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Professor Shain earned his BA in Philosophy and MA in Political Science from Tel Aviv University (both with distinction), and in 1988 received his Ph.D. in Political Science (with distinction) from Yale University. He runs a dual academic career: At TAU (since 1989) he holds The Romulo Betancourt Chair in Political Science, serves as Head of the School of Political Science, Government and International Affairs, Director of the Frances Brody Institute for Applied Diplomacy, and Head of the Aba Eben Graduate Program of Diplomacy. At Georgetown Univ. (since 1999) he is Full Professor of Comparative Government and Diaspora Politics and Founding Director of the Program for Jewish Civilization. In 2007 he served (pro-bono) as President of the Western Galilee College. In 2016 Shain was appointed by the Government of Israel to serve on Israel's Council of Higher Education (VATAT) – a 7 member-committee that determines Israel's Academy's 12 Billion Shekel annual budget. Shain is now also the Chair of Israel's National Committee for rejuvenate the humanities.

Shain writes for the op-ed page of Israel's daily *Yediot Achronot*, and contributed essays to *Ha'aretz*, *Jerusalem Post*, *The New York Times* and *The American Interest*. He provides regular commentaries to TV and Radio in Israel, and appeared on CNN, ABC, NBC, Fox, BBC, CNBC, PBS, Al Jazeera, NPR, and The News Hour.

He also co-directed (with Peter Berkowitz) the Israeli Program on Constitutional Government, and held visiting appointments at Yale University, Wesleyan University, the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy and Middlebury College. He was also a Senior Fellow at St. Antony's College, Oxford University, a Research Fellow at Center for International Studies at Princeton University, and a visiting Professor at the Sciences Po, Paris.

Outside the academy Shain served as advisor to Israel Foreign Minister and to the Chief of Staff of the IDF. He also consulted businesses, governmental agencies and NGO's in Israel, the US and other countries, and worked with research groups attached to the United Nations. Shain served many committees related to Foreign Policy, Diaspora and migration policies, security and human rights, and The Jewish World. He lectures around the world.

Shain's scholarly awards include the American Political Science Association's Helen Dwight Reed Award, (for best doctoral dissertation in International Politics); International Fulbright award and Israel's Allon Fellowship for distinguished young scholars. He was honored as the David and Goldie Blacksteen Lecturer in Jewish Ethics at Yale Law School, and as Olin Lecturer at the Harvard Lecturer Academy. He also received fellowships from the Social Science Research Council and other American, Swiss, French and German foundations, and held (for 3 years) the Aaron and Cecile Goldman visiting Chair at Georgetown's Department of Government

Shain's Books include,

The Frontier of Loyalty: Political Exiles in the Age of the Nation-State (1989; 2nd edition Michigan University Press, 2005 (Hebrew edition, Translated by Aaron Amir 2006);

Governments-in-Exile in Contemporary World Politics (Editor, Routledge, 1991);

Between States: Interim Governments and Democratic Transitions (with Juan J. Linz) (Cambridge University Press, 1995);

Democracy: the Challenges Ahead (co-editor with Aharon Kleiman) (St. Martin's, 1997);

Marketing the American Creed Abroad: Diasporas in the U.S. and Their Homelands (Cambridge University Press, 1999) -- awarded the 2000 Best Book of the Year Prize by the Israeli Political Science Association

Kinship and Diasporas in International Affairs (Michigan University Press, 2007).

Collective Memory in International Affairs (co-editor with Eric Langenbacher) (Georgetown University Press, 2010).

In 2010 Shain published **שפת השחיתות ותרבות המוסר הישראלית** (***The Language of Corruption and Israel's Moral Culture***) (Kinneret-Zmora-Dvir). The book received national acclaim.

Shain is now completing a book entitled: ***The Israeli Century and the "Israelization of Judaism"***.