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## STL Faculty Scholarship

### Publications

**Andrew Jensen Kerr**, *The Use of Cultural Authority in Constitutional Argument*, 74 VANDERBILT LAW REVIEW EN BANC 215 (2021)

**Andrew Jensen Kerr**, *Art Threats and First Amendment Disruption*, 16 DUKE JOURNAL OF CONSTITUTIONAL LAW AND PUBLIC POLICY 173 (2021).

**Asif Qureshi**, *United States Special 301 --- A deeply Flawed Tool for IPR Regulation?*, Journal of World Trade, 2021 (Journal SSCI Indexed).

**Asif Qureshi**, *US Surveillance of Foreign Currency Exchange & Macroeconomic Practices*, World Trade Review 2021 (Journal SSCI Indexed).

**Asif Qureshi**, *A Public International Law Perspective of Section 232 of the US Trade Expansion Act*, Kansas Journal of Law and Public Policy 2021 (By invitation).

**Danny Friedmann**, Peer-reviewed law journal article, *Food labels, trademarks and how to prevent the next pandemic* (June 2021) 16(6) JOURNAL OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW AND PRACTICE (Oxford University Press) 453-454.

**Danny Friedmann**, Peer-reviewed law journal article, *Cornucopia of comparative case law: trade mark law in Asia* (February 2021) 16(2) JOURNAL OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY LAW AND PRACTICE (Oxford University Press) 184-186.

**Danny Friedmann**, Peer-reviewed book chapter, *Innovative Foods with Transparent Labels that Will Have the Next Pandemic for Breakfast* (June 28, 2021) in LAW AND ECONOMICS OF THE CORONAVIRUS CRISIS, Klaus Mathis and Avishalom Tor, eds. (Springer, Forthcoming).

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**Emanuel Towfigh**, Monographs, *Diversität in Rechtswissenschaft und Rechtspraxis. Ein Essay [Diversity in the Legal Academy and in Legal Practice in Germany. An Essay]* (with Michael Grünberger, Anna Katharina Mangold, Nora Markard and Mehrdad Payandeh), Baden-Baden 2021 (Nomos), 105 pages.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, *The Legal Constitution of Religious Communities. A Survey by the Example of the Bahais [German]*, Dissertation, 2nd edition, Jus Ecclesiasticum vol. 80, Tübingen 2021 (Mohr Siebeck), 269 pages.

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**Gilad Abiri**, *The Pandemic Constitution*, Colum. J. Transnat'l L. (forthcoming) Yale Law School's Judge William E. Miller Prize. For the best paper concerning the Bill of Rights.

**Gilad Abiri**, *Moderating from Nowhere*, BYU L. Rev (forthcoming)

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**Joy Xiang**, *Intellectual Property, Antitrust, and Access to Essential Technologies*, Lewis & Clark Law Review, forthcoming.

**Joy Xiang**, *Intellectual Property, Antimonopoly Law and Sustainable Development in China*, WIPO-WTO Colloquium Papers, Special Edition, forthcoming.

**Joy Xiang**, *Intellectual Property Laws, Competition Law, and Access to Know-how*, in *The Exploitation of IPR – Finding the Right Balance*, Edward Elgar Publishing, forthcoming.

**Liav Orgad**, *When Is Immigration Selection Discriminatory?* 115 *American Journal of International Law Unbound* 345 (2021). Cambridge University Press.

**Liav Orgad and Wessel Reijers**, *How to Make the Perfect Citizen? Lessons from China's Social Credit System*, *Vanderbilt Journal of Transnational Law* (2021).

**Liav Orgad**, *Forced to be Free: The Limit of European Tolerance*, 34 *Harvard Human Rights Journal* 1 (2021).

**Ashley Mantha-Hollands and Liav Orgad**, *Citizenship at a Crossroad*, 18(4) *International Journal of Constitutional Law* 1522 (2021), Oxford University Press.

