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Eytan Tepper, Ph.D., is founding Director of the Space Governance Lab, IUB, and a visiting scholar at its [Ostrom Workshop](#). He is also a research coordinator and lecturer, space governance, at the Graduate School of International Studies, Laval University, and an adjunct research professor at the Western University (WU) Faculty of Law and faculty member at the WU Institute for Earth and Space Exploration.

Dr. Tepper earned his doctorate from the McGill University Faculty of Law, associated with the [Institute of Air and Space Law](#), followed by a postdoctoral fellowship with the [Institute for International Law and Justice](#) at the [New York University \(NYU\) School of Law](#). He holds a first doctorate from China University of Political Science and Law (中国政法大学) (ranked #2 in China for law faculties) focused on Chinese policy. His research focus is space law and governance, and he leads several projects for which he obtained external funding: the “[Corporate Sovereigns: The Governance of Space Exploration Corporations](#)” project; the “[space – cyber governance](#)” project with [CIