

# Mor Mitrani

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## Academic Positions

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- Oct 2017- Present     **Lecturer**, The Department of Political Studies, Bar-Ilan University.
- Oct 2015- Sep 2017     **Joint Post-doctoral Fellow**, The Berlin-Jerusalem post-doctoral program.  
Post-doc project: *The International Community: What are you Talking about?* endorsed by Prof. Thomas Risse (Freie Universität Berlin) and Prof. Piki Ish-Shalom (Hebrew University of Jerusalem).  
**Associated post-doctoral fellow** at KFG "The Transformative Power of Europe," Freie Universität Berlin (during the academic year 2015/2016).  
**Associated post-doctoral fellow** at the Davis Institute for International Relations, Hebrew University, Jerusalem (during the academic year 2016/2017)

## Education

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- 2011-2016     **PhD**, The Department of International Relations, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem (Submitted September 2015, approved February 2016)  
**Dissertation title:** *The International Voice of Globalization: In Search of an International Community in a Globalized World*. Supervised by Prof. Arie Kacowicz and Prof. Shaul Shenhav.
- 2009-2010     **MSc Global Politics (with merit)**, The London School of Economics and Political Science.
- 2007-2010     **MA (MAGNA CUM LAUDE) Individual Graduate Program**, International Relations and Conflict Research, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem
- 2004-2007     **BA (MAGNA CUM LAUDE), International Relations & Media and Communication**, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

## Publications and Conference Papers:

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### Papers in Refereed Journals:

- Arie Kacowicz and **Mor Mitrani** (2016) "Why Don't We Have Coherent Theories of International Relations about Globalization?" *Global Governance* 22 (2):189-208
- Mitrani, Mor (2013) "(Re-)Telling Societal Beliefs: Changing narratives in Israel's political discourse regarding transition to peace" *The International Journal of Conflict Management* 24 (3):245-264.
- Mitrani, Mor (2013) "The Global Civil Society and the International Society - Compete or Complete?" *Alternatives: Global, Local, Political* 38(2): 172-188.
- Mitrani, Mor. (2012) "I, We and Them: Between Individual Learning Processes and Alterations of Societal Beliefs: The Case of Rabin and the Oslo Process," *Israel Studies in Language and Society* 3(2). [Hebrew]

### Chapters in Edited Books:

- Mor Mitrani (forthcoming) "The conceptual virtues of the international community" In Piki Ish-Shalom (ed.) *Concepts in relations – The socio-linguistic infrastructure of world politics*. University of Michigan Press.
- Mor Mitrani (2017) "Demarcating the International Community: Where do international practices come from?" In L. Biukovic and P. Potter (eds.,) *Local Engagement with International Economic Law and Human Rights*.
- **Mor Mitrani** and Galia Press-Barnathan (2015) "The (de)Construction of "Economic Peace" - "Economic Peace" Strategies in the Israeli-Palestinian Conflict: Between Theory and Reality." In C. Lutmar and B. Miller (eds.,) *Regional Peacemaking and Conflict Resolution: A Comparative Approach*, Routledge: 200-218.

**Working papers:**

- Mor Mitrani (2017), *The Discursive Construction of the International Community: Evidence from the UNGA*, *KFG Working Paper Series*, Kolleg-Forschergruppe (KFG) “The Transformative Power of Europe”, Freie Universität Berlin.
- Why should IR scholars care what states are talking about? *Under Review*
- Picking the easy target? Naming and shaming in the UN General Assembly *Under Review*
- Beyond rhetoric: Collective responsibility and the concept of international community *Under Review*

**Selected Conference Papers:**

- *Dynamic elements of a common international lifeworld and salient social identities: Quantitative and qualitative discourse analysis of the UNGA General Debates*, conference on Researching the United Nations and Other International Organizations: Rethinking Methods of Investigation, Geneva, 18-20 June 2018
- *The international community: What are you talking about?*, Workshop on Identity in International Relations: Methods of Interpretation and Critique, SOAS – University of London (June 2017)
- *Is it Friendship? An Analysis of German-Israeli Relations*, The International Studies Association Annual Conference, Baltimore (February 2017) with Felix Berenskotter.
- *Who’s In and Who’s Out: The international community as a (de-)legitimization device*. Workshop on Shaming in World Politics, University of Stockholm (May 2016)
- *Is there an International Community? Between Legal, Political and Discursive Ontologies*. Workshop on Sociological Inquiries into International Law, London School of Economics (May 2014)
- *Same-Same but Different: The G7/8, UNCTAD and the International Discourse on Globalization*, The International Studies Association Annual Conference, Toronto (March 2014).
- *The Solidarist Practices of International Community: The Collective “We” of States and the Community of Policy Practitioners* The International Studies Association Annual Conference, Toronto (March 2014). With Katarzyna Kaczmarska.
- *Who’s Afraid of State-Centric Perspectives? Between the Global, the International and their Theoretical Interplay*. The International Studies Association Annual Conference, San-Francisco (April 2013)
- *Bringing International Relations Back In: Globalization and the Political Adaptation of the International Society: The case of the G7/8*. The 6<sup>th</sup> ECPR General Conference, Reykjavik, (Aug 2011)

**Selected Grants, Awards and Fellowships**

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2019 ISF Grant (2109/19) – “What states are talking about? Developing a text-based approach to analyze international relations – total grant 510,000ILS.

**Post-doc**

2017 ISF post-doctorate fellowship for social science researches (to be pursued in Tel Aviv University in the 2017/18 academic year - **withdrawn**)

2015 The joint Berlin-Jerusalem post-doctoral program, Freie Universität Berlin, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, for 2015-2017.

2015 The Hebrew University post-doctoral fellowship for women researches for 2015-2016

2015 Fulbright post-doctoral fellowship for 2015-2016 (**withdrawn**)

2015 Halbert post-doctoral fellowship – The Munk School of Global Affairs, University of Toronto for 2015-2016 (**withdrawn**)

**PhD**

2011-2015 The President Fellowship for excelling PhD students, Hebrew University

2015 The Herzog Award for excelling PhD students in International Relations, Hebrew University

2011 Pratt Fellowship, the Department of International Relations, Hebrew University

## Teaching, Service and Academic Experience

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### The Department of Political Studies, Bar Ilan University:

- 2017- Present **Lecturer,**  
**BA:** *Globalization, Development and Democracy in World Politics: A Multi-dimensional Outlook*  
*Text and Politics: Between Rhetoric and Discourse in the political arena*  
**MA:** *IR Theories and Approaches*
- 2017 - present **Academic Coordinator,** The joint MA program in political science and Law  
**Academic Coordinator,** The research student forum

### The Department of International Relations, Hebrew University of Jerusalem:

- 2014-2017 **Lecturer,** *Globalization and Democracy in World Politics: A Multi-dimensional Outlook*
- 2010-2015 **Instructor,** *Scientific Reading and Writing in International Relations;*  
**New students' advisor,** consultant for prospected BA students
- 2007-2012 **Tutor and teaching assistant,** *Introduction to International Relations; Israel in the International and Regional Systems; International Security; Japan in the International Arena; American Foreign Policy.*  
 2009 - Faculty award for excelling teaching assistants (based on students' assessments).
- 2012-2015 **Academic co-editor - "POLITIKA" – a Hebrew-language journal on politics and international relations** (The Davis Institute of International Relations, Hebrew University)