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CAPSULE BIOGRAPHY

Dr. Han-Wei Liu is a tenured Associate Professor of Law at Singapore Management University's Yong Pung How School of Law, working at the intersection of law and technology, international economic law, and financial regulation. He previously held a tenured post at Monash University and a tenure-track post at National Tsing Hua University, and practiced financial regulation, corporate disputes, and complex commercial litigation at Baker McKenzie and Russin & Vecchi. He holds a Ph.D. *summa cum laude* from the Geneva Graduate Institute (Kathryn Davis Scholar), master's degrees from Columbia Law School (Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar) and the University of Oxford (Chevening Scholar), and LL.M. and LL.B. degrees from National Chengchi University. He has held visiting positions at Harvard, Columbia, Melbourne, and National Taiwan University. His scholarship appears in leading international law journals, including those affiliated with Harvard, Columbia, Penn, Cornell, Georgetown, Melbourne, Vanderbilt, Virginia, and Washington, as well as the Journal of International Economic Law, International and Comparative Law Quarterly, Journal of World Trade, World Trade Review, and Sydney Law Review, among others. It has been cited by the WTO, the European Commission, the World Bank, UN ESCAP, and regulators in Australia, Singapore, and Japan; referenced in expert testimony before the U.S. Congress; and cited by the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit. Dr. Liu has won competitive research grants in Singapore and Taiwan, and advises technology firms, think-tanks, and international organizations on digital trade, cross-border data governance, financial regulation, and export controls. He served as Vice Chair and then Co-Chair of the American Society of International Law's International Law & Technology Interest Group (2022–2025), and as inaugural Deputy Lead of the International Law Association's AI and Technology Law Committee sub-committee on accountability and cross-border governance.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

Singapore Management University, Yong Pung How School of Law, Singapore, July 2023–present

Associate Professor of Law (tenure effective July 1, 2025); Deputy Director, Centre for Digital Law

Monash University, Department of Business Law and Taxation, Melbourne, Australia

Lecturer (2018–June 2021); Senior Lecturer (starting from July 2021) (with tenure); Adjunct Senior Research Fellow (honorary appointment: July 2023–present)

National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan, Aug. 2015 – Jan. 2018

Assistant Professor of Law (tenure-track)

VISITING APPOINTMENTS

Melbourne Law School, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia (Nov. 2024-present)

Senior Fellow; course: International Economic Law

National Taiwan University College of Law, Taipei, Taiwan (Oct. 2022) (Nov.-Dec. 2023)

Visiting Associate Professor; course: International Economic Law in Context: Laws, Policies, and Politics

Columbia Law School, New York, NY, USA, Oct. 2014 - June 2015

Visiting Scholar

Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA, USA, Aug. 2013 - Dec. 2014

Visiting Researcher

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS & APPOINTMENTS

Admitted to Taiwan Bar (top 1% nationwide in the bar examination)

Accredited Arbitrator, Chinese Arbitration Association, Taipei, Taiwan

Accredited Arbitrator, Thailand Arbitration Center, Bangkok, Thailand

Expert Witness/Legal Expert, international commercial arbitral and litigation proceedings concerning international sanctions, Taiwanese civil and commercial law, and cross-Strait investment disputes

Russin & Vecchi, Taipei, Taiwan, Feb. 2010 - Aug. 2011

Associate (area of practice: dispute resolution; banking and financial regulations)

Baker McKenzie, Taipei, Taiwan, May 2005 - Feb. 2010 (on leave: 2008, 2009)

Associate (area of practice: dispute resolution, corporate, anti-trust; trade/customs)

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Geneva Graduate Institute, Switzerland, 2015 (*summa cum laude*)

LL.M., Columbia University School of Law, New York, NY, U.S., 2009 (Stone Scholar)

Magister Juris (M. Jur.), Oxford University Faculty of Law, Oxford, UK, 2008 (Chevening Scholar)

LL.M., National Chengchi University, Taipei, Taiwan, 2005

LL.B., National Chengchi University, Taipei, Taiwan, 2001

HONORS & RECOGNITIONS

Dean's Teaching Excellence Award (Postgraduate Programmes), Yong Pung How School of Law, Singapore Management University, 2026

Lee Kong Chian Fellowship, Singapore Management University, 2026

Lee Kong Chian Fellowship, Singapore Management University, 2025

Banking & Financial Services Law Association Research Essay Prize (Australia)—Highly Commended (selected by panel of senior judges, academics, and practitioners), 2020

Kathryn Davis Scholarship, Kathryn Davis Foundation/the Graduate Institute, Geneva, 2011-2015

Taiwan Government Scholarship, 2008; 2011

Harlan Fiske Stone Scholar Honor, Columbia Law School, 2009

Columbia Parker School Certificate in International and Comparative Law, 2009

Jack J.T. Huang Fellowship, Columbia Law School, 2008

Chevening Scholarship, British Council, 2007

First Prize, LCS & Partners Essay Competition, 2004

Champion, Lee & Li & Chinese Society of International Law Moot Court Competition, 2003

