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EDUCATION

Yale Law School, New Haven, CT

J.S.D., 2021

LL.M., 2014

University of Heidelberg, Germany

Ph.D. in Law (Dr. iur.), *summa cum laude*, 2011

EGPL Thesis Prize 2011; DAAD Scholar

LL.M., *magna cum laude*, 2008

University of Athens, Greece

LL.B., *magna cum laude*, 2006

IKY Scholar (among the ten best law students)

APPOINTMENTS

Current Appointments

Professor of Law, HBKU College of Law (established in strategic partnership with Northwestern University Pritzker School of Law), 2025 – present

- Associate Dean for Research, 2024 – present
- Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, 2021 – 2024
- Doctor of Juridical Science (S.J.D.) Program Coordinator, 2019 – present

Chair, World Trade Organization Chairs Programme (WCP), 2025 – present

Adjunct Professor in International Politics, Edmund A. Walsh School of Foreign Service, Georgetown University in Qatar, 2023 – present

- course taught: *Digital Globalization, International Relations, and the Law*

Visiting Positions

- Asian Law Institute (ASLI) Fellow, Asian Law Institute, March 2026
- Senior Research Affiliate, Singapore Management University (SMU) Centre for Digital Law (CDL), 2025 – present
- Visiting Fellow, Singapore Management University (SMU) Yong Pung How School of Law, 2023 – 2024 (affiliated with the SMU Centre for AI & Data Governance)
- Visiting Professor of Law, MA in Digital Transformation, Panteion University, Athens, 2023 – present
- Research Fellow, Athens Public International Law Center (Athens PIL), University of Athens, 2023 – present

- Research Fellow, University College London, Centre for Blockchain Technologies, 2017 – present

Previous Appointments and Visiting Positions

- Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, HBKU College of Law, 2021 – 2024
- Associate Professor of Law, HBKU College of Law, 2019 – 2024
- Visiting Professor of Law, Catholic University of Lyon (UCLy), 2019 – 2023
- Visiting Professor of Law, Jigme Singye Wangchuck School of Law, Bhutan, 2019 – 2021
- Research Associate, University College London, Centre for Law, Economics and Society, 2016 – 2020
- Assistant Professor of Law, HBKU College of Law, 2016 – 2019
- Senior Research Fellow, Max Planck Institute Luxembourg, 2013 – 2016
- Guest Lecturer in European Union Law and Institutions, Columbia Law School, April 2012
- Global Fellow (Hauser Research Scholar), New York University School of Law, 2011 – 2012

Other Appointments

- Program Committee Member, American Society of International Law (ASIL) Abroad, Singapore, 2025
- Co-Chair, International Law & Technology Interest Group, American Society of International Law (ASIL), 2025 – 2027
- Founder, Middle East and North Africa Society of International Economic Law (MENA SIEL)
- Vice Chair, International Law & Technology Interest Group, American Society of International Law (ASIL), 2024 – 2025
- Member, Organizing Committee for the 2025 International Law Association (ILA) – American Society of International Law (ASIL) Research Forum, Taipei, Taiwan, July 2025, 2024 – 2025
- Member of the Editorial Board, Journal of World Investment & Trade, 2023 – present
- Member, List of candidates of the European Commission suitable for appointment as Arbitrators and Trade & Sustainable Development Experts for dispute settlement panels under trade agreements to which the EU is a party, 2022 – present
- Convenor, Academic Forum on ISDS – Working Group on “Dispute Settlement in Special Economic Zones,” 2022 – present
- Member of the Editorial Board, Asia Pacific Law Review, 2022 – present
- Associate Expert on Digital FDI, Network on Foreign Direct Investment (ARTNeT on FDI), United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP), 2021 – present

University Service

- Associate Dean for Research, 2024 – present
 - responsibilities: faculty development; research excellence; Research Excellence Framework (REF) management; Chair of the Faculty Research Workshop (FRW); Chair of the Graduate Programs Committee; new graduate program development
- Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, 2021 – 2024
 - responsibilities: Chair of the Curriculum Committee; University Academic Programs and Studies Committee (UAPSC); Academic Programs Assessment Committee (APAC); Interdisciplinary Programs Task Force; program accreditation

- Doctor of Juridical Science (S.J.D.) Program Coordinator, 2019 – present
 - responsibilities: program management; student admission; student advising; research supervision
- Other service:
 - College of Law: Promotions Committee, 2024 – present; Hiring Committee – Fall 2016-2024; Chair of the Academic Events Committee – Fall 2016-present; Graduate Programs Committee (LL.M.s & SJD) – Fall 2018-present
 - College of Public Policy: Curriculum Committee for the Master of Public Policy (MPP) – Fall 2018-Fall 2019
 - University: Academic Policies Task Force, Fall 2020
 - Faculty self-governance: Faculty Self-Governance Task Force, 2019-2023 (elected)

