

# Lior Hamovitz

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Pursuing an academic career in environmental justice, I seek to gain knowledge of and contribute to the global governance of the climate crisis. I am particularly interested in interdisciplinary scholarship on regional climate ethics, environmental law, as well as the intersection between local identities and international climate regimes. My professional strengths lie in my analytical thinking, and my keen drive to learn and excel

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## EDUCATION

<i>Political Science PhD</i>   <b>Boston University</b>	2023-pres. MA, USA
* Studying towards a Doctor of Philosophy degree with a specialization in Political Theory	
<i>Political Science MA</i>   <b>The Hebrew University of Jerusalem</b>	2021-2023 Israel
* Thesis – “Towards a Theory of Climate Contractualism: Regional Ethics in a Warming World”	
* Dean’s List; 4.0 GPA	
<i>World Politics BA (hons.)</i>   <b>Leiden University College the Hague</b>	2018-2021 Netherlands
* Capstone – “Shifting Hegemony: China’s Challenge to U.S. Hegemony During the COVID-19 Pandemic – A Preliminary Investigation of the Middle East Case”	
* Published thesis with <a href="#">E-International Relations</a>	

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

<i>Teaching Assistant</i>   <b>Boston University</b>	Spring 2024
* Special Topics in Political Theory: Who Belongs? Who Decides?	
<i>Research Assistant</i>   <b>The Hebrew University of Jerusalem</b>	2021-2023
* Edit and review grant proposals, forthcoming articles and chapters in edited books	
* Analyze materials on the green transition, regulatory impact, and political trust	
<i>Research Assistant</i>   <b>The Open University of Israel</b>	2021-2023
* Code international institutions’ reports on state compliance with human rights conventions, empirically examining the utility of naming/shaming practices	
<i>Teaching Assistant</i>   <b>The Hebrew University of Jerusalem</b>	2022-2023
* Contemporary Political Thought	
* Transnational Public Policy	
* Regional and International Security Issues in the Contemporary Middle East	
* Politics and Regulation of New Technologies	
<i>Research Assistant</i>   <b>The Hebrew University of Jerusalem</b>	Apr-Oct 2022
* Produce critical literature reviews on security ecosystems, new space regulation, and the evolution of the space club	

<i>Editor in Chief</i>   <b>The Roosevelt Network at LUC</b>	2021-2022
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Trained and oversaw a team of 6 editors in a global policy think-tank</li> <li>* Produced and edited annual magazine under the theme “Climate Emergency”</li> </ul>	
<i>Head of Research</i>   <b>The Roosevelt Network at LUC</b>	2020-2021
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Oversaw a team of 13 student researchers in a global policy think-tank</li> <li>* Produced and edited annual magazine under the theme “Crisis Management”</li> <li>* Authored journal pieces on US elections, bilateral treaties, and pandemic politics</li> </ul>	
<i>Research Lab Assistant</i>   <b>Leiden University College the Hague</b>	2020
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Drafted 3 reports analyzing primary and secondary sources on political narratives in the Middle East surrounding the COVID-19 and China’s global status</li> </ul>	
<i>Intern Teaching Assistant</i>   <b>Leiden University College the Hague</b>	2020
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Assessed and collated legal data and scholarship on the environmental, social and economic repercussions of borrow pitting in South Louisiana</li> <li>* Analyzed and compiled non-Western and post-Western scholarship on political transitions in Africa for course syllabus</li> </ul>	

## ASSOCIATIONS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

<i>Professional and Community Involvement</i>	<b>Brown University</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Climate Social Science Network (CSSN) scholar</li> </ul>	April 2024-Pres
	<b>Boston University</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Graduate Liaison to the Director of Graduate Studies</li> <li>○ Member of Graduate Speaker Series team</li> <li>○ Project Contributor at MetroBridge: policy consultant on extreme heat communication for the city of Cambridge</li> </ul>	Oct 2023-Pres Dec 2023-Pres Fall 2023
	<b>Hebrew University of Jerusalem</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Research Member of the Leonard Davis Institute’s climate research team of academics and industry professionals across fields working towards interdisciplinary climate research and practices</li> </ul>	2021-2022
<i>Honors and Awards</i>	<b>Boston University</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ BU Women’s Guild Award (\$5,000)</li> </ul>	Spring 2024
	<b>Hebrew University of Jerusalem</b>	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Dean’s Award for academic excellence (\$4,000)</li> <li>○ Social Sciences Faculty research fellowship (\$3,500)</li> <li>○ Political Science Departmental fellowship (\$4,500) to attend Freie Universität Berlin</li> </ul>	2021-2022 2022-2023 Spring 2023
<i>Languages</i>	<b>English</b> -- Native proficiency	
	<b>Hebrew</b> -- Native speaker	
	<b>Spanish</b> -- Intermediate proficiency	