RESEARCH GRANTS

Singapore MOE Tier 1 A Research Grant, Lawfare Beyond Sanctions: Technology Export Controls, Dispute Resolution, and the Limits of Unilateralism (PI) (ongoing)

ANU-SMU Grant, Export Controls and Economic Statecraft: Legal Perspectives from the Asia-Pacific and Middle East (PI) (with Dr. Anton Moiseienko, Prof. Ching-Fu Lin, and Prof. Georgios Dimitropoulos) (ongoing)

Singapore MOE Tier 1 A Research Grant The Global Tech War and the Resilience of International Economic Law: Lessons from Semiconductor Supply Chain Governance (PI) (ongoing)

Taiwan's MOE, Taiwan Studies Project Grant, Southeast Asia-Taiwan Sustainable Trade Law and Relations 2024-27 (Collaborator, with Prof. Pasha Hsieh as PI) (ongoing)

Academia Sinica (Taiwan), Thematic Research Program, A TWAIL Appraisal of Data, Pandemics and Sustainability Governance Theoretical Underpinnings and Practical Boundaries (Co-I, with PI, Dr. Wu Chien-Huei and Co-P, Prof. Lin Ching-Fu) (suspended)

Singapore MOE, Tier 1 Research Grant, The Global Governance of Social Media Platforms: A Legal Pluralistic Approach (PI) (completed)

Monash Business School ECR Research Grant, Searching for an Optimal Regulatory Model for Data Sharing (PI) (completed)

Academia Sinica (Taiwan), Thematic Research Program Divided Nations: Economic Cooperation in the Shadow of Contested Sovereignty (Co-I, with Prof. Chien-Huei Wu (PI) and Prof. Ching-Fu Lin (Co-I)).

Monash Business School ECR Research Grant, Exporting Online Justice (PI) (completed)

Monash Business School BLT Research Grant In Search of a New Model of Regulating Financial Advisers: Lessons from the UK (PI) (completed)

Monash University, Inter-Faculty Grant Scheme for BusEco, Education, and Law, Regulating Robo Advisor in Australia (Co-I, with Dr. Weiping He (Co-I)) (completed)

Monash Business School BLT Research Grant Artificial Intelligence and Social Control in China: Powers and Perils (PI) (completed)

Monash Business School, New Staff Grant The Role of China in Shaping International Intellectual Property Regime (PI) (completed)

Ministry of Science and Technology (Taiwan) Research Grant, Regulatory Coherence in the Age of Mega-regionalism (PI) (completed)

Ministry of Science and Technology (Taiwan) Research Grant, Data Localization and Free Trade in the Context of the ASEAN (PI) (completed)

LINE Taiwan Limited, Research Grant, Analysis of the Legal Risks of the (Draft Bill) Digital Communications Act (Taiwan) (Co-I, with Profs. Ching-Fu Lin (Co-I) and Chien-Te Fan (PI)) (completed)

Bureau of Foreign Trade, Ministry of Economic Affairs (Taiwan) & Industrial Technology & Research Institute, Consultancy Review of the Export Control on Strategic High-Tech Commodities, 2017 (PI, with Leo Wei-Li Liu, Esq. (Co-I)) (completed)

Ministry of Science and Technology, Taiwan, Research Grant, China's Indigenous Innovation and Standard-Setting Policies and Its Implications for International Economic Law (PI) (completed)

Ministry of Science and Technology (Taiwan) Travel Grant (for the 5th Society of International Economic Law (SIEL) Conference for Postgraduates and Early Professionals/Academics) (completed)

Bureau of Foreign Trade, Ministry of Economic Affairs (Taiwan) Research Grant, Selected Issues on Movement of Services Providers, (PI, with Prof. Ching-Fu Lin as Co-I) (completed)

The Graduate Institute, Geneva (IHEID), Travel Grant, 2013; 2015

EDITORIAL AND REVIEW ACTIVITIES

Staff Editor, Columbia Journal of European Law (2008-09)

Associate Editor, Journal of World Trade (2022-present)

Book Review Editor, Chinese (Taiwan) Yearbook of International Law & Affairs (2021-present)

Subject Editor, Chinese Journal of Comparative Law (2026-present)

Advisory Board Member, European Journal of Comparative Law and Governance (2026-present)

Ad hoc reviewer for:

Law Journals: Asian Journal of Law & Society (CUP); Asia Pacific Law Review (Taylor & Francis); Asian Journal of International Law (CUP); Asian Journal of WTO & International Health Law and Policy (National Taiwan University School of Law); Chengchi Law Review (National Chengchi University Faculty of Law); Hong Kong Law Journal (Hong Kong University Faculty of Law); International Journal of Law and Information Technology (OUP); International Data Privacy Law (OUP); Journal of Korean Law (Seoul National University School of Law); Journal of World Trade (Kluwer); Journal of World Investment & Trade (Brill); Leiden Journal of International Law (CUP); Manchester Journal of International Economic Law; Regulation & Governance (Wiley); World Trade Review (CUP); Computer Law & Security Review (Elsevier); Taiwan Law Journal.