EXECUTIVE EDUCATION, POLICY & ADVISORY WORK

Executive Education

- “Sadara” National Program – an initiative by the Civil Service and Government Development Bureau, in partnership with Qatar Finance and Business Academy, the General Secretariat of the Council of Ministers, and the Ministry of Justice of the State of Qatar
 - designer of a course on *Digital Technologies, Digital Transformation, and the Law*
 - course taught: *Digital Technologies, Digital Transformation, and the Law*
- Ooredoo Qatar Legal Department, November – December 2022
 - co-designer of a one-month course
 - course taught: *Rules and Regulations of Free Zones in Qatar and Beyond*
- Amiri Diwan of the State of Qatar, September 2022
 - principal designer of a two-week course on *Law and Economics* in collaboration with the HBKU College of Law, the HBKU College of Public Policy, and the HBKU College of Islamic Studies
 - course taught: *The Law and Economics of Regulation*

Advisory work

- Advisor on the *Potential of Digital Economy Transition in Qatar and its Impact on the Labor Market*, International Labor Organization (ILO) Project Office for the State of Qatar and Qatar Financial Centre Employment Standards Office (QFC ESO), 2024 – present
- Advisor, Qatar Financial Centre Regulatory Authority (QFCRA), 2022 – 2024
- Associate Expert on Digital FDI, Network on Foreign Direct Investment (ARTNeT on FDI), United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific (UNESCAP), 2021 – present
- Associate Expert on National Security and Digital Infrastructure, International Trade and Investment section, World Economic Forum, 2021
- Advisor on Curriculum Development, Jigme Singye Wangchuck School of Law, Bhutan, 2019 – 2021
- Member, Policy Committee, Qatar Research Development and Innovation (QRDI) Council, 2019 – 2020
- Advice provided to Qatar Central Bank (QCB) on the development of its Regulatory Sandbox on New Technologies, 2019
- Advisor to the President on Educational Affairs, European Public Law Organisation (EPLO), 2012 – 2017
 - founder of the EPLO Global Law and Governance Summer School, 2013 – 2017

Institutional Collaboration

- MoU between HBKU and the British Institute of International and Comparative Law (BIICL), 2024 – present
- MoU between HBKU, the Ministry of Commerce and Industry (MoCI) of the State of Qatar, and the World Intellectual Property Organization (WIPO), 2021 – present
- MoU between HBKU and the Qatar International Court & Dispute Resolution Centre (QICDRC), 2019 – today
- Collaboration between HBKU College of Law and the Qatar Behavioural Insights Unit (QBIU – now B4Development), 2016 – 2019

HONORS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- ASLI Fellowship, Asian Law Institute (ASLI), 2025
- Excellence in Teaching Award, Hamad Bin Khalifa University (HBKU), 2024
- Member, Organizing Committee for the 2025 International Law Association (ILA) – ASIL Research Forum, Taipei, Taiwan, July 2025, 2024 – 2025
- Innovation Funds Program, Office of Innovation and Industrial Relations, HBKU, 2024
- Signature Research Grant (SRG), Office of the Vice President for Research – HBKU, 2024
- Academic Research Grant (ARG), Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF) – Qatar Research, Development and Innovation (QRDI) Council, 2024
- Vice Chair (elected, becoming chair next year), International Law & Technology Interest Group, American Society of International Law (ASIL), 2024 – present
- Singapore Management University (SMU) Yong Pung How School of Law Fellowship, 2023-2024
- “Outstanding Law Professor of the Year,” Qatar Business Law Forum Awards, 2021
- Online and Blended Teaching Leader, HBKU, 2020
 - *Designing Your Online Course (Virtual)* (DYOC) certificate, Quality Matters, 2020
 - *Teaching Online-An Introduction to Online Delivery (TOL)* certificate, Quality Matters, 2020
- Research Fellowship, University College London Centre for Blockchain Technologies (UCL CBT), 2017 – present
- Appointed Research Associate, University College London Centre for Law, Economics and Society, 2016 – present
- Grant received by the Modern Law Review and the University College London “Public Engagement Initiative” to organize a conference on “Blockchain and the Constitution of a New Financial Order: Challenges for the Legal System,” 2017
- Grant received by the Thyssen Foundation to organize an exploratory conference on “Digital Currencies, Digital Finance and the Constitution of a New Financial Order: Challenges for the Legal System,” 2016
- Scholarship received to attend Law and Economics of Regulation (Professor Richard L. Revesz), Law and Economics Course for Doctoral Students and Faculty Members at Studienzentrums Gerzensee, Switzerland, April 27 – May 1, 2015
- Yale Law School Scholarship, 2013 – 2014
- Grant received by the Alexander von Humboldt Foundation and the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) to organize the Humboldt-Kolleg “State Reform for a Better Europe,” 2013

- European Group of Public Law (EGPL) Thesis Prize, 2011 (for the Ph.D. thesis; awarded on an annual basis to the best doctoral or postdoctoral public law thesis characterized by its European dimension)
- Hauser Research Scholarship, NYU School of Law, 2011
- Visiting Scholarship, Italian Constitutional Court and Roma Tre University, 2008
- DAAD Scholarship, 2008 (funded Ph.D. research by the German Academic Exchange Service – DAAD)
- Diploma, Academy of European Public Law (European Public Law Organization), 2007/2008
- Scholarship of the Greek Foundation of State Scholarships (IKY), 2005 (among the ten best law students at the University of Athens School of Law)

