011-2012 Editor in Chief of *Iyunei Mishpat* (Tel- Aviv U. Law R.)

2011 Acting Director of the Taubenschlag Institute of Criminal Law, TAU.

2014 Director of the Taubenschlag Institute of Criminal Law, TAU.

D. ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL AWARDS

1998 Bachana Prize, Faculty of Law, The Hebrew University

1999 Yaakov Herzog Prize

2002-2004 Three years Ph.D. Stipend from The Rich Foundation

2006 Silberg Prize, Faculty of Law, The Hebrew University

2009 Cegla Prize, The Cegla Center for Interdisciplinary Research of the Law,
Tel-Aviv University

2011 Zeltner Prize to Junior Legal Scholar, Tel Aviv University and Rotary.

E. PUBLICATIONS

I. BOOKS

1. Shai Wozner, H. Ben-Menahem

*Controversy and Dialogue in the Halakhic Sources – sources and commentary*₂

The Institute for Research in Jewish Law, The Faculty of Law, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, pp. 50+598, 2002, (Hebrew)

ACCEPTED FOR PUBLICATION

2. Shai Wozner

Legal Thinking in the Lithuanian Talmudic Academies

The Hebrew University Magnes Press (350 Pages)

To be published in 2014.

II. BOOKS – EDITING

Shai Wozner, H. Ben-Menahem, N. Hecht

Controversy and Dialogue in Halakhic Sources, (Vols. I, II,)

The Institute of Jewish Law, Boston University School of Law & The Israel Diaspora Institute, Jerusalem-Boston (1992-94) (Hebrew)

2. Shai Wozner, H. Ben-Menahem, N. Hecht

Controversy and Dialogue in the Jewish Tradition: A Reader

Routledge 2005. Pages 454

III. ARTICLES

1. Shai Wozner

Hilcheta ke-Batray – A New Perspective,

Shenaton Ha-Mishpat Ha-Ivri 20, pp. 151-168, 1995-1997. (Hebrew)

2. Shai Wozner

The commentator's Independence and Commitment, Concepts of Interpretation in Rabbinic Literature,

Akdamot 4, pp. 9-29, 1998. (Hebrew)

3. Shai Wozner

Consistency and Effectiveness in Jewish Law as Reflected by the *Lekhat'hila-Bedeábad* distinction,

Dine Israel 20-21, pp. 42-100, 2000-2001 (Hebrew)

4. Shai Wozner

The Meaning of Loyalty to Halakhah,

Akdamot 11, pp. 97-112, 2001 (Hebrew)

5. Shai Wozner

What is loyalty to the Halakhah?

The Quest for Halakhah – Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Jewish Law, A. Berholz (ed.), Jerusalem 2003, pp. 83-101; 505-510 (Hebrew)

6. Shai Wozner

Every Change is not a Revolution, Review of *Revolutions in The Halakhah* by Y. Kirsch, *Zemanim* 87, pp. 111-119, 2004 (Hebrew)

7. Shai Wozner

A kabalistic Exegesis on The Birth of Moses in a Feminine Image,

Kabbalah 12, pp. 321-326, 2004 (Hebrew)

8. Shai Wozner

R. Shkop`s Doctrine of Differentiation Between Ritual and Monetary Obligations,

Dine Israel 24, pp. 1-77, 2007 (Hebrew)

9. Shai Wozner

Ontological and Naturalistic Thinking in Talmudic law

Dine Israel 25, pp. 41-97, 2008, (Hebrew).

10. Shai Wozner

Annulment of Marriage: A New Interpretation of the Talmudic Rule

Dine Israel 26-27, pp. 27-48, 2010 (Hebrew).

11. Shai Wozner

On the Duty to Obey the Law in Halakhic Thought: Reflections on the Thesis of R. Shimon Shkop.

Jewish Law Association Studies 20, 353-360, 2010.

12. Shai Wozner

Conduct Rules, Decision Rules and Court Decisions

Tel Aviv U. Law R. 32, pp. 305-337, 2010 (Hebrew)

13. Shai Wozner

Self Defence, Necessity, Proportionality and the Duty to Retreat

Bar Ilan Law Studies 27(1), 315. (Hebrew)

14. Shai Wozner

Comment: Evidence-Based Law by J. Rachlinski

Cornell Law Review, 96 (2011), 925-930.

15. Shai Wozner

On Conduct Rules and Decision Rules in Jewish Law

The Jewish Law Annual 19, pp. 165-179.

Accepted for Publication

1. Shai Wozner

The Reform Halakhah: Reflections on 'Sane Halakhah' of Rabbi Moshe Zemer.

To be published in: *Reform Judaism: Sociology, Education and Theology*, (Magnes Press and Van Leer Institute), 25 pages (2014)

2. Shai Wozner

R. Haim Soloveitchik,

To be published in: *The Gdolim*, Van Leer Institute (25 pages) (heb.)

3. Shai Wozner

Theoretical Analysis of Halachic Prohibitions

Dine Israel (forthcoming, 2014)

Works in Progress

1. On the Public Aspects of Jewish law and their Normative Implications
2. Aspects of Communitarian philosophy in Jewish Law (to be submitted to *Bar Ilan Law Studies*)
3. Divorce by Compulsion – a Critical Examination of Two *Mishnayot* (with Rami Reiner)
4. "Ontological and Naturalistic Thinking in Talmudic Law" (40 pages) (eng.)
5. The Obligation of the Convict to be Punished.
6. Punishment and the Presumption of Innocence.
7. The Role of Prior Probability Distribution in Adjudication – Some More implications.
8. A New Analysis of Monetary Obligations.
9. Some Legal Insights in Saint-Exupery's *Little Prince*.
10. Ontological Aspects of Ownership in Jewish law