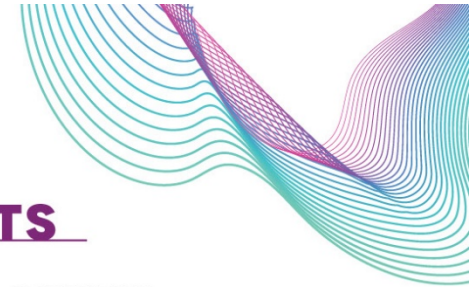




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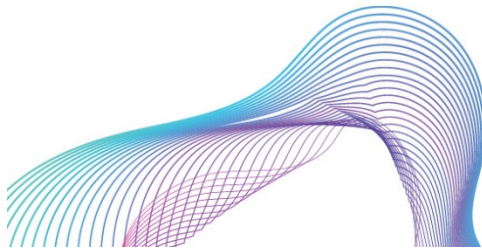
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Dr. Amir Asif



Dr. Amir Asif is the Vice President, Research & Innovation at York University. Dr. Asif has served as the Dean of the Gina Cody School of Engineering and Computer Science (GCS) at Concordia University since 2014. He is well known to members of the York community, having served as the founding Chair of the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science (EECS) from 2006 to 2014. Dr. Asif has more than 15 years of experience serving in senior university leadership positions. Most recently, he led the development of the 2016-21 GCS Strategic Plan and the creation of faculty research support and capital infrastructure funds focused on attracting the best researchers and achieving excellence in research. Dr. Asif was instrumental in establishing successful research collaborations between the public and private sectors, examples of which are NSERC Canada Excellence Research Chair in Smart and Resilient Cities and Communities (\$10M), Green-Surface Engineering and Advanced Manufacturing approved as a NSERC Strategic Partnership Grant (\$5.5M), multiple NSERC Collaborative Research and Development Grants (\$10M), four Industrial Research Chairs (over \$6M) and various NSERC Create and Mitacs Accelerate Grants (\$5M).

Dr. Asif is the recipient of several prestigious teaching awards and has published extensively in scientific journals and international conferences. He has been awarded grants for core engineering research and applied industrial projects undertaken in Canada and internationally, including from the Ontario Research Foundation/Research Excellence program for his work as principal investigator of the Centre for Innovation in Information Visualization and Data Driven Design (CIV/DDD), a multi-million dollar, multi-institutional research project. He continues to work with industry on applied research projects, the latest such collaboration leading to a joint patent filing with IBM.



Professor Irwin Cotler

Professor Irwin Cotler is a Former Minister of Justice and Attorney General of Canada. He is a Chair of the Raoul Wallenberg Centre for Human Rights and a member of CybeRighTech (CRT) Advisory Committee.

Irwin Cotler received his B.A. (Hons.) from McGill University; where he graduated as a university scholar. Subsequently, he received his B.C.L from McGill University Faculty of Law and then graduated from Yale Law School with an LL.M. For a short period, he worked with federal Minister of Justice John Turner.

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Professor Pina D'Agostino



Prof Pina D'Agostino is a law professor, lawyer and recognized international scholar at Osgoode Hall Law School, York University specializing in intellectual property, technology and innovation law and policy. Prof D'Agostino is regularly called by Canadian and Foreign governments for advice, is a widely published author and a cited authority at the Supreme Court of Canada and in various media. She brings her creativity and passion to her role as Founder and Director of IP Osgoode, the IP Intensive, and the Innovation Clinic, the first legal clinic of its kind helping inventors and start-ups. She was an Associate for a large Toronto firm and recruited into the Canadian Government by the Recruitment of Policy Leaders as a Senior Policy Analyst working on copyright policy. She serves on the Board of Directors of Alectra Inc. and Chairs its new GRE&T Centre advancing innovation and sustainable energy solutions. Prof D'Agostino has a Masters and Doctorate in Law (University of Oxford) specializing in copyright law, an LLB (Osgoode Hall

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Dr. Matan Gutman

Dr. Matan Gutman is an expert in constitutional law, administrative law and human rights law. He is the legal expert of the leading news site in Israel - Ynet. Dr. Gutman is the Co - founder and CEO of CybeRighTech (CRT).

Dr. Gutman earned his Ph.D. in Law from Bar-Ilan University, and LL.M from Harvard Law School. Dr. Gutman is an adjunct professor at the IDC Herzliya. He holds a wealth of theoretical and practical experience in government work and in the judicial system, having served in the following positions:

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CybeRighTech (CRT) is an innovative initiative, the very first of its kind in the world, whose purpose is to strengthen the corporate responsibility of technology companies and assist technology companies, as well as investors, in implementing principles presented by international guidelines and International human rights law, while maintaining the trust of the public, customers, and users in technology companies.



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Ms. Kutterer is a Senior Director, Rule of Law & Responsible Tech, European Government Affairs, CELA, Microsoft. Cornelia leads Microsoft's European Rule of Law & Responsible Tech team which focuses on the impact of new technologies and regulatory frameworks that meet expectation of society. Her team covers policies such as responsible/ethical/trustworthy AI, digital safety and content regulation, privacy, lawful access, human rights and competition. In her role, she works hand in hand with Microsoft's Office of Responsible AI, Microsoft Research and members of the AI, Ethics, and Effects in Engineering and Research (Aether) Committee. She regularly engages with leading European scholars in these fields to advance academic thinking. Cornelia has long standing experience in Information Society & Internet policies and speaks regularly at regional and international conferences. Before

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Ms. Laila Paszti

Laila Paszti delivers strategic legal advice and brings a unique technology-focused perspective to achieve optimal outcomes for clients. For clients, a key strength is her ability to leverage her legal, technical and industry experience to quickly identify, assess, and mitigate IP and technology risks to maximize value and minimize issues.

Ms. Paszti's practice focuses on mergers and acquisitions, licensing, and other technology-related transactions, with an emphasis on software code audits and big data platform diligence. She has advised on both the buy and sell sides of complex, multi-national mergers and acquisitions, patent purchases/sales, and intellectual property/technology licensing transactions. She routinely advises on evolving multi-jurisdictional privacy regimes, cybersecurity, and data protection controls. She is often called on to provide legal and

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From 2012 to 2019, Ms. Paszti practised law at a US-based IP boutique law firm where she advised on over 25 large M&A transactions in Silicon Valley. Before law school, she held positions as a software applications engineer at ExxonMobil and Capstone Technology where she designed and implemented AI software solutions to optimize operations in the petroleum and energy sectors.



Mr. Omri Timianker

Omri Timianker is the President and co-founder of Cobwebs Technologies, a global leader in Web Intelligence solutions serving the most elite national security and law enforcement agencies on six continents, along with a growing private sector client base.

An entrepreneur in the field of technological intelligence solutions since 2005, Omri has operated with a vision to reform the industry to become compatible with global norms pertaining to human rights, privacy, and ethical governance.

At Cobwebs, he has led the establishment of the Company's one-of-a-kind human rights-in-tech compliance program; a first of its kind in the industry. Omri has emerged as a thought leader on the topic of ethics in technology; particularly on the need for the industry to create a set of ethical norms in order to enable

customers to choose between compliant and non-compliant providers.