RESEARCH FUNDING

Year	Project Title	Funding Agency/Body	Role	Funding Level	Start and End Date
2024	Global Value Chains of Digital Economy in the Indo-Pacific: <i>Challenges and Opportunities</i>	Economic Research Institute for ASEAN and East Asia (ERIA)	Co-LPI Co-LPIs: Professor Irma Mosquera Valderrama, Leiden University; Professor Julien Chaisse, City University of Hong Kong, School of Law	US\$ 32,000	August 2024 – August 2025
This project explores the significant legal and economic implications of integrating digital technologies in the Indo-Pacific region. It examines how advancements in digital platforms, artificial intelligence, blockchains, and e-commerce are reshaping trade and investment laws. The potential of regulatory harmonisation is highlighted to address the challenges in cross-border data flows, cybersecurity, and intellectual property protection. The project examines international legal alignment to reduce barriers and enhance economic connectivity. Emphasising the strategic importance of resilient digital infrastructure and policies, this research underscores the need for robust international cooperation to foster a cohesive regional digital economy. This project positions the Indo-Pacific region as a pivotal hub in the global digital landscape, crucial for unlocking economic potential, driving innovation, and maintaining global competitiveness.					
2024	AI-EDAPT: <i>Artificial Intelligence for Educational Adaptation, Personalization, and Transformation</i>	Signature Research Grant (SRG), HBKU Office of the	Principal Investigator (PI)	US\$ 156,500	August 2024 – July 2025

		Vice President for Research	Lead PI: Professor George Mikros, HBKU College of Humanities and Social Sciences (CHSS)		
This project aims to revolutionize education at Hamad Bin Khalifa University (HBKU) by leveraging Generative Artificial Intelligence (GAI), particularly Educational Large Language Models (EduLLMs), for personalized learning. By developing a system that uses LLMs, such as LLaMA2 and ChatGPT, to monitor and analyze student interactions with GAI tools, it seeks to improve teaching methods, learning outcomes, and tailor educational practices to individual learning styles. The initiative involves customizing LLaMA2 for educational purposes, analyzing ChatGPT's impact on education, and evaluating how different learning styles interact with these technologies. The goal is to position HBKU as a frontrunner in AI-driven education, overcoming challenges like engagement and resource disparity and establishing a new standard for personalized learning with GAI.					
2024	EduSpark: <i>How are HBKU Humanities and Social Sciences Students Assessed? Creating an Online Repository of Assessment Tasks in Graduate Programs</i>	Innovation Funds Program, Office of Innovation and Industrial Relations, HBKU Innovation Funds Office	Role: Principal Investigator (PI) Lead PI: Professor Abdolmehdi Riazi, HBKU College of Humanities and Social Sciences (CHSS)	US\$ 25,000	July 2024 – June 2025
This project aims at collecting, analyzing, and classifying the type of assessment tasks that are used to evaluate graduate students' learning and achievement in the four colleges of humanities and social sciences and create an online repository with recommendations to be used by different stakeholders. The motivation behind the idea is to enhance the current practice of assessment task design in these four colleges by creating an online repository that can (a) help us develop quality assessment tasks by having access to a variety of these tasks, (b) do a benchmark to ensure the quality of the assessment tasks, and (c) considering potential ways generative artificial intelligence (Gen AI) tools could be incorporated in the assessment tasks. This is especially important, given new advances in Gen AI tools like ChatGPT and the impact these might have on assessment task design. We will collect the assessment tasks currently in use in different programs in the four colleges of humanities and social sciences, namely, College of Humanities and Social Sciences (CHSS), College of Law (CL), College of Public Policy (CPP), and College of Islamic Studies (CIS). We will analyze and classify these assessment tasks based on their genre and rubrics and use of Gen AI tools and create an assessment task repository and bank with recommendations that can be used by different stakeholders. We may also interview some faculty from each of the colleges to obtain more information about some of the assessment tasks that need further clarification. Once we have a full data bank, we will recruit a website designer to design an online					