Politics, International Relations, and Interdisciplinary Journals: AI and Ethics (Springer); Global Policy (Wiley); National Science Review (OUP); IEEE Transactions on Engineering Management; International Politics (Springer); The International Spectator (Routledge); East Asian Forum (ANU).

Publishers: Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences Institute of Network Cultures; Anthem Press; Cambridge University Press; Edward Elgar Publishing; Routledge; Hart Publishing; Springer Publishing.

Grants, Fellowship & Faculty Recruitment: RIAS Fellowship Project, Freiburg Institute for Advanced Studies, Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg, Germany; National Science Centre, Poland (NCN); National Yang-Ming Chiao Tung University School of Law (Taiwan); Research Grants Council (Hong Kong, SAR PRC).

Program Accreditation & External Academic Review: External Examiner, LL.M. Programme in AI Law, Faculty of Law, The Chinese University of Hong Kong (2026–27 to 2028–29); Panel

Member, New Programme Accreditation (NPA), Master of Law in Law and Technology, Faculty of Law, University of Macau.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES/ADMINISTRATIVE ROLES

Secretariat Member, Asian Privacy Scholars Network (APSN), Aug. 2024–present

Deputy Lead, Sub-Committee on Accountability & Cross-Border Governance, International Law Association (ILA) AI & Technology Law Committee (Jan.–June 2026)

Co-Chair, American Society of International Law (ASIL) International Law & Technology Interest Group, Apr. 2023-Apr. 2025

Vice-Chair, American Society of International Law (ASIL) International Law & Technology Interest Group, Apr. 2022-Apr. 2023

Deputy Director, Centre for Digital Law, Singapore Management University, Yong Pung How School of Law

Deputy Research Director, Monash Business Law and Taxation Department (July 2021-Feb. 2022)

Member, Technology Rights Committee, National Tsing Hua University (Aug. 2015–Jan. 2018)

SELECTED INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES ORGANIZED

Organizing Committee Member, 2026 International Law Association ILA-ASIL MENA Research Forum (2026)

Chair of the Organizing Committee, 2025 International Law Association ILA-ASIL Asia-Pacific Research Forum, Taipei, Taiwan (July 2025)

Organizing Committee Member, the 9th Asian Privacy Scholars Network (APSN) Conference (co-sponsored by National Tsing Hua University (NTHU), Singapore Management University, and ASIL International Law & Technology Interest Group) (Aug. 2024).

Organizing Committee Member, NTHU-SMU-ASIL Series in International Law and Technology (Nov. 24–Dec. 5, 2023)

Organizing Committee Member, 2023 International Law Association (ILA)-ASIL Asia-Pacific Research Forum, Taipei, Taiwan (Dec. 2023)

Organizing Committee Member, The 7th Asian International Economic Law Network (AIELN) Conference, Singapore Management University (Dec. 2021, webinar)

MEMBERSHIP

Asian Privacy Scholars Network

Asian Society of International Law

American Society of International Law

International Law Association, ILA Committee on AI & Technology Law

Society of International Economic Law

Taiwan (Chinese) Society of International Law

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Books

Han-Wei Liu (forthcoming 2028), *Digital Sovereignty in a Hub Economy: Singapore beyond the Great Powers* (Oxford: Hart Publishing)

Han-Wei Liu (forthcoming 2027), *Silicon Statecraft: Taiwan, the Chokepoint Economy and International Economic Law* (with Ching-Fu Lin) (Cambridge University Press)

Han-Wei Liu (2025), *Economic Cooperation in the Shadow of Contested Sovereignty: Divided Nations* (with Chien-Huei Wu and Ching-Fu Lin) (Oxford: Hart Publishing)

Reviewed in:

Sherzod Shadikhodjaev, 29(1) *Journal of International Economic Law* 183(2026)

Iryna Bogdanova, 24(5) *World Trade Review* 664(2025)

Mao-Wei Lo, 15 *Asian Journal of International Law* (2025)

Han-Wei Liu (2024), *Australian Banking and Finance: Law and Regulation* (with Weiping He) (Cambridge University Press)

Reviewed in:

Bryan Leow and Kwan Ho Lau, 12(1) *Brawijaya Law Journal* 176(2025)

Edited Volumes

Han-Wei Liu (forthcoming 2027), *The Oxford Handbook of International Trade Law in Asia* (co-edited with Julien Chaisse, Georgios Dimitropoulos, and Intan Ramli) (Oxford University Press)

Han-Wei Liu (2018), *Governing Science and Technology in the Era of Mega-Regionals: Regulatory Divergence and Convergence* (co-edited with Shin-Yi Peng and Ching-Fu Lin) (Edward Elgar)

Reviewed in:

Henry Gao and Weihuan Zhou, 20(3) *World Trade Review* 369(2021)

Mira Burri, 10 *Asian Journal of International Law* (2020)

Journal Articles

Han-Wei Liu (forthcoming 2027), "Global Norms, Diverse Paths: AI Governance in ASEAN," 22(1) *University of Pennsylvania Asian Law Review*

Han-Wei Liu (forthcoming 2027), "Governing AI Without an AI Act: Singapore's Layered Regulatory Architecture," 19(2) *Law, Innovation and Technology*

Han-Wei Liu (forthcoming 2026), "The Emergence of 'Pax Silica'? Chokepoint Economies and the Limits of Transnational Semiconductor Statecraft," 57(3) *Georgetown Journal of International Law* (with Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2026), "Singapore's Silicon Statecraft: Doctrinal Independence through Substitution under US Extraterritorial Export Controls," 25(4) *World Trade Review*

Han-Wei Liu (2026), "Lawfare's New Frontier: International Commercial Arbitration in the Shadow of Sanctions," 59(3) *Vanderbilt Journal of Transnational Law* (with Sophie Yue Zhao)

Han-Wei Liu (2026), "Regulatory Dialogues: Asia-Pacific Perspectives in Data Governance Between Global Standards and Regional Innovations," (Foreword; 7-page editorial introduction),

International Journal of Law and Information Technology (Special Issue Editors) (with Julia Hörnle and Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2025), "Techno-Geopolitics and Semiconductor Chokepoints: Beyond US-Semiconductor (China)," 26 *Journal of World Investment and Trade* (with Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2025), "From CPTPP to the US–Taiwan Initiative on 21st Century Trade: The Evolution of Good Regulatory Practices and Its Implications for Taiwan," 59(1) *Journal of World Trade*

Han-Wei Liu (2024), "The Transatlantic Divide: Intermediary Liability, Free Expression, and the Limits of Trade Harmonization," 31(4) *International Journal of Law and Information Technology*

Han-Wei Liu (2022), "Exporting the First Amendment through Trade: The Global 'Constitutional Moment' for Online Platform Liability," 53(1) *Georgetown Journal of International Law*

Han-Wei Liu (2022), "Standardizing Administrative Rulemaking through International Trade Agreements: Constitutional Tradition as Inherent Boundaries," *International & Comparative Law Quarterly* (with Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2022), "Forks over knives: Predictive inconsistency in criminal justice algorithmic risk assessment tools," 185 *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society Series A: Statistics in Society* (with Travis Greene, Galit Shmueli, Jan Fell, and Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2021), "Shifting Contour of Data Sharing in Financial Market and Regulatory Responses: The UK and Australian Models," 10(3) *American University Business Law Review*

Han-Wei Liu (2021), "Trust, Commissions, and the Suitability Rule: Regulating Financial Advisers in the UK After the Global Financial Crisis," 15(4) *Capital Market Law Journal* (with Weiping He)

Han-Wei Liu (2021), "Regulating Financial Advisers in the UK: Lessons for Australia," 44(1) *UNSW Law Journal* (with Weiping He)

Han-Wei Liu (2020), "Two Decades of Laws and Practice Around Screen Scraping in Common Law World and Its Open Banking Watershed Moment," 29(4) *Washington International Law Journal*

Han-Wei Liu (2020), "Artificial Intelligence and Global Trade Governance: A Pluralist Agenda," 61(2) *Harvard International Law Journal* (with Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2020), "In Whose Best Interests? Regulating Financial Advisers, the Royal Commission and the Dilemma of Reform," 42(1) *Sydney Law Review* (with Toan Le, Weiping He, and Michael Duffy)

Han-Wei Liu (2020), "The Diffusion of the Sandbox Approach to Disruptive Innovation," 53(3) *Cornell International Law Journal* (with Chang-hsien Tsai and Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2019), "Beyond State v. Loomis: Artificial Intelligence, Accountability, and Justice," 27(2) *International Journal of Law and Information Technology* (with Ching-Fu Lin and Yu-Jie Chen)

Han-Wei Liu (2018), "Rule of Trust: The Powers and Perils of China's Social Credit System," 32(1) *Columbia Journal of Asian Law* (with Yu-Jie Chen and Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2018), "The Emergence of Global Regulatory Coherence: A Thorny Embrace for China?" 40(1) *University of Pennsylvania Journal of International Law* (with Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2018), "Regulatory Rationalization Clauses in FTAs: A Complete Survey of the U.S., EU, and China," 19(1) *Melbourne Journal of International Law* (with Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2017), "The Legality of the Data Localization Requirements: The TPP and Beyond," 51(2) *Journal of World Trade* (with Shin-Yi Peng)

Han-Wei Liu (2017), "Inside the Black Box: Political Economy of Encryption Clause in the TPP Agreement," 51(2) *Journal of World Trade*

Han-Wei Liu (2016), "Managing Trade Conflicts in the ICT Industry: A Case Study of EU-Greater China Area," 19(3) *Journal of International Economic Law* (with Shin-Yi Peng)

Han-Wei Liu (2014), "International Standards in Flux: A Balkanized ICT Standard Setting Paradigm and Its Implications for the WTO," 17(3) *Journal of International Economic Law*

Han-Wei Liu (2012), "China's Rare Earths Export Quotas: Out of the China-Raw Materials Gate, But Past the WTO's Finish Line?" 15(4) *Journal of International Economic Law* (with John Maughan)

Han-Wei Liu (2009), "A Missing Part in International Investment Law: The Effectiveness of Investment Protection of Taiwan's BITs vis-à-vis ASEAN States," 16 *UC-Davis Journal of International Law & Policy*

Book Chapters

Han-Wei Liu (forthcoming 2027), "Trade Law, Industrial Policy, and the Middle Power Dilemma: Taiwan in Global Semiconductor Governance," in Georgios Dimitropoulos and Neha Mishra (eds.), *Digital Transformation and Economic Development: Rethinking International Economic Law* (Hart Publishing) (with Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (forthcoming 2027), "Fintech Regulation in Australia," in Filippo Annunziata et al. (eds.), *Edward Elgar Encyclopedia of Fintech Law* (Edward Elgar)

Han-Wei Liu (forthcoming 2026), "ASEAN's AI Governance Landscape: Global Alignments and Regional Dynamics," in Natasha Beschorner et al. (eds.), *Artificial Intelligence for Asia's Growth and Development* (with Donghyun Park) (Asian Development Bank)

Han-Wei Liu (forthcoming 2026), "From Fintech to AI: Regulatory Sandboxes as Agile Governance Tools for Artificial Intelligence Oversight," in Natasha Beschorner et al. (eds.), *Artificial Intelligence for Asia's Growth and Development* (with Donghyun Park and Grace Su) (Asian Development Bank)

Han-Wei Liu (2022), "Taiwan's Bilateral Investment Agreements with ASEAN States," in Seokwoo Lee (ed.), *Encyclopedia of Public International Law in Asia* (Brill)

Han-Wei Liu (2019), "The Future of China's Trade Pact and Intellectual Property Rights," in Kung-Chung Liu and Julien Chaisse (eds.), *The Future of Asian Trade Deals and Intellectual Property* (Hart Publishing) (with Sylvia Lu)

Han-Wei Liu (2019), "Data Localization and Digital Trade Barriers: ASEAN in Mega-regionalism," in Pasha Hsieh and Bryan Mercurio (eds.), *ASEAN Law in the New Regional Economic Order: Global Trends and Shifting Paradigms* (Cambridge University Press) (invited contribution)

Han-Wei Liu (2018), "China Standard Time: The Boundary of Techno-Nationalism in Megaregionals," in Shin-Yi Peng et al. (eds.), Governing *Science and Technology under the International Economic Order: Regulatory Divergence and Convergence in the Age of Megaregionals* (Edward Elgar)

Han-Wei Liu (2018), "Governing Science and Technology in the Era of Mega-regionals," in Shin-Yi Peng et al. (eds.), Governing *Science and Technology under the International Economic Order: Regulatory Divergence and Convergence in the Age of Megaregionals* (Edward Elgar) (with Shin-Yi Peng and Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2017), "Culture-oriented Mode 4 under ChAFTA: Policy Considerations," in Colin Picker et al. (eds.), *The China-Australia Free Trade Agreement: A 21st-Century Model* (Hart Publishing) (with Shin-Yi Peng and Ching-Fu Lin)

Book Reviews

Han-Wei Liu (2025), "(Book Review) Industrial Policy, National Security, and the Perilous Plight of the WTO," *Asian Journal of International Law*

Han-Wei Liu (2024), "(Book Review) Digital Empires: The Global Battle to Regulate Technology?" *Journal of International Economic Law* (with Weihuan Zhou)

Han-Wei Liu (2019), "(Book Review) Reconceptualizing International Investment Law from the Global South by Fabio Morosini and Michelle Ratton Sanchez Badin," *Chinese (Taiwan) Yearbook of International Law and Affairs*

Han-Wei Liu (2019), "(Book Review) Regulatory Reform in China and the EU: A Law and Economics Perspective by Stefan E. Weishaar, Niels Philipsen, and Wenming Xu," *Asia Pacific Law Review*

Shorter Articles

Han-Wei Liu (2020), "Breaking the State-Centric Shackles in the WHO: Taiwan As a Catalyst for a New Global Health Order," *Virginia Journal of International Law Online* (with Ching-Fu Lin and Chien-Huei Wu)

Han-Wei Liu (2010), "The Non-frustration Rule of the UK City Code on Takeover and Mergers and Related Agency Problems: What are the implications for the EC Takeover Directive?," *Columbia Journal of European Law Online*

