

Reut Snir's Bio

Reut Snir is an Israeli environmental lawyer and a Ph.D. candidate at the Faculty of Law at Bar Ilan University. Her current research looks at the interrelation between private and public regulation for nanotechnologies, aiming to protect public health and the environment under scientific uncertainties.

In the last 12 years Reut has combined academic work with professional work in the environmental regulation field. She worked for the Israeli Ministry of Justice at the Legal Advice and Legislation Department. Earlier in her career, she served as the Environmental Head Area at the Commission for Future Generations in the Israeli Parliament. Reut is a member of Israel delegation to ISO TC/229 on nanotechnology since 2009, and is a listed expert in WG 3 on health safety and the environment.

Her broader interest is in promoting an interdisciplinary learning process between academic researchers and professionals in the environmental and public health field in order to achieve sustainable development of innovative technologies, this include self-regulatory risk management best practices, as well as societal and ethical aspects of technological development.

She received her Master degree in Environmental Law at the George Washington University Law School, U.S. (with highest honors) and her Bachelor degree in Law from the Hebrew University, Israel.