	repository of the assessment tasks with adequate information and recommendations to be used by different stakeholders in these four colleges and by HBKU faculty and other stakeholders more broadly.				
2023	Industrial Policy for Digital Development (IPDD) Project: <i>Digitalization, Sustainability and National Security in the New Geoeconomic Order</i>	Academic Research Grant, Qatar Research, Development and Innovation (QRDI) Council/Qatar National Research Fund	Lead Principal Investigator (LPI)	US\$ 711,582	April 2024 – March 2027
	Industrial policy is on the rise. The goal of the project is to study the rise of industrial policy in a comparative way, and explore its role in digital and sustainable development in the Global South and North with a focus on emerging economies such as the one of the State of Qatar. In addition, the project aims at studying the ways in which industrial policy is reshaping domestic and international trade and investment policies. Thus, the project pursues and furthers the following two National RDI Priority Areas: digital technology and resource sustainability. Industrial policy was a “no-go zone” until a couple years ago. Industrial policy is now making a come-back. There are many reasons behind this transition. The rise in industrial policy is above all associated with the recent economic, financial and health crises, which have demanded a strong state to help cope with national security-related emergencies. Most recent industrial policies were developed in the aftermath of the global financial crisis of 2008. The COVID-19 pandemic has spearheaded a new set of industrial development policies. New industrial policies are largely different from their counterparts of previous decades. Their goal is to coordinate public and private sector activity, as well as jumpstart new economic sectors. Another difference are the pillars upon which they are based: the new “industries” are in the areas of digital and sustainable economy. Finally, they are more outward-looking; they aim at creating comparative advantages for states in the international economy and shelter states from national security emergencies. The project has the following objectives: (a) conduct a comparative study of emerging industrial policies with a focus on emerging markets such as Qatar; (b) explore the role of industrial policies in achieving the goals of digital and sustainable development; (c) explore the geoeconomic and national security implications of the rise of industrial and digital policy; (d) in turn, appraise the impact of changes taking place at the international level on national economies. The outcomes will be at the level of (i) research in industrial and digital policy, (ii) education at the university and executive level, and (iii) policy development in the relevant areas. The project is expected to shape research and teaching in industrial policymaking in the fields of law, regulation, economics, political economy, security studies and international relations. It will also shape a new set of policies, laws and regulations that will spearhead the development and deployment of new digital technologies that will increase growth and competitiveness in Qatar’s digital sector, provide solutions to digital and sustainable development, as well as enhance key public services. Research, education and policy recommendations will eventually support the sustainable management of Qatar’s technological solutions including AI and blockchain.				
2021	Blending AI and Regulation for lawful anonymous WEB navigation: The Case of Residential Proxy (RESIP)	Thematic Research Grant Program, HBKU Vice President for Research Office	LPI	US\$ 115,385	February 1, 2021 – August 31, 2023

		HBKU College of Science and Engineering			
	A series of new applications available in digital markets, such as Play-store, Apple Store, hide other software within them – often without the user’s knowledge. When users download an application, they may simultaneously download unrequired software, i.e. hidden services, which are not useful and may also possibly be harmful – from both a technical and legal perspective. Among these hidden services, a new type of HTTP proxy, called Residential Proxy (RESIP), has been spreading recently. Once installed, a RESIP service transforms the user’s device into an exit point of a VPN network. Users who install an application that contains a hidden RESIP service unknowingly become responsible for the web traffic generated by the RESIP network, potentially becoming accountable for cyber-crimes committed by third parties. The project aims to address the spread of unauthorized internet proxy services by providing adequate technological and legal countermeasures, as well as to define policy guidelines to promote the appropriate use of anonymous internet browsing technologies. From a technical point of view, the primary objective is to investigate the functioning of RESIP proxies, also providing an AI-based detection mechanism. From the legal perspective, the goal is to provide guidelines to stem the malicious spread of proxy services, avoiding legal consequences for unwitting users.				
2020	Digitalizing International Trade Finance Process: Interrelationships, Constraints and Opportunities	Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF)	PI	US\$ 25,500	December 7, 2020 – January 31, 2021
	This international conference is a major component of a research project that aims at undertaking a comprehensive study of the digitalisation of the entire process of trade finance. Within the aim of investigating the possibility of digitalising end-to-end trade finance process, the main goals of the conference are: (1) to develop a multi-disciplinary dialogue between various stakeholders, involving practitioners, policymakers, regulators and researchers in Qatar and beyond; and (2) to discuss the key issues and problems from different perspectives and articulate tentative proposals for remedying them. Within these goals, one of the objectives of the conference is to investigate relevant difficulties of digitalising international trade finance, including national, regional and international perspectives and whether they are limited to specific sectors or more widespread. The second objective is to explore the linkages between digitalisation and trade finance and provide insights for improving the legal, policy, and institutional framework.				
2020	Resources and Applications for Detecting and Classifying Polarized and Hate Speech in Arabic Social Media	Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF)	PI	US\$ 509,900	Fall 2021 – Fall 2024
	Societies are increasingly divided and polarized. This polarization is driven by two connected issues: the lack of communication between groups, and the use of hate speech. With social media speeding up the spread of hateful ideologies, polarization and technology go hand in hand. Statistics reveal the scale of the problem; 41% of people have been the target of hate speech. As communities recede into themselves, the prospect of conflict grows. Social media is also providing new opportunities for polarization and hate speech. Shielded behind anonymity, state actors and political entities are using social media to manipulate public opinion on an industrial scale, driving polarization with disinformation and hate speech to serve often extremist agendas. Combined with bots, these partisan entities can achieve a negative impact in society. Social media companies have been slow to tackle the problem; for instance, Facebook redefined hate speech pages as controversial humor. While Twitter introduced a new policy, the business model of				

	social media companies may also not be conducive to tackling hate speech. Tackling hate speech and polarization requires multilateral efforts involving the companies themselves, academic and civil society. Despite the widespread adoption of social media in the MENA region, most efforts in tackling hate speech also tend to focus on the developed world, with little research targeting Arabic. Without adequate, contextual-based research, countries in the developing world in particular risk becoming social media blackspots - spaces where hate speech flourishes in unregulated and permissive online environments. The main aim of this project is to address this gap and pave the way for further research on Polarization and Hate Speech in Arab societies. The research will address different problems that contribute to the detection of polarization and hate speech: 1) Stance detection with respect to controversial topics (a topic generating a polarized discussion: in favor vs. against); 2) Identification of polarized communities; 3) Hate speech detection; 4) Bot versus human identification and 5) Behavioral interventions to address hate speech. These components will be considered from a holistic perspective unlike some of the existing research works, which address them as isolated problems. By taking into account the legal, the behavioural and the ethical dimensions of the software solutions as well as data protection considerations, the project plans to create tools that will allow others to use them to detect polarization, hate speech, and bots.				
2018	The Promise of Hybrid Dispute Resolution Fora	Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF) – main funding institution Queen Mary University London School of Law (QMUL) Qatar International Court & Dispute Resolution Centre (QICDRC) White & Case, Doha 3 Verulam Buildings	LPI	US\$ 39,550	1 March 2018 – 18-19 November 2018

