Regionalisms
Shifting Scales Beyond Cities and States

June 14-16, 2022 | The Buchmann Faculty of Law, Trubowicz Building, Sonia and Eduard Kossoy Conference Room (Room 307)

Organizers: Prof. Yishai Blank, Prof. Issi Rosen-Zvi & Prof. Richard Schragger

Tuesday, June 14th
11:00 Tour of the Levinsky Market
18:30 Welcome Dinner

Wednesday, June 15th
9:30-11:00 Prof. Chris Iaione and Elena De Nictolis, LUISS & Georgetown University
The Science of Urban Regions, Public-Private-Science-Community Partnerships as a New Level of Regional Governance?
Commentator: Prof. Avihay Dorfman, TAU Law
Prof. Helmut Aust, Freie Universität Berlin
Embedded Cities: Why a Focus on Regions Matters
Commentator: Prof. Tomer Broude, Hebrew U. of Jerusalem, Law and International Relations
11:00-11:15 Coffee Break
11:15-12:45 Prof. Fred Smith, Emory Law
Regionalism as Interdependence
Commentator: Dr. Tali Margalit, Sapir College
Prof. Myron Orfield, Minnesota Law
Biden’s Regional Initiative
Commentator: Prof. Talia Margalit, TAU Architecture
12:45-13:15 Lunch
13:45-15:15 Prof. Richard Schragger, Virginia Law
Seeing like a Region
Commentator: Prof. Amnon Lehavi, Reichman U. Law
Prof. Issi Rosen-Zvi and Prof. Yishai Blank, TAU Law
The Legal Forms of Regions
Commentator: Prof. Itai Beeri, Haifa U Poli. Sci.
15:15-15:30 Coffee Break
15:30-17:00 Prof. Nestor Davidson, Fordham Law
Megapolis and the Law: Expanding the Scale of Regionalism for the Future of Urbanism
Commentator: Prof. Eran Feitelson, Hebrew U. Geography

Thursday, June 16th
10:00-11:30 Prof. David Fontana, GW Law
Constitutions for Primate City Countries
Commentator: Prof. Yaniv Roznai, Reichman U. Law
Prof. Fatma Marouf, Texas A&M Law
Regional Variations in ICE’s Response to COVID-19
Commentator: Prof. Guy Mundlak, TAU Law
11:30-11:45 Coffee Break
11:45-13:15 Dr. Ofra Bloch, TAU Law
National Priority Regions: Between Redistribution and Discrimination
Commentator: Dr. Ronit Levine-Schnur, Reichman Law
Prof. Sheila Foster and Prof. Clay Gillette, Georgetown Law and Public Policy
Can Micropolitan Areas Bridge the Urban/Rural Divide?
Commentator: Dr. Ravit Hananel, TAU Public Pol.
13:15-14:30 Lunch
14:30-16:00 Dr. Manal Totry-Jubran, Bar Ilan Law
Moving Towards Regionalism as a Mode of Inclusive Citizenship in Divided Societies
Commentator: Prof. Shai Stern, Bar Ilan Law
Dr. Nir Barak, BGU Poli. Sci.
A Typology of the Regionalism-Localism Nexus
Commentator: TBD
16:00 Closing Remarks
18:30 Farewell Dinner