**Mark Feldman**, *Connectivity and Decoupling: Belt and Road Dispute Resolution in a Fractured Trade Environment*, *Indian Rev. Int'l Arb.* Vol. 1 (2021)

**Mark Feldman**, "One-stop" *Commercial Dispute Resolution Services: Implications for International Investment Law*, *Handbook of International Investment Law and Policy* (J. Chaisse, L. Choukroune, S. Jusoh, eds.) (2021) (Springer) (invited)

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**Nitzan Shilon**, *Markets vs. Regulation: Investor Protection in the U.S. Compared to Israel*, in: Cambridge Handbook on Investor Protection (Arthur Laby ed., 2021), Cambridge University Press. A draft is available on SSRN at [https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract\\_id=3841501](https://papers.ssrn.com/sol3/papers.cfm?abstract_id=3841501).

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**Sang Yop Kang**, *The Same-Person' Designation System: A Critical Review of the Quantitative Standard and the Qualitative Standard* [동일인 지정제도 정량적 기준과 정상적 기준의 비판적 검토] (written in Korean), THE ECONOMIC LAW JOURNAL (경제법연구) (Vol. 20, 2021)

**Sang Yop Kang**, *Diversified Enterprises with Controlling Shareholders: A Theoretical Analysis of Risk-Sharing, Control/Voting Leverage, and Tunneling* in the RESEARCH HANDBOOK ON COMPARATIVE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE (Afra Afsharipour & Martin Gelter eds., EDWARD ELGAR, 2021) (single-authored)

茅少伟 (MAO Shaowei), 《有用的理论、无用的理论与备用的理论》, 《燕大法学教室》(2021)第3期。

茅少伟 (MAO Shaowei), 《行政协议六人谈: 行政审理模式还是民事审理模式?》(合著), 《燕大法学教室》(2021)第1期(创刊号)。

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**Stephen Minas**, *Financing climate justice in the European Union and China: common mechanisms, different perspectives* (2021) *Asia Europe Journal* (online first), <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10308-021-00644-0>.

**Stephen Minas**, *Potential Modalities for Technology Transfer under the International Legally Binding Instrument*, in Keyuan Zou and Anastasia Telesetsky (eds), *Marine Scientific Research, New Marine Technologies and the Law of the Sea* (Brill 2021).

**Stephen Minas**, *China's Mental Health Law*, in H. Minas (ed.), *Mental Health in China and the Chinese Diaspora: Historical and Cultural Perspectives* (Springer 2021).

**Stephen Minas**, *Transnational Legal Education in China*, in Peer Zumbansen (ed.), *The Oxford Handbook of Transnational Law* (Oxford University Press 2021).

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**Stephen Minas**, *The Paris Agreement goal on finance flows*, Briefing paper 3/2021, Legal Response International, <https://legalresponse.org/legaladvice/the-paris-agreement-goal-on-finance-flows/>

**Stephen Minas**, *Global Governance of Environmental Mobility – Regional Paper: China*, KNOMAD/Zolberg Institute on Migration and Mobility, The New School, May 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, *How climate action and gender equality are linked in the pursuit of justice*, South China Morning Post, 21 May 2021, <https://www.scmp.com/comment/opinion/article/3134053/how-climate-action-and-gender-equality-are-linked-pursuit-justice>

**Stephen Minas**, *European climate change law: consensus politics is powering the EU towards net zero, but will others follow?*, South China Morning Post, 1 July 2021, <https://www.scmp.com/comment/opinion/article/3139414/european-climate-change-law-consensus-politics-powering-eu-towards>

**Stephen Minas**, *China's Climate Diplomacy: Continuity and Evolution*, China Trends by Institut Montaigne, July 2021.

**Vassilis Ntousas and Stephen Minas** (eds), *The European Union and China's Belt and Road: Impact, Engagement and Competition* (Routledge 2021).

**Susan Finder**, *Why I Research China's Supreme People's Court*, US-ALI Perspectives, September 30, 2021, <https://usali.org/usali-perspectives-blog/why-i-research-chinas-supreme-peoples-court>

**Susan Finder**, *The Long March to Professionalizing Judicial Discipline in China*, *Disciplining Judges* (Richard Devlin, ed.) Edward Elgar, 2021, 78-106.