	Countries in the Gulf Region and beyond have established ‘international courts’ to deal mostly with commercial law matters. Prominent examples are the Qatar International Court and Dispute Resolution Centre (QICDRC), the QFC Regulatory Tribunal, the Dubai International Financial Center (DIFC) Courts, the Abu Dhabi Global Market (ADGM) Courts, and the Singapore International Commercial Court (SICC). These courts are established by the governments of the respective countries; what makes them international is their composition, since they are composed of judges from another jurisdiction, typically a common law country, but also their subject matter jurisdiction, since the dispute typically requires a foreign element for these courts to assume jurisdiction. They are thus domestic courts with int'l judges and some offshore relevance. There are many rationales behind the creation of these courts: (a) attracting foreign capital: Countries with less established legal systems want to attract foreign direct investment by making credible commitments to foreign investors that their cases will be adjudicated in a fair way; (b) becoming a dispute resolution hub: there is also the willingness for some jurisdictions to establish themselves as global dispute resolution fora. Dispute resolution is thus viewed as a global service that can potentially attract foreign capital to the respective jurisdictions. Accordingly, there is both a domestic and an int'l dimension why countries globalize their dispute resolution systems.				
2018	Comparative and International Investment Law: Prospects for Reform	HBKU College of Law	LPI	US\$ 100,000	1 April 2018 – 30 September 2018
	This project aimed at the study of the domestic side of investment, including Domestic Investment Laws, Special Economic Zones, as well as data localization laws and policies. It has resulted in a series of conferences, workshops and seminars, as well as the publication of three special journal issues.				
2017	Digital Currencies, Digital Finance and the Constitution of a New Financial Order: Challenges for the Legal System	Modern Law Review journal	PI	US\$ 10,500	1 January 2017 – 19 June 2017
2017	Digital Currencies, Digital Finance and the Constitution of a New Financial Order: Challenges for the Legal System	University College London “Public Engagement Initiative”	PI	US\$ 2,600	1 January 2017 – 19 June 2017
2016	Blockchain and the Constitution of a New Financial Order: Legal and Political Challenges	Thyssen Foundation	PI	US\$ 10,000	15 January 2016 – 30 August 2016
	All three above mentioned projects were part of a larger project aiming to study the legal and socio-economic dimensions of the emergence of blockchain technology, and has result in the book <i>Regulating</i>				

	<i>Blockchain: Techno-Social and Legal Challenges</i> (OUP 2019 – co-edited by Philipp Hacker, Ioannis Lianos, Georgios Dimitropoulos and Stefan Eich). The project provides an in-depth analysis of the intersection between blockchain technology and the law. Covering EU, US, and Asian jurisdictions, it assesses the necessities of and opportunities for the regulation of blockchain technology in a range of key legal fields, such as competition law, securities regulation, corporate, insurance, contract, and data protection law. Instead of postulating the disruptive superiority of distributed ledger technology across potential areas of application, however, the volume offers a nuanced treatment of use cases ranging from early applications in finance to ICOs, alternative dispute resolution platforms, and smart contracts. It takes a distinct techno-social perspective in understanding the legal implications of blockchain technology as a possible new general-purpose technology. The interaction of blockchain technology with the legal system raises key questions concerning governance and government, private order and state authority, and the relationship between different ‘calculative’ spaces for assessing and allocating value. These questions do not only have a long pedigree, they are also acutely relevant to our immediate future. By drawing on technological, political, economic, and legal points of view, the project shows why blockchain matters for societies, and why the law matters for blockchain.
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PUBLICATIONS

Books and special journal issues

ADVANCED INTRODUCTION TO THE REGULATION OF THE DIGITAL ECONOMY (Edward Elgar, forthcoming 2026) (with Julien Chaisse)

DIGITALIZATION, NEW TECHNOLOGIES AND INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT LAW (Panagiotis Delimatsis, Georgios Dimitropoulos & Anastasios Gourgourinis eds., Cambridge University Press, forthcoming 2025)

Law and Digital Transformation in the Indo-Pacific, 26 JOURNAL OF WORLD INVESTMENT & TRADE (2025) (special issue co-edited with Julien Chaisse and Irma Mosquera Valderrama)

Plurilateralism: A New Form of International Economic Ordering?, JOURNAL OF WORLD INVESTMENT & TRADE (2025) (special issue co-edited with Richard C Chen and Julien Chaisse)

Domestic Investment Laws and International Economic Law in the Liberal International Order, WORLD TRADE REVIEW (2023) (special issue co-edited with Julien Chaisse)

STATE CAPITALISM AND INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT LAW (Panagiotis Delimatsis, Georgios Dimitropoulos & Anastasios Gourgourinis eds., Hart/Bloomsbury, 2023); 416 pp

INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL COURTS: THE FUTURE OF TRANSNATIONAL ADJUDICATION (Stavros Brekoulakis & Georgios Dimitropoulos) (Cambridge University Press, 2022); 568pp

Special Economic Zones in International Economic Law: Towards Unilateral Economic Law, 24 JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW (2021) (special journal issue co-edited with Julien Chaisse)

Comparative and International Investment Law: Prospects for Reform, 21 JOURNAL OF WORLD INVESTMENT & TRADE (2020) (special issue)

REGULATING BLOCKCHAIN: TECHNO-SOCIAL AND LEGAL CHALLENGES (Philipp Hacker, Ioannis Lianos, Georgios Dimitropoulos & Stefan Eich eds., Oxford University Press, 2019)

Articles in journals

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *Industrial Policy and the New Internationalism: After The Liberal International Order*, 57 CORNELL INTERNATIONAL LAW JOURNAL 295 (2025)

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *Investment Law and the Digital Economy*, 16 JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL DISPUTE SETTLEMENT 3 (2025)

Julien Chaisse, Georgios Dimitropoulos & Irma Mosquera Valderrama, *Law and Digital Transformation in the Indo-Pacific: An International Economic Law Perspective* (2025) 26 JOURNAL OF WORLD INVESTMENT & TRADE 575

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *Digital Plurilateralism in International Economic Law: Towards Unilateral Multilateralism?* (2025) 26 JOURNAL OF WORLD INVESTMENT & TRADE 116

Georgios Dimitropoulos, Richard C. Chen & Julien Chaisse, *Plurilateralism: A New Form of International Economic Ordering? – An Introduction* (2025) 26 JOURNAL OF WORLD INVESTMENT & TRADE 1

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *The Right to Hospitality in International Economic Law: Domestic Investment Laws and the Right to Invest*, 22 WORLD TRADE REVIEW 90 (2023)

Julien Chaisse & Georgios Dimitropoulos, *Domestic Investment Laws and International Economic Law in the Liberal International Order – An Introduction*, 22 WORLD TRADE REVIEW 1 (2023)

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *Law and Digital Globalization*, 44 UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW 41 (2022)

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *The Use of Blockchain by International Organizations: Effectiveness and Legitimacy*, 41 POLICY AND SOCIETY 328 (2022) (special issue: “The Policy Dilemmas of Blockchain,” edited by Judith Clifton & Leslie Pal)

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *International Commercial Courts in the ‘Modern Law of Nature’: Adjudicatory Unilateralism in Special Economic Zones*, 24 JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW 361 (2021)

Julien Chaisse & Georgios Dimitropoulos, *Special Economic Zones in International Economic Law: Towards Unilateral Economic Law – An Introduction*, 24 JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC LAW 229 (2021)

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *The Law of Blockchain*, 95 WASHINGTON LAW REVIEW 1117 (2020)

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *National Sovereignty and International Investment Law: Sovereignty Reassertion and Prospects of Reform*, 21 JOURNAL OF WORLD INVESTMENT & TRADE 71 (2020)

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *The Conditions for Reform: A Typology of 'Backlash' and Lessons for Reform in International Investment Law and Arbitration*, 18 LAW AND PRACTICE OF INTERNATIONAL COURTS AND TRIBUNALS 413 (2019)

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *Investor-State Dispute Settlement Reform and Theory of Institutional Design*, 9 JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL DISPUTE SETTLEMENT 535 (2018)

Georgios Dimitropoulos & Philipp Hacker, *Learning and the Law: Improving Behavioral Regulation from an International and Comparative Perspective*, 25 JOURNAL OF LAW & POLICY 473-548 (2017)

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *Measuring Judicial Independence in International Law: Putting Together the Pieces of the Puzzle*, 24 MAASTRICHT JOURNAL OF EUROPEAN AND COMPARATIVE LAW 531-551 (2017)

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *Constructing the Independence of International Investment Arbitrators: Past, Present, and Future*, 36 NORTHWESTERN JOURNAL OF INTERNATIONAL LAW & BUSINESS 371-434 (2016)

Georgios Dimitropoulos, *Compliance through Collegiality: Peer Review in International Law*, 37 LOYOLA OF LOS ANGELES INTERNATIONAL & COMPARATIVE LAW REVIEW 275-340 (2016)

Book chapters

Panos Delimatsis, Georgios Dimitropoulos & Anastasios Gourgourinis, *Digitalization, New Technologies and International Investment Law – An Introduction*, in DIGITALIZATION, NEW TECHNOLOGIES AND INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT LAW 1 (Panos Delimatsis, Georgios Dimitropoulos & Anastasios Gourgourinis eds., Cambridge University Press, forthcoming 2025)

Julien Chaisse, Georgios Dimitropoulos & Irma Mosquera Valderrama, *Advancing Digital Integration in the Indo-Pacific: Legal Strategies for a Cohesive Digital Economy*, in Anita Prakash & Irma Mosquera Valderrama (eds.), GLOBAL VALUE CHAINS OF DIGITAL ECONOMY IN THE INDO-PACIFIC: CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES. ERIA RESEARCH PROJECT REPORT FY2025 No. 2, Jakarta: ERIA, pp.1-20

