

Curriculum Vitae | Ayelet Banai

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Academic Qualifications

- D.Phil. Department of Politics and International Relations, Oxford University, Feb. 2010
- M.A. Political Science (summa cum laude), The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Dec. 2005
- B.A. Political Science and Jewish Studies (magna cum laude), The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, June 2001

Academic Appointments

- Lecturer (assistant professor, tenure-track), The School of Political Sciences, and the Center for German and European Studies, The University of Haifa. Oct. 2013 - present
- Research Fellow (junior faculty), Institute for Political Science, Research Group: Justitia Amplificata, Goethe University Frankfurt am Main. Dec. 2009-Dec. 2013
- Visiting Lecturer, European Forum, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem. Dec.-Jan. 2012, 2013
- Doctoral Fellow, Excellence Cluster The Formation of Normative Orders, Goethe University Frankfurt am Main. Aug. 2008-Dec.2009
- Class and Tutorial Teacher, Department of Politics and International Relations and various colleges, Oxford University. Apr. 2005-June 2007

Other Academic Experience

- Departmental Guest, University Center for Human Values, Princeton University. Mar-Mai 2013
- Minerva Fellow, Institute for Political Science, Goethe University Frankfurt. Apr. 2007-June 2008
- Jenkins Memorial Fellow, Institut d'Études Politiques de Paris. Oct. 2006-Apr.2007
- DAAD Fellow, Otto Suhr Institute for Political Science, Free University Berlin. Oct. 2003-Jul. 2004

Areas of Research and Expertise

- International political theory, democracy and democratization, identity politics, minority rights, theories of freedom, the right of self-determination

List of Publications

I. Journal Articles

1. Banai, Ayelet, 2014: "The Territorial Rights of Legitimate States: A Pluralist Interpretation", in: *International Theory* 6, 140-157.
2. Banai, Ayelet, 2013: "Political Self-Determination and Global Egalitarianism: Towards an Intermediate Position", in: *Social Theory and Practice* 39, 45-69.
3. Banai, Ayelet, 2012: "'Europe of the Regions' and the Problem of Boundaries in Liberal Democratic Theory", in: *Journal of Political Ideologies* 17, 35-59.
4. Banai, Ayelet, 2012: "From Presence to Action: Political Representation and Democracy in Iraqi-Kurdistan", in: *Representation* 48, 267-279.

Under review:

5. Banai, Ayelet, "Freedom beyond the Threshold: Self-Determination Reconsidered" under
6. Banai, Ayelet, "Self-Determination and International Justice: An Egalitarian Account"

II. Edited Volumes and Special Issues

7. Banai, Ayelet; Moore, Margaret (eds.) 2014: *Theories of Territory beyond Westphalia*, Symposium. In: *International Theory* 6, 98-190.
8. Banai, Ayelet; Lenard, Patti; Torresi, Tiziana (eds.), 2012: *Global Justice and Migration*, Special Issue; *Global Justice: Theory Practice Rhetoric* 5.
9. Banai, Ayelet; Ronzoni, Miriam; Schemmel, Christian (eds.), 2011: *Social Justice, Global Dynamics* (London: Routledge).
 - Reviewed in: Jubb, Robert, 2013: "Social Connection and Practice Dependence", *Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy* 16, 698-713

III. Book Chapters and Contributions

10. Banai, Ayelet, 2013: "Language Recognition and Fair Terms of Inclusion", in: Guérard de Latour, Sophie; Balint, Peter (eds.): *Liberal Multiculturalism and the Fair Terms of Integration* (Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan).
11. Banai, Ayelet, 2012: "Cosmopolitanism and the Problem of Political Membership", in: Niesen, Peter (ed.): *Transnational Justice and Democracy* (Frankfurt a.M.: Campus), 77-102 (in German)
12. Banai, Ayelet, 2012: "Freedom, Development, and Oil: Citizens Capital Accounts as a Development Policy", in: Howard, Michael; Widerquist, Karl (eds.): *Exporting the Alaska Model: How the Permanent Fund Dividend Can Be Adopted as a Reform Model to the World* (Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan), 217-224.
13. Banai, Ayelet; Ronzoni, Miriam; Schemmel, Christian, 2011: "Global Social Justice: The Possibility of Social Justice in a World of Overlapping Practices", in: Banai, Ayelet; Ronzoni, Miriam; Schemmel, Christian (eds.): *Social Justice, Global Dynamics* (London: Routledge), 46-60.

IV. Working Papers and Conference Proceedings

14. Banai, Ayelet, 2012: "The Languages of the Social Contract: Examining the Distinction between Immigrants and Traditional Minority Languages in EU Policies, in: *RECODE (Responding to Complex Diversity in Europe and Canada) Working Paper Series*, no. 3.

15. Banai, Ayelet, 2011: "Diversity and Minority Rights: Two Models", in: *Democracy, Governance and Citizenship*, Special Issue; *Heidelberg Papers in South Asian and Comparative Politics* 59, 104-119.

V. Minor Writings, Reviews and Media (selected)

16. Banai, Ayelet, 2012: "Multiculturalism in Germany: alive and kicking after all" *European Forum at the Hebrew University*, newsletter no. 5, July.

17. Banai, Ayelet, 2011: Review of *Democracy in What State*, by Giorgio Agamben et al., William McCuaig (tr.), Columbia University Press, in: *Notre Dame Philosophical Review* [online]

18. Banai, Ayelet, 2011: "Sharia' and Egypt's Constitutions: An Iraqi Blueprint", *Open Democracy* 29 June [online]

19. Banai, Ayelet, 2011: "Why the Constitution Matters? Tunisia's Revolution in Regional Perspective", *Kurdish Aspect* 25 January [online]

20. Banai, Ayelet, 2010: "International Injustice: Past and Present", Review of Daniel Butt, *Rectifying International Injustice*, Oxford University Press 2009, in: *Global Justice: Theory, Practice, Rhetoric* 3, 63-6.

Invited Talks and Conferences (selected)

Scheduled:

- Paper presentation: "Self-Determination, Equal Freedom and International Justice", Workshop on Measuring Freedom, MANCEPT Workshops, Manchester 8-10. Sep 2014.

- Paper presentation: "Self-Determination and Economic Injustice", APSA Annual Conference, Washington D.C. 28-31. Aug 2014

- Paper presentation: "Transnational Power and the Problem of Justice: A Framework of Analysis". Global International Studies Conference, Frankfurt am Main, 6-9 August

Past:

- Invited commentator: Clean Trade in Natural Resources: Manuscript Workshop with Leif Wenar. Frankfurt am Main, 24. Apr. 2014

- Paper presentation: "Self-Determination and Resource Rights: An Egalitarian Account", ECPR Joint Sessions, Salamanca 10-15 Apr. 2014

- Paper presentation: "The Political Conception of Human Rights: A Defence", Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities, Bad Homburg. 13 Feb. 2014

- Paper presentation: Cosmopolitanism and Self-Determination, Political Theory Colloquium Goethe University Frankfurt am Main, 10 Dec. 2013
- Panel organizer, chair and paper presentation: “Statism in Human Rights Theory: Practice vs. Ideal?”, panel on Justice and Legitimacy in International Political Theory, ECPR General Conference, Bordeaux 5-7 Sep. 2013.
- Invited speaker: “Statism in Human Rights Theory: Practice vs. Ideal?”, Conference on Facts and Norms in Political Theory, The University of Copenhagen 22-23 August 2013.
- Invited speaker: “Global Justice and the Right of Self-Determination”, Workshop on Global Justice, Poverty and Human Rights, at the Institute for Advanced Studies in the Humanities, Essen 22-23 July 2013
- Invited speaker: “Global Justice and the Right of Self-Determination”, Political Theory Colloquium, Justus Liebig University, Giessen, 15 July 2013
- Invited lecture: “The Legalization of Male Circumcision in Germany: Dilemmas and Alternatives”, Helmut Kohl Institute for European Studies, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, 7 Jan. 2013
- Invited speaker: “Political Equality and Linguistic Diversity in the European Union”, Departmental Seminar School of Political Sciences, The University of Haifa, 3 Jan 2013.
- Invited speaker: “Linguistic Diversity in the European Union: Between Democratic Stability and Minority Rights” Departmental Seminar International Relations The Hebrew University of Jerusalem 24 Dec. 2012
- Workshop co-organizer and paper presentation: “Self Determination and the Territorial Rights of Legitimate States”, Workshop on Theories of Territory beyond Westphalia, Goethe University Frankfurt am Main, 25-26 Oct. 2012
- Invited Speaker: “Human Rights and Political Membership”, Political Science Colloquium Leibniz University, Hannover, 16 July 2012
- Invited speaker: “Peoples Sovereignty under God’s Law? Religion, Democracy and the Arab Spring”, Philosophy Forum, Open University of Israel 11 June 2012
- Paper presentation: “Peoples and their Boundaries: View from 1848”, ECPR Joint Sessions, St. Gallen, 12-17 Apr. 2012
- Invited speaker: “Democracy and Cultural Diversity: European Perspectives”, Conference on The Challenges of Democracy, Van Leer Institute, Jerusalem 25-27 Oct. 2011
- Invited speaker: Cosmopolitanism and Political Membership, Division of International Politics, Economics and Public Policy, The American University Paris, 5 Oct. 2011
- Invited speaker: “Transnational Justice: Political or Socioeconomic?”, RECON (Reconstituting Democracy in Europe) Workshop, Free University of Amsterdam, 10-11 June 2011

- Invited speaker: “Language Rights and the Social Contract”, RECODE Workshop on Linguistic Diversity and the Changing Dynamics of Political Integration, The University of Helsinki 6-7 Mai 2011.
- Paper presentation: “Political Self-Determination and Territorial Borders”, Conference of the Territory and Justice Network, University College Dublin 12-13 July 2010.
- Panel co-organizer on Minority Rights, Graduate Conference, Excellence Cluster, The Formation of Normative Orders, Goethe University Frankfurt am Main 23-25 Oct. 2009
- Conference co-organizer, Global and Social Justice: Theoretical and Empirical Perspectives on the Relationship”, Centre for the Study of Social Justice, Oxford University, 7-8 Sep. 2007

Other Professional Activity

- Founding member of The Global Justice Network, 2006; Reviews editor of the network’s open access journal, *Global Justice: Theory, Practice Rhetoric* 2011-13 .
- Occasional reviewer for: *Ethics and International Affairs*, *Theoria*, *Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy*, *Philosophy and Public Issues*, *Journal of Applied Philosophy*, *Constellations*

Grants and Awards (selected)

- German Research Council (DFG), grant for Journal development (co-applicant) 2013-2015
- Center for German and European Studies at Haifa University, seed research grant 2013-2014
- Kassel Foundation, Goethe University Frankfurt am Main 2009
- Minerva Fellowship, Max Planck Society 2006-2008
- Somerville College, Oxford University, Junior Scholarship 2006-2008
- Jenkins Memorial Fund, Oxford University, 2006-2007
- Overseas Research Students Award, Secretary of Education (UK) 2005-2007
- Award for Academic Achievement, Department of Political Science, The Hebrew University, 2000.

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