**Susan Finder**, *How the Supreme People's Court "Makes" Criminal Procedure Law*, *Chinese Courts and Criminal Procedure, Post 2013 Reforms*, (Bjoern Ahl, ed.), Cambridge University Press, 2021, 84-108.

**Susan Finder**, *REPORT ON A SURVEY OF OVERSEAS ARBITRATION INSTITUTIONS* (境外仲裁机构调查报告), Report prepared for the Great Britain-China Centre for the China Prosperity Fund 此报告应英中协会参与的中英法治化营商环境项目委托撰写, 提交司法部 UK-China Business Environment Programme and submitted to the PRC Ministry of Justice, March, 2021.

**吴雨豪 (WU Yuhao)**, 《量刑自由裁量权的边界: 集体经验、个体决策与偏差识别》, 《法学研究》(权威期刊、法学 CSSCI) 2021 年第 6 期, 第 109-129 页。  
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## Appointments

**Joy Xiang**, Observer and Session Moderator, WIPO-WTO Colloquium for IP Teachers, November 1-12, 2021.

**Liav Orgad**, Director of a newly established center, Rubinstein "Center for Constitutional Challenges" (CCC), Reichman University/IDC Herzliya, 4 million USD donation.

**Norman Ho**, Appointed as a Visiting Professor, National University of Singapore Faculty of Law, 2021-2022 AY (Sem. 2).

**Norman Ho**, Appointed as Affiliated Scholar, Transnational Legal History Group, Centre for Comparative and Transnational Law, Chinese University of Hong Kong.

**Stephen Minas**, Chair of the UNFCCC Technology Executive Committee, meetings on 20-23 April 2021 and 7-10 September 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Delegate of UNFCCC COP26 Glasgow climate change conference, 31 October-12 November 2021.

## Presentations and Lectures

**Asif Qureshi**, Special Distinguished Public Lecture delivered in Seoul, Korea organised and hosted by Pakistan Embassy in South Korea titled 'Unilateral Abrogation of Special Status of Indian Illegally Occupied Jammu and Kashmir: Perpetuation of Colonisation by India?' on August 5th, 2021.

**Asif Qureshi**, distinguished speaker, on the occasion of SAARC Charter Day, on 8th December 2021, to commemorate the foundation day of the regional group of South Asian nations – SAARC. Organized by the South Asian University (SAU) in New Delhi, India. SAU is an international university established by the eight-member nations of South Asian Association for Regional Co-operation (SAARC) viz. Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka. The title of the Lecture is *Americanization of International Economic Law: Opportunities and Implications for South Asian Countries*.

**Danny Friedmann**, Seminar *Prosecco and Two Conflicting Geographical Indications Agreements*, at the Roma Tre University, Rome, Italy (via Zoom) on 3 May 2021.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, *Diversity in Legal Education and Practice* (Keynote Lecture), Cultural Diversity in the Courtroom - Judges in Europe Facing New Challenges, European Judicial Training Network, Barcelona/Spain, 18 November, 2021.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, *It's complicated: On the Relationship between Algorithmic Decisions and the Democratic Rule of Law*, Colloquium Algorithms and Democratic Systems with Indra Spiecker and Christoph Burchard, Goethe University Frankfurt/Germany (online), 16 November, 2021.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, Round Table, *Law & Politics of Religion in Practice*, Berlin/Germany, 11 November 2021.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, Book Spot, *Diversity in Law and Legal Practice*, ICON•S German Chapter (online), 12 October 2021.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, *Diversity and Didactics in Law School*, interview with Alisha Andert, TalentRocket New Lawyers Podcast (online – Podcast), 14 September, 2021.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, *Human Rights and Digitization*, Expert Discussion with Kristina Schönfeldt and Prof. Dr. Sven Laumer, FAU Human Rights Podcast, FAU Center for Human Rights Erlangen-Nuremberg/Germany (online - Podcast), 13 September, 2021.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, *Diversity in the Legal Academy and in Legal Practice in Germany*, Avicenna Study Center (online) , 10 September, 2021.