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PRESENTATIONS

- Chair, “Technology and Human Rights: Between Individual Autonomy, Technological Sovereignty, and International Regulation” Panel, ASIL Abroad, Singapore, September 3-4, 2025
- Speaker, “Digital Plurilateralism in International Economic Law,” Society of International Economic Law (SIEL) 2025 9th Biennial Global Conference, Navigating New Horizons: International Economic Law in a Changing World, Taipei, July 9-11, 2025
- Speaker, “Law and Digital Transformation in the Indo-Pacific: An International Economic Law Perspective,” Sustainable International Law, 2025 ILA-ASIL Asia-Pacific Research Forum, Taipei, July 7-8, 2025
- Chair, “Human Rights and Peace” panel, Sustainable International Law, 2025 ILA-ASIL Asia-Pacific Research Forum, Taipei, July 7-8, 2025
- Chair, “Understanding ‘Digital Sovereignty’ and Economic Regulation: The future of Global Governance,” American Society of International Law Annual Meeting, Washington D.C., USA, April 17, 2025
- Panel member, “Global Supply Chains Under Pressure: Economic Statecraft and the Changing Trade Landscape,” ASIL International Law and Technology Interest Group Panel at Georgetown University Law Center, April 16, 2025
- Speaker, “Regulation of Digital Finance in Trade and Digital Economy Agreements,” DLA Piper & MENA Women in Law (MENA WIL), January 28, 2025, Doha, Qatar
- Panel member, “Trade and Investment Measures to Address Sustainability Objectives,” panel, International Annual TradeLab Conference 2024, Center for Trade and Investment Law (CTIL), New Delhi, India, December 13-14, 2024
- Panel member, “Leveraging Artificial Intelligence in Teaching Pedagogy in International Trade,” panel, International Annual TradeLab Conference 2024, Center for Trade and Investment Law (CTIL), New Delhi, India, December 13-14, 2024
- Speaker, “Jurisdiction to Regulate Digital Trade” (with Jason Grant Allen), ANU-SMU Global Digital Economy Forum, Yong Pung How School of Law, Singapore Management University (SMU), Singapore, November 26-27, 2024
- Chair, “Policy and Regulatory Challenges of an Expanding AI Economy” panel, Ooredoo Group’s Digital Ecosystem Conference (DEC) November 2024
- Speaker, *Reorienting International Economic Law for the Digital Economy: From Addressing the Digital Divide to Enabling Digital Development?*, American Society of International Economic Law Midyear Research Forum, Chicago, November 15-16, 2024

- Distinguished speaker, *National Legislation and Multilateral Rules*, Group of 7 (G7) Investment Screening Expert Group (ISEG), G7 Meeting of the Heads of State and Government organized by the Italian G7 Presidency, Rome, Italy, June 5, 2024 (online)
- Speaker, *LawTech and Dispute Settlement*, Governance of Technology: Discontent, Disruption, and Doubts conference, Dickson Poon School of Law, King's College London, London, UK, May 17-18, 2024
- Leader, "This Works" table Teaching & Learning "micro workshop," Badir Multiversity Initiative on Teaching & Learning, ThinkBay, Education City, Doha, Qatar February 12, 2024
- Chair, Industry Panel: "Why Cross Border Data Flows and Data Protection Matter in the Age of A.I.," Data Protection in the Age of A.I. Seminar, organized by the Qatar Financial Centre and the U.S. Commercial Service, Doha, Qatar, January 30, 2024
- Speaker, *Investor-State Disputes & Emergent Issues in Space and Cyberspace: Artificial Intelligence, Cybersecurity and Beyond* panel, International Investment Law & Investor-State Dispute Settlement 2023 Series, Practising Law Institute (PLI) and K&L Gates, November 7, 2023 (online)
- Speaker, *Industrial Policy and the Making of New International Economic Law*, Redefining Global Governance: A Tax, Trade and Investment Perspective in the EU and Beyond, Lorentzcenter conference, Leiden University, June 26-20, 2023, Leiden, The Netherlands
- Speaker, *Researching International Courts: New Socio-Legal Methodologies* panel, Law & Society Association Annual Meeting "Separate and Unequal," June 1-4, 2023, San Juan, Puerto Rico
- Speaker, *Missing Histories of International Economic Law Adjudication: Extraterritorial Quarters of the Past and the Present* online roundtable, European Society of International Law (ESIL) International Economic Law and History of International Law Interest Groups with Ghent University, KU Leuven, and UC Louvain, January 31, 2023 (online)
- Speaker, *Digital Plurilateralism: Towards Unilateral Multilateralism in International Economic Law?*, Research Forum, 2022 American Society of International Law (ASIL) Midyear Meeting, November 10-12, 2022, Miami, Florida
- Invited speaker, *FinTech in Qatar: Playing Catch-Up or Ready to take a Regional Lead?*, The Legal 500 GC Summit, Doha, Qatar, October 24, 2022
- Keynote speaker, *International Commercial Courts in the Modern Law of Nature*, Qatar Financial Centre Regulatory Authority Speaker Series, Doha, Qatar, September 4, 2022
- Keynote speaker, *The Law and Political Economy of Crypto-Globalization*, Guest Lecture Series: Advanced Topics of Law & Technology, University of Graz and University of Innsbruck, Austria, June 9, 2022 (online)
- Invited speaker, *Regulating Sovereign-Driven Investments in International Trade and Investment Agreements*, 2022 CELIS Forum on Investment Screening, Uppsala, Sweden, June 1-3, 2023
- Keynote speaker, *The Law and Political Economy of Crypto-Globalization*, King's College London, Dickson Poon School of Law, March 16, 2022 (online)
- Speaker and organizer, *Techno-Nationalism, Techno-Globalism, and International Investment Law*, Colloquium on International Investment Law & New Technologies organized by the Tilburg Law and Economics Center (TILEC) at Tilburg University, the Netherlands, December 9, 2021 (online)