Han-Wei Liu (2009), "An Entity Sui Generis in the WTO: Taiwan's WTO Membership and its Trade Law Regime," 4 *Journal of International Commercial Law & Technology*

Han-Wei Liu (2009), "Harmonizing the internal market or public health? Revisiting Case C-491/01 (British American Tobacco) and Case C-380/03 (Tobacco Advertising II)," *Columbia Journal of European Law Online*

Policy Briefs and Reports

Han-Wei Liu (2026), "Governing Artificial Intelligence in ASEAN: Global Alignment, Regional Interoperability, and Policy Priorities for Central Banks," *SEACEN Policy Brief*, The South East Asian Central Banks (SEACEN) Research and Training Centre (with Meltem Chadwick, Donghyun Park, and Shu (Grace) Tian)

Han-Wei Liu (2022), "Ensuring Cybersecurity for Digital Services Trade," in Jong Woo Kang, Matthias Helble, Rolando Avendano, Pramila Crivelli, and Mara Claire Tayag (eds.), *Unlocking the Potential of Digital Services Trade in Asia and the Pacific* (Asian Development Bank) (with Lennon Yao-Chung Chang)

Han-Wei Liu (2018), "Disruptive Technologies and Sustainable Development: Implications for Southeast Asia," *International Centre for Trade and Sustainable Development (ICTSD) Issue Paper* (with Ching-Fu Lin)

Op-eds & Blog Posts

Han-Wei Liu (2026), "China Wants Its AI to Travel, on Its Own Terms," *The Diplomat* (with Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2026), "Policing What Passes Through: Singapore's Answer to US Chip Controls," *Oxford Business Law Blog*, University of Oxford

Han-Wei Liu (2026), "Lawfare's New Frontier: Arbitration in the Shadow of Sanctions," *Oxford Business Law Blog*, University of Oxford (with Sophie Yue Zhao)

Han-Wei Liu (2026), "Moving Up, Locked In: The Hidden Costs of ASEAN's Semiconductor Push," *The Diplomat*

Han-Wei Liu (2025), "Silicon Statecraft Alignment: Taiwan's Strategic Bet on US-Led Export Controls," *The Diplomat* (with Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2025), "The Case for a Taiwan-US Semiconductor Agreement," *The Diplomat* (with Ching-Fu Lin)

Han-Wei Liu (2022), "Exporting Freedom of Speech through Trade: The Global 'US Constitution First Amendment Moment' for Online Platform Liability," *Oxford Business Law Blog*, University of Oxford

Han-Wei Liu (2021), "The Legality of Screen Scraping and Its Open Banking Moment," *Oxford Business Law Blog*, University of Oxford

Han-Wei Liu (2020), "The Diffusion of the Sandbox Approach to Disruptive Innovation and Its Limitations," *Oxford Business Law Blog*, University of Oxford (with Chang-hsien Tsai and Ching-Fu Lin)

Publications in Chinese

Ching-Fu Lin and Han-Wei Liu (forthcoming), 〈半導體出口管制之跨國合作難題：多層法律互動與關鍵節點治理〉 ["Transnational Cooperation Challenges in Semiconductor Export Controls: Multi-Layered Legal Interaction and Chokepoint Governance"], in 臺灣大學法律學院亞洲 WTO 暨國際衛生法與政策研究中心（編），《國際經濟法與國際衛生法的鉅變與重構：與羅昌發教授對話》（書名暫定） [Asian Center for WTO & International Health Law and Policy, National Taiwan University College of Law (ed.), *Transformation and Reconstruction of International Economic Law and International Health Law: A Dialogue with Professor Chang-fa Lo* (tentative title)] (台北：元照出版 / Taipei: Angle Publishing) (in Chinese)

Ching-Fu Lin and Han-Wei Liu (2018), 〈人工智慧法律議題初探〉 ["A Preliminary Mapping of the Legal Issues of Artificial Intelligence"]，《月旦法學雜誌》第 274 期，頁 195-215 [274 *The Taiwan Law Review* 195] (in Chinese)

Han-Wei Liu (2006), 〈我國模式四承諾現狀及第三類自然人移動對策分析〉 ["Analyses of Taiwan's Mode 4 Commitments under the WTO/GATS and the Strategies for Type 3 Personnel"]，《政大法學評論》第 93 期 [*Chengchi Law Review*, No. 93] (in Chinese)

Work in Progress

Han-Wei Liu, "The Developmental AI State: Southeast Asia's Risk-Selective Path to AI Governance," *Asian Economic Policy Review* (commissioned; in progress)

Han-Wei Liu, "*García Armas v. Venezuela* (French Cour de cassation, 6 May 2026)" (with Sophie Yue Zhao) (commissioned; in progress)

Han-Wei Liu, "Navigating the Plurilateral Shift: Cross-Strait Divergence at the WTO's Fourteenth Ministerial Conference" (under review)

Han-Wei Liu, "Interpretive Sovereignty: Domestic Courts and the Reach of Foreign Sanctions" (in progress)

Han-Wei Liu, "Who Owns the Stack? A TWAIL Approach to AI Infrastructure and Dependency in Southeast Asia" (in progress)

SCHOLARLY PRESENTATIONS

Han-Wei Liu, "The Resilience of International Commercial Arbitration in the Shadow of Geoeconomics," 2025 ILA-ASIL Asia-Pacific Research Forum, Taipei, Taiwan (with Yue Zhao), July 2025.