**Emanuel Towfigh**, *Fundamental Rights Protection in Europe - On the Schächt Decision of the ECJ of 17.12.2020*, Expert Discussion with Dr. Carl-Wendelin Neubert, Jurafuchs Podcast »Spruchreif« (online - Podcast) , 8 July, 2021.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, *The effects of gender and migration on state exam grades*, Lecture Series, Reflections on National Socialism and Racism in the Context of Legal Education, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg/Germay (online) , 14 June, 2021.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, *Legal issues of the pandemic: relaxations for vaccinated and recovered persons*, Legal Practice, EBS Law School Wiesbaden/Germany, 31 May, 2021.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, *Didactics of Law: Sequencing of Teaching, teaching round of the faculty of law* (online), 5 May 2021.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, *Effects of Gender and Origin in Grading State Exams in Law in Germany*, Peking University School of Transnational Law, Shenzhen/China (online), 12 April, 2021.

**Emanuel Towfigh**, *New Challenges for Human Rights in the Digital Age*, Human Rights Panel, Nirma University Institute of Law, Ahmedabad/India (online), 22 February, 2021.

**Francis Snyder**, invited Lecture, *The BRI Kaleidoscope: European Legal Pluralism and BRI Soft Law*, Faculty of International Relations, University of Pisa, Italy, 7 October 2021

**Francis Snyder**, invited Lecture, *Law in Context: A Personal Roadmap*, Centre de Recherches Internationales et Communautaires (CERIC) and Laboratoire de Theorie Juridique, Aix-Marseille University, 21 October 2021, Aix-en-Provence, France

**Francis Snyder**, invited Commentator, “Kena Zeng, *Regulating Big Tech competition with hard law or soft law - A comparative analysis of the EU and China*”, PhD Seminar, Faculty of Law, University of Maastricht, The Netherlands, 10 November 2021

**Gilad Abiri**, *Moderating from Nowhere*, International Association for Constitutional Law Junior Scholars Forum, 2021.

**Joy Xiang**, Book Talk: *Climate Change, Sustainable Development, Cleantech: A Pathway for Developing Countries*, Berkeley Center for Law & Technology, (December 7, 2021)

**Joy Xiang**, Invited Moderator, WIPO-WTO Colloquium – *IP Jurisprudence*, Geneva, Switzerland (Online, November 2021)

**Joy Xiang**, Invited Presentations. *Intellectual Property, Antitrust Law, Access to Essential Technologies*, at

– International Association for the Advancement of Teaching and Research for Intellectual Property, Copenhagen, Denmark (online, November 2021)

– Annual Academic Roundtable, University of New Hampshire Franklin Pierce School of Law, U.S.A. (online, September 2021)

– Asia IP and Innovation Researchers Conference, Malaysia (online, March 2021)

**Liav Orgad**, *Digital Citizenship in the Post-Pandemic Urban Realm*, Migration, Displacement and Citizenship in an Urban World. The New School. Digital. November 30, 2021.

**Liav Orgad**, *What Does It Mean to Be a Citizen in Europe?* Centre Marc Bloch. Berlin. November 12, 2021.

**Liav Orgad**, *Social Credit Systems: China and Europe*, European Parliament, EP Special Committee on Artificial Intelligence in the Digital Age. Digital. April 30, 2021.

**Liav Orgad**, *Drawing Boundaries: Turning-Moments in the History of Citizenship*, EUI Florence. April 26-28, 2021.

**Mark Feldman**, *Challenging Trade Remedy Measures Before an Investor-State Dispute Settlement System*, Peking University School of Transnational Law (November 2021) (presentation by Dr. Sungjin Kang) (served as co-moderator with Professor Asif Qureshi)

**Mark Feldman**, *Mega-regional Pathways to Asia-Pacific Economic Integration*, Pearl River Delta Academy of International Trade and Investment Law (PRAIA) (November 2021)

**Mark Feldman**, FDI Pre-Moot (St. Petersburg University and Russian Arbitration Association) (October 2021) (served as presiding arbitrator for semi-final round)