- Speaker, *Techno-Nationalism and International Law*, ASIL 2021 Virtual Midyear Meeting, November 11-12, 2021
- Speaker, *Cryptoassets and International Investment Law*, The Fletcher School, Tufts University, October 28, 2021 (online)
- Invited speaker, *National Security and Digital FDI*, 10th Meeting of the Asia-Pacific Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) Network, United Nations Economic and Social Commission, Bangkok, 24 February 2021 (online)
- Keynote speaker, *The Law of Blockchain*, Singapore Management University (SMU) Global Faculty Seminar Series, March 2, 2021 (online)
- Invited speaker, *Innovation Hubs and Regulatory Sandboxes*, Technological Innovation and Financial Sector (R-)Evolution British Academy-funded Workshop, Dickson Poon School of Law, King's College London, London, December 11, 2020 (online)
- Invited speaker, *Outstanding Issues of ISDS Reform: Perspectives from Asian-Pacific Stakeholders*, ASIL Asia-Pacific Interest Group Seminar, October 29, 2020 (online)
- Speaker and organizer, Colloquium on *State Capitalism & International Investment Law* organized by the Tilburg Law and Economics Center (TILEC) at the National and Kapodistrian University of Athens School of Law, Greece, October 15-16, 2020 (online)
- Speaker, *Comparative Public Law and International Investment Law Reform*, International Society of Public Law (ICON-S) 2019 Conference, Santiago, 3 July 2019 (panel convener)
- Invited speaker, *Economic Sovereignty and International Order*, Law and Political Economy Group Panel Discussion at Yale Law School with George Dimitropoulos and Odette Lienau, January 24, 2019, Yale Law School, New Haven, CT
- Speaker, *Blockchain Law: Between Public and Private, Transnational and Domestic*, The Future of EU Private Law Conference, Centre of European Law, Dickson Poon School of Law, King's College London, London, 8 February 2019
- Speaker, *Private Implementation of Global Standards in EU Law: The Case of Certification*, Global Standards and the EU: Implementation Strategies and Bottom-Up Approaches Panel at the International Society of Public Law (ICON-S) 2018 Conference, Hong Kong, June 26, 2018
- Speaker, *Three Ways of Sovereignty Reassertion in International Investment Law*, 27th SLS/BIICL Workshop on "Theory in International Law," British Institute of International and Comparative Law, London, UK, May 16, 2018
- Speaker, *International Investment Law and National Sovereignty: Prospects for Reform*, Comparative and International Investment Law: Prospects for Reform Workshop, HBKU College of Law and Public Policy, Doha, Qatar, April 22, 2018
- Speaker, *Global Currencies and Domestic Regulation: Embedding through Enabling?*, Blockchain and the Constitution of a New Financial Order: Legal and Political Challenges Conference, University College London, London, UK, June, 19, 2017
- Speaker, *The Development of Pan-European General Principles of Administrative Law and their Possible Impact on the Member States of the Council of Europe – The Case of Greece*, German University of Administrative Sciences Speyer, Speyer, Germany, April 27-29, 2017
- Speaker, *The Regulation of Cryptocurrencies: A Comparative Perspective*, 5th HBKU Law & Public Policy Colloquium on The Regulation of Cryptocurrencies, Doha, Qatar, March 15, 2017

- Speaker, *The CJEU's Decision on the Data Retention Directive: A Comment on Professor Martin Nettesheim*, The Protection of Privacy in the Aftermath of the Recent Judgments of the CJEU Conference, Max Planck Institute Luxembourg, Luxembourg, September 29, 2014
- Speaker, *Peer Review in International Law: Making Informality Work*, Inaugural Conference for Junior Researchers on Law and (In)formality, Stanford Law School, Stanford, CA, USA, May 16-17, 2014
- Speaker, *Re-inventing International Law through Peer Review*, Graduate Works-in-Progress Symposium, Yale Law School, New Haven, CT, USA, April 17, 2014
- Speaker, *Horizontal Forms of Governance in the EU*, Humboldt-Kolleg Staatsreform für ein besseres Europa/State Reform for a Better Europe, Athens, Greece, May 30, 2013
- Keynote speaker, *Global Administrative Law*, Council of State of Greece/Society for the Study of Administrative Law, Athens, Greece, May 28, 2013
- Speaker, *Peer Reviews between Institutions*, Inter-Institutional Workshop, NYU School of Law, New York, NY, USA, April 16, 2012