Han-Wei Liu, "TSMC and Regulatory Dynamics of the Global Semiconductor Supply Chain," Society of International Economic Law (SIEL) Taipei Global Conference, Taipei, Taiwan (with Ching-Fu Lin) July 2025.

Han-Wei Liu, "Supply Chain Control and the Digital Economy: The Roles of Emerging Economies in Shaping Global Semiconductor Governance," Reorienting International Economic Law for the Digital Economy Conference, HBKU Law School, Doha, Qatar (with Ching-Fu Lin), Jan. 2025.

Han-Wei Liu, "Book Launch: Economic Cooperation in the Shadow of Contested Sovereignty," Academia Sinica (with Chien-Huei Wu and Ching-Fu Lin), Taipei, Taiwan, Dec. 2024.

Han-Wei Liu, "Beyond Export Controls: Taiwan's Regulatory Dilemma in the New Tech Order," 2024 CIBEL Global Network Conference, UNSW Law, Sydney, Australia (with Ching-Fu Lin), Nov. 2024.

Han-Wei Liu, "Walking the Silicon Tightrope: Taiwan's Role in Reshaping Global Semiconductor Governance in the US-China Competition," ANU-SMU Digital Forum, Singapore Management University School of Law, Singapore (with Ching-Fu Lin), Nov. 2024.

Han-Wei Liu, "Good Regulatory Practices in US-Taiwan Free Trade Agreement," Shaping the Trade-Technology Nexus in Indo-Pacific Regionalism, 2024 American Society of International Law Annual Conference, Washington DC, U.S., Apr. 2024.

Han-Wei Liu, "Exporting the First Amendment through Trade: The Global 'Constitutional Moment' for Online Platform Liability," 2021 Global Network Conference: New Dynamics in the Post-COVID Context: International Investment Law and Beyond, UNSW Law School, Sydney, Australia, Oct. 2021.

Han-Wei Liu, "Regulating Cyberspace through Trade: The Contestation of Online Platform Liability," 2020 Society of International Economic Law (SIEL) Global Conference: Rethinking Global Economic Governance July 2021.

Han-Wei Liu, "Regulating Cyberspace through Trade: The Contestation of Online Platform Liability," European Society of International Law Krakow-Leiden Symposium: The Frontiers of International Law in Cyberspace (via Zoom) June 2021.

Han-Wei Liu, "Artificial Intelligence and Global Trade Governance: A Pluralism Agenda," Sydney Law School Seminar on Legal Issues in Digital Trade (with Ching-Fu Lin) (via Zoom), Oct. 2020.

Han-Wei Liu, "Artificial Intelligence and Global Trade Governance: Towards a Research Agenda," Digital Citizen Conference, Melbourne Law School (with Ching-Fu Lin), Melbourne, Australia, July 2019.

Han-Wei Liu, "'Rule of Trust': The Power and Perils of China's Social Credit Megaproject," Research Seminar, Asia Pacific Business Regulation Group, Monash Business School (with Yu-Jie Chen and Ching-Fu Lin), Melbourne, Australia, July 2019.

Han-Wei Liu, "Artificial Intelligence and Global Trade Governance: Towards a Research Agenda," 2019 CIBEL Global Network Conference, UNSW Law School, Sydney, Australia, May 2019.

Han-Wei Liu, "Can't We Be Friends? Economic Cooperation in a Troubled Relationship" 2018 SIEL Global Conference, American University Washington College of Law (with Ching-Fu Lin & Chien-Huei Wu), July 2018.

Han-Wei Liu, "Artificial Intelligence and Social Control in China: Powers and Perils" Information Ethics Roundtable (IER18), the University of Copenhagen (with Yu-Jie Chen and Ching-Fu Lin), May 2018.

Han-Wei Liu, "The Rise of Global Regulatory Coherence and Its Contour in the Century of Mega-regionalism," Workshop on "The New Plurilateralism: The Emerging Standard for Global Economic Governance?" Warwick Law School/Monash Law School (with Ching-Fu Lin) (virtually), Sep. 2017.

Han-Wei Liu, "China and Regulatory Coherence: An Uneasy Relationship," Biennial Conference of Asian Society of International Law, Seoul, South Korea (with Ching-Fu Lin), Aug. 2017.

Han-Wei Liu, "The Future of the Cross-border Movement of Service Providers in the Age of Mega-regional," Workshop on Movement of Natural Persons and the 'New South-bound Policy,' Taiwan Research Institute, Taipei, Taiwan, Dec. 2016.