**Mark Feldman**, *State-Owned Enterprises as Claimants in International Investment Arbitration*, FDI Pre-Moot E-Conference (St. Petersburg University and Russian Arbitration Association) (October 2021)

**Mark Feldman**, *A Free Trade Area of the Asia-Pacific for the Asian Century*, Peking University School of Transnational Law Faculty Workshop (October 2021)

**Mark Feldman**, FDI Moot Shenzhen (Shenzhen Court of International Arbitration) (August 2021) (served as presiding arbitrator for qualifying and elimination rounds)

**Mark Feldman**, *Application of Treaties in Domestic Court: Monist and Dualist Considerations*, FDI Moot Shenzhen 2021, Conference on Domestic Application of Treaties (July 2021)

**Mark Feldman**, *Critical Evaluation of the One-Stop Dispute Resolution Services in Asia*, Expert Views on ADR, Chinwe Stella Umegbolu (University of Brighton) (July 2021)

**Mark Feldman**, *Singapore International Arbitration Academy 2021* (June 2021) (multiple sessions attended by more than 100 government officials)

**Mark Feldman**, *A Pacific Rim Consensus on International Investment Law*, International Public Lecture, Transnational Business Law Department, Faculty of Law, Universitas

Padjadjaran (June 2021) (two-hour virtual seminar attended by more than 200 participants)

**Mark Feldman**, *Demonstration Virtual JD Contracts Class*, Peking University School of Transnational Law (May 2021) (more than 200 registrants from more than 100 universities)

**Nitzan Shilon**, *Pay for Destruction: The Executive Compensation Arrangements That Encourage Value-Decreasing Stock Buybacks*, The Wharton Financial Regulation Conference (April 2021).

**Nitzan Shilon**, *Executive Compensation and Stock Buybacks*, Interview with Jeff Mahoney, The Council of Institutional Investors' Podcast "The Voice of Corporate Governance" (May 6, 2021), available at <https://www.audible.com/pd/Executive-Compensation-and-Stock-Buybacks-with-Professor-Nitzan-Shilon-Podcast/B0949HXJN5>.

**Nitzan Shilon**, *Pay for Destruction: The Executive Compensation Arrangements That Encourage Value-Decreasing Stock Buybacks*, Annual conference of the Israeli Private Law Association (June 2021).

**Nitzan Shilon**, *Pay for Destruction: The Executive Compensation Arrangements That Encourage Value-Decreasing Stock Buybacks*, Annual conference of the National Business Law Scholars Association (June 2021).

**Nitzan Shilon**, *Pay for Destruction: The Executive Compensation Arrangements That Encourage Value-Decreasing Stock Buybacks*, Annual conference of the Canadian Economics Association (June 2021).

**Nitzan Shilon**, *Pay for Destruction: The Executive Compensation Arrangements That Encourage Value-Decreasing Stock Buybacks*, Annual conference of the German Law and Economics Association (July 2021).

**Nitzan Shilon**, *The Invisible Hand's Debacle: The Case of Executive Pay Incentives Around Stock Buybacks*, Annual conference of the European Law and Economics Association (September 2021).

**Norman Ho**, *Thinking About Law Through Music*, Law and Humanities Seminar Series - Public Seminar (in-person), Peking University School of Transnational Law (September 16, 2021).

**Sang Yop Kang**, *Understanding Environment, Social and Governance (ESG)*, Pearl River Delta Academy of International Trade and Investment Law (PRAIA) (Nov. 5, 2021)

