

# LITAL HELMAN

## EDUCATION

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**UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA LAW SCHOOL**  
PA

Philadelphia,

*S.J.D., 2010, LL.M., 2008*

*Honors:* J. William Fulbright Scholar; Law School Dean's Scholarship; Law School S.J.D. Scholarship

*Activities:* *International IP Chair and Board member* of the Penn Intellectual Property Group

*Co-founder and director* of *Bridge the Gap*: a Jewish-Muslim group on campus

*Research Assistant* to Prof. Gideon Parchomovsky

**HEBREW UNIVERSITY OF JERUSALEM LAW SCHOOL**

Jerusalem, Israel

*LL.B., magna cum laude, 2005* (Double major: Law and Philosophy)

*Honors:* Dean's List (2001-03); Law School Scholarship for Academic Excellence (2002);

Law School Scholarship for Excellence upon admission (2001)

*Activities:* *Israeli Debating Champion; Chief Adjudicator*, national debating tournament; *Member*,

delegations to international debating championships (2001-04)

*Member*, Hebrew University Chess Club (2001-04)

*Research team member*, The Israel Center for Social and Economic Progress (2004)

Elected Class Representative to the Law School Student Union (2003)

## SCHOLARSHIP

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*Corporate Responsibility of Social Networking Platforms* (with Sharon Hannes) (in progress).

*Dynamic Regulation and Technological Competition: A New Legal Approach to Carbon Capture and Storage* (with Gideon Parchomovsky and Endre Stavang) (book chapter, Oxford University Press, forthcoming 2014).

*Intellectual Property and Technology Policy*, in "Intellectual Property Law: An Interdisciplinary Analysis" (Miriam Bitton and Lior Zemer eds.) (in Hebrew) (book chapter, forthcoming 2013).

*Fair Trade Copyright*, 36 COLUM. J. L. & ARTS 157 (2012).

*The Best Available Technology Standard*, 111(6) COLUM. L. REV. 1194 (2011) (with Gideon Parchomovsky).

*Pull Too Hard and the Rope May Break: On the Secondary Liability of Technology Providers for Copyright Infringement*, 19 TEX. INTELL. PROP. L. J. 111 (2010).

*When Your Recording Agency Turns into an Agency Problem: The True Nature of the Peer-to-Peer Debate*, 50(1) IDEA 49 (2009).

## **ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

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**NEW YORK UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW** (2012 – present) New York, NY

*Fellow at the Engelberg Center for Innovation Law and Policy*

Conducting scholarly research; participating and presenting in faculty and interdisciplinary workshops.

**COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL** (2009-2011) New York, NY

*Intellectual Property Fellow at the Kernochan Center for Law, Media and the Arts*

Conducted scholarly research; designed and taught course sessions; participated in faculty workshops; facilitated conferences and symposia.

*Instructor* (Fall 2010)

Co-taught a seminar on *Advanced Issues in Intellectual Property* with Professor Timothy Wu.

**THE RAMAT-GAN COLLEGE OF LAW (Israel)** (2003-04)

*Teaching Assistant*

Prepared and graded exams and students' essays for Corporate Law class.

## **OTHER LEGAL EXPERIENCE**

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**TULCHINSKY, STERN & CO. LAW OFFICES** (2007) Jerusalem and Tel-Aviv, Israel

*Associate*

Intellectual property and general corporate and commercial litigation.

**EPHRAIM ABRAMSON AND CO. LAW OFFICES** (2005-06) Jerusalem and Tel Aviv, Israel

*Law Clerk*

Drafted memoranda on various issues, including intellectual property law. Arbitrator's assistant in two extensive arbitrations, including one that involved a dispute over equitable remuneration for performing rights societies.

Member of the Israeli bar (since 2006)

## **OTHER EXPERIENCE**

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**HACKER SOFTWARE CO.** (2001)  
Israel

Jerusalem and Ramat-Gan,

*Instructor*

Taught C++ programming courses.

**ISRAEL DEFENSE FORCES** (Mandatory Military Service) (1997-2000)

Israel

*Lieutenant*

Commander in Officer Training Course; Awarded Certificate of Excellence (2000).

## **REPRESENTATIVE PRESENTATIONS**

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*“Dynamic Regulation and Technological Competition: A New Legal Approach to Carbon Capture and Storage,”* Energy Underground Conference, New Zealand (forthcoming, May 2013)

*“Corporate Responsibility of Social Networking Platforms”* Privacy Research Group (PRG), New York University School of Law, New York, NY (November 2012)

*“A New Legal Approach to Carbon Capture and Storage,”* Oslo Centre for Research on Environmentally friendly Energy (CREE) Workshop, Oslo, Norway (September 2012)

*“The Legal Framework for Innovation in Israel,”* Rothberg International School, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, Israel (May 2012)

*“The Best Available Technology Standard,”* Conference on the Intermediary Liability in the Digital Age, Haifa, Israel (May 2012)

*“Do We Still Need Record Labels?,”* Global Debate, Vanderbilt Law School, Nashville, TN (November 2011) (awarded best speaker)

*“The Best Available Technology Standard,”* 11th annual Intellectual Property Scholars Conference (IPSC), Chicago, IL (August 2011)

*“Viacom v. YouTube and Section 512 of the DMCA,”* Columbia Law School IP Speaker series, New York, NY (February 2011)

*“Fair Trade Copyright,”* Guest Speaker for Legal Scholarship seminar, the University of Pennsylvania Law School (September 2010)

*“Voluntary Payment in Music Copyright,”* 10th annual Intellectual Property Scholars Conference (IPSC), Berkeley, CA (August 2010)

*“Secondary Liability of Technology Providers,”* Junior Scholars in Intellectual Property workshop (JSIP), Lansing, MI (April, 2010)

*“Current Issues in Music Copyright,”* Guest Speaker for Current Issues in Copyright seminar, Columbia Law School (February, 2010)

*“Secondary Liability of Technology Providers for Copyright Infringement,”* work-in-progress presentation at Columbia Law School Associates’ and Fellows’ Workshop (October, 2009)