Han-Wei Liu, "China Standard Time: The Boundary of Techno-Nationalism in Mega-Regionalism," Governing Science and Technology in the Era of Mega-RTAs: Regulatory Convergence and Divergence, National Tsing Hua University, Taipei, Taiwan, Nov. 2016.

Han-Wei Liu, "The Legality of the Data Localization Requirements: the TPP and Beyond," The Fifth Biennial Global Conference of the Society of International Economic Law (SIEL) Johannesburg, South Africa (with Shin-Yi Peng; presented by Shin-Yi Peng on author's behalf), July 2016.

Han-Wei Liu, "From Kung Fu Panda to Kung Fu Koala? Culture-Oriented Mode 4 under ChAFTA", Chinese-Australian Economic Law Relations in the Post-ChAFTA World, UNSW Law School Sydney, Australia (with Shin-Yi Peng and Ching-Fu Lin), June 2016.

Han-Wei Liu, "The Political Economy Behind the TPP's Encryption Clauses," 5th Conference of the Postgraduate and Early Professionals/Academics Network of the Society of International Economic Law (PEPA/SIEL) Luxembourg, Apr. 2016.

Han-Wei Liu, "EU's Approaches towards Trade Conflicts Arising from China and Taiwan's ICT Innovation Policies," Joint Workshop on EU-Asia Trade Dispute Management, Academia Sinica (Taiwan) & Groningen University (Sep. 2015), Groningen, the Netherlands (with Shin-Yi Peng).

Han-Wei Liu, "Fragmented ICT Standard-Setting Paradigm: Challenges or Opportunities to Global Governance?" Conference on Rethinking Stakeholder Participation in International Governance (Feb. 2015), Geneva, Switzerland.

Han-Wei Liu, "The Rise of New Regulators: Standard-setters in Information Communication Technology Industry," the Second Annual Conference, Cambridge Journal of International & Comparative Law (May 2013), Cambridge, England.

Han-Wei Liu, "A Comparative Study on the Duties of the Managers under the Corporate Law in Taiwan and China," Campus Forum, National Taiwan University College of Law (Sep. 2003), Taipei, Taiwan, (in Chinese)

SELECTED INVITED TALKS (INDUSTRY STAKEHOLDERS & GOVERNMENTS)

Han-Wei Liu, "Digital Agency and Technology Governance in Singapore," invited expert roundtable, UK Government Office for Science, May 2026.

Han-Wei Liu, S. Rajaratnam School of International Studies (RSIS), Nanyang Technological University Workshop, "ASEAN and Changing Geoeconomics: Confronting Tariff Uncertainties and Technological Competition," Singapore, 12 Feb. 2026.

Han-Wei Liu, Institut français des relations internationales (Ifri), Center for Asian Studies Annual Conference, "Strategic Autonomy and Asia amid Rising Geoeconomic Competition," Paris/Hybrid, 6 November 2025.

Han-Wei Liu, Panel 7A: "Cross Winds in Global Tech Trade" (discussing semiconductor export control and high-tech supply chain issues), TechLaw Fest, Singapore, Sep. 2025.

Han-Wei Liu, Singapore Geoeconomics Forum (Helsinki Geoeconomics) 2025, Singapore, 28–29 March 2025.

Han-Wei Liu, "Cybersecurity and Digital Services Trade" Workshop on Digital Services Trade, Asian Development Bank (ADB), Manila, the Philippines (via Zoom), Mar. 2021.

Han-Wei Liu, invited by the Australian Law Reform Commission (ALRC) to attend a consultation in relation to the Inquiry into the legislative framework for corporations and financial services regulation Melbourne, Australia, Feb. 2021.

Han-Wei Liu, "AI Governance Meetup," Victorian Society for Computers & the Law Inc., Melbourne, Australia, Oct. 2019.

Han-Wei Liu, "Data Localization," in the Roundtable on Cross-Border Data Flows (hosted by National Tsing Hua University, in conjunction with senior government officials from the Ministry of Justice, National Communications Commission, and Ministry of Economic Affairs), Taipei, Taiwan, June 2018.

Han-Wei Liu, "The Development of Movement of Professional Service Providers and Taiwan's Prospect," in Workshop on Movement of Services Providers in the Context of Regional Economic Integration: Discussion of Practical Issues of Taiwan's Strategies (Taiwan Research Institute, in conjunction with Ministry of Labor and Taiwan Confederation of Trade Unions) Taipei, Taiwan, Dec. 2016.

Han-Wei Liu, "Movement of Services Providers under the GATS/WTO Framework," Taiwan WTO/RTA Center, Chung Hua Institution for Economic Research (CIER) Taipei, Taiwan, June 2006.

TEACHING/RESEARCH INTERESTS

International Economic Law; Law & Technology; Regulatory Theory; Financial Regulation; Comparative Law