**Sang Yop Kang**, *ESG: Implications and Limits*, Seoul National University School of Law (Nov. 18, 2021)

**Stephen Minas**, Lecturer, 'Sustainable Finance, Pandemic and Climate Transition', Energy Community Secretariat, 25 February 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, 'International Collaborative RD&D Initiatives for Climate Technologies', UNFCCC, 23 April 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, 'Climate Diplomacy Ahead of Glasgow COP26', Global Progressive Forum, 26 May 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Lecturer, 'Advancing Technology Development and Transfer under the Paris Agreement', The Road to COP 26/CMA 3 Preparatory Lecture Series, Durham University/IUCN World Commission on Environmental Law, National University of Singapore, 18 June 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, 'Innovation and emerging technologies for Sustainable Energy', Asia-Pacific Climate Week, 7 July 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, 'Unlocking green hydrogen's potential in the Asia Pacific', Asia-Pacific Climate Week, 8 July 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, 'National Policy, Local Action: Scaling Integrated Approaches to Strengthen Coastal and Ocean Adaptation', UNFCCC/IUCN, 13 October 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, 'Looking Ahead: Covering COP26', Foresight News, 20 October 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Seminar speaker, Pre-COP Legal Training Workshop, Legal Response International, 27 October 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, 'COP26: What to Expect?', STL/Queen Mary University of London, 29 October 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, 'Youth in Climate Technology', 16<sup>th</sup> UNFCCC Conference of Youth, University of Strathclyde, 30 October 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, 'Fostering Technology Uptake to Support NDC Implementation and Greater Ambition', UNFCCC, 4 November 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, 'Climate Change & Arbitration', BVI Arbitration Week, British Virgin Islands International Arbitration Centre, 5 November 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Moderator, Dialogue on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Independent Review of the Climate Technology Centre and Network, 5 November 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, ‘The Best of Both Worlds: Uniting Adaptation Technologies and Nature-based Solutions to Enhance Coastal and Ocean Resilience’, UNFCCC/IUCN/FEBA, 8 November 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, ‘Leveraging Emerging Technologies in Climate Actions’, Blockchain and Climate Institute, 11 November 2021.

**Stephen Minas**, Panellist, ‘After COP, before COP’, Durham University/IUCN World Commission on Environmental Law, National University of Singapore, 26 November 2021.

**Susan Finder**, Survey of Overseas Arbitration Institutions on Establishing a “Business Office” in China, 临港新片区法律服务中心成立一周年系列活动。2021 上海国际争议解决论坛暨临港新片区法律服务云平台发布活动，2021 年 12 月 17 日。

**Susan Finder**, “Why and How the Supreme People’s Court Serves the Belt & Road Initiative,” University of Rome Tre (webinar), November 15, 2021

**Susan Finder**, “Why and How the Supreme People’s Court Serves the Belt & Road Initiative,” Asia Law Talk (webinar), William S. Richardson School of Law Pacific-Asian Legal Studies (PALS) Program, November 5, 2021, <https://youtu.be/8Zm-7XYpzTQ>

**Susan Finder**, Brief Comments on the China International Commercial Court, Charting the New Frontiers of International Dispute Resolution in the Asia-Pacific (webinar), July 29, 2021,

**Susan Finder**, The Supreme People’s Court and the Development of Chinese International Commercial Law, Keynote speech, Deals & Disputes, China, Hong Kong, and Commercial Law, University of Pittsburgh, May 18, 2021.

**Susan Finder**, Commentator, Presentation by Neysun Mahboubi (University of Pennsylvania), Zombie legal reform?: Judicial and Administrative Law Developments after the Fourth Plenum, May 5, 2021.

**Susan Finder**, Functions of the Supreme People’s Court and their Implications, University of Rome Tre, April 12, 2021 (webinar).

**Susan Finder**, Efforts of the Chinese judiciary to expand its global influence and become a preferred destination for IP dispute resolution, on the same panel as the Honorable Jeremy Fogel, Facilitating Global Dispute Settlement, Transnational IP Litigation at a Time of Trade Tension, 3rd Berkeley-Tsinghua Conference on Transnational IP Litigation, January 29, 2021 (webinar).

**吴雨豪 (WU Yuhao)**，独立报告：“大数据时代是否还需要传统的定量研究”，北京师范大学实证研究与企业合规跨界沙龙，线上，2021 年 11 月 10 日。

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吴雨豪 (WU Yuhao), 独立报告: “何为量刑自由裁量权的边界: 集体经验、个体决策与偏差识别”, 同案同判与类案检索”研讨会, 最高人民法院审判管理办公室和上海交通大学中国法与社会研究院共同主办, 上海, 2021 年 4 月 8 日。

**MA Ji**, Speaker, “Data Security in International Investment Law”, Colloquium on International Investment Law & New Technologies, Tiburg University, HBKU, National and Kapodistrian Univeristy of Athens (Dec. 10, 2021)

**MA Ji**, Speaker, “New Wine in Old Wineskins: the Changing Foreign Investment Law in the Unchanging Constitutional Provision”, Oxford Law Faculty Constitutional Law of Greater China Workshop (Dec. 9, 2021)

**MA Ji**, Speaker, “Moving from the Brown Economy to the Green Economy: the Battle on the Protection of Intellectual Property”, International Investment Law and Climate Change Webinar, Max Planck Institute for Procedural Law (Nov. 18, 2021)

**MA Ji**, Speaker, “Addressing US Sanctions against Chinese Corporations: the Examples of Huawei, Xiaomi and TikTok,” Fudan University Law School (June 18, 2021)

**MA Ji**, Speaker, The Expansion of CFIUS in Strategic Competition Act of 2021, Renmin University Law School Center for Global Law and Strategy (May 6, 2021)

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**MA Ji**, “China clamps down on its tech billionaires”, The Guardian (Aug. 21, 2021).

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## STL Student Achievements

### Moot Court and Debate Competitions

**China WTO Moot Court Competition**, *Champion*, "Best Oralist" (LIU Yuhan'19), December 19, 2021.

**Price Media Law Moot Court**, top four in the Asia-Pacific Regional Rounds, the only Chinese team advancing to the International Round to be held in April 2022.

**The China International Law of the Sea Moot Court Competition** (China Ilosmcc), the 5th place and *Second Prize* in the preliminary rounds, "Best Oralist" (TANG Xinyi'19 and XIA Xiaohan'19).

**The 19th CIETAC Cup International Commercial Arbitration Moot**, the *Second Prize*, the "Best Memo Award", "Best Oralist" (ZHANG Xue'20 and QIAN Shuming'20), November 28 to December 3, 2021.

**International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition**, the *Second Prize*, *Best Government Memorandum*, and *Best Government Counsel*, *Top 10 Advocate for Government* (LIU Yingyi'19).

The international final round of the 19th edition of the **John H. Jackson Moot Court Competition** on WTO Law, Top 8, 22-27 June.

**The 19th Asian-Pacific Regional Round of the John H. Jackson Moot Court Competition**, *runner up*, "Best Memorial for Complainant and Respondent", "Best Memorial for Complainant", April 4, 2021.

**Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition**, the 5th in Chinese teams, top 100 globally.

**The 18TH Willem C. Vis East International Arbitration Moot**, *Honorable Mention for the Best Respondent Memorandum*, March 14th-21st, 2021, Hong Kong.

**NIU Ben'19** won the runner-up of the Asian Joint Debate Championship (English as a foreign language group) (first prize at the international level); the first prize of the National College Students English Debate Competition & Best Debate (first prize at the national level); won the Open Group of Asian British Parliamentary Debate Promotion (international third prize).

**WANG Chenyu'19** won the championship of the 3rd University Debate Tournament of "China Air Show Future Cup" and the best debater in the final.

## Other Student Achievements



On December 18, members of **STL's Public Interest Law Foundation** ("PILF") held the "Seventh Annual PILF Auction." The 2021 PILF received over 90 auction items and raised over 70,000RMB fund in total.

In the 5th Nanyan Sports and Culture Festival and New Year Cup series competition, STL students won the Championship in the 100-meter medley relay, Second place in Women's Basketball and the Third prize in the opening ceremony performance; **SHI Tong'21** won the Third place in women's 100-meter sprinting and the Track and Field Competition. **ZHAO Mengmeng'21** won the Second place in the Women's Backstroke, the First place in the Women's 200 metres Track and Field Competition; **YANG Yiqing'21** won the First place in breaststroke. **ZHANG Yuwei'21** won the Championship in the Men's 400m and Men's 100m Track and Field competition. ZHANG Yuwei'21 won the Championship in the rope-jumping competition; **CAI Zhengnian'21** won the Second place in the badminton competition.

In the Fun Games Sports Meeting 2021, STL students won the second place of Women's 100-meter medley relay. STL students have won the second place of Group tug-of-war.

In the University Town Swimming Competition, **YANG Yiqing'21** won the Fourth place in the breaststroke.

**CAI Zhengnian'21** won the Third place in the Shenzhen University Town 16th Comprehensive Games Badminton Competition.

**YANG Yidong'20**, runner-up, Shenzhen Reading Month Debate Competition; the third runner-up, and the best debater, the Shenzhen University Student Debate Competition.

**HU Linjie'20**, *Personality Traits and Attitudes towards Rural Migrants* (Paper ID: SSMI 535) in 2nd International Symposium on Education and Social Sciences, first author



**HU Linjie'20**, first author of "*Analysis on the Influencing Factors of Female Employees' Delay of Retirement Intentions from the Perspective of "Work-Family"*".

**SHEN Xue'ao'20**, the Best Organization Award of the Advanced Youth League School of Shenzhen Institute of Technology and the 15th "Qingyun Plan" backbone training class

**ZHANG Xiaoyu'20, Sun Yilin'20, Zhang Ruiyuan'20, and Zhuo Minghao'20** won the PKU-level third prize and the PKUSZ-level second prize of the May Fourth Youth Science Award in the 29th "Challenge Cup" series of competitions of Peking University, June 16, 2021,

The Youth League Branch of Class 2 won the 2021 Outstanding Youth League Branch of Peking University, the second prize of 2020-2021 Themed Youth League Day activity of Peking University Shenzhen Graduate School

**MA Qiuzhi'20** won the men's 50m freestyle champion in the 2021 Welcome Cup swimming competition; second place in the men's 50m butterfly

**TIAN Kaifeng'20, Ma Qiuzhi'20**, etc. won the 2021 Welcome Cup Swimming Competition Men's Relay Championship

**DIAO Yueping'20** won the 2021 Welcome Cup Swimming Championship Women's 50m Backstroke; Women's 100m Breaststroke Championship; 2021 Welcome Cup Track and Field Women's 200m Championship

**SUN Yilin'20** won the 2021 Welcome Cup Track and Field Women's 400m Champion; Li Tairan won the 2021 Welcome Cup Track and Field Men's 5000m Third Place

**CHEN Qi'19** was awarded the first prize of qualification trial of Peking University Shenzhen Graduate School in China Universities Debating Championship 2021

**AI Dunyi'18** Published a Paper in the journal of "UIBE legal science"---"On the Nature of the Billing Lading Base on the supreme court guiding case No. 111"  
艾敦义于《贸大法学》第19辑（2021年）发表论文《提单性质的辨析——以指导案例第111号为切入》

**AI Dunyi'18** Published a Paper in the journal of "China Business Law Journal"---"Mergers by absorption and legality of case option"  
艾敦义于《商法》2021年第4期发表论文《换股吸收合并下现金选择权的规范基础》

**AI Dunyi'18** published a paper in the journal of "Civil And Commercial Law Debate" -- "The Enlargement of the Proposal Right of Shareholder Base on the Statutory Interpretation".  
艾敦义于《民商法争鸣》第19辑发表论文《提解释论路径下股东提案权的再考察》

**NI Xiang**'17 received the 20th Jones Day scholarship in June 18, 2021. She was one of the nine winners in China.

## Alumni News



On October 15, Chinese Premier LI Keqiang visited “Polaris Youth” (北辰青年), an emerging cultural and creative company founded by STL alumni **SONG Chao**'12.

**WU Han**'08 from King&Wood Mallensons was ranked top 15 TMT lawyers in the 2021 ALB China list published by *Asian Legal Business*.

**SUN Dongyu**'14 was awarded the German Chancellor Fellowship by The Alexander von Humboldt Foundation on April 10, 2021 and was the one of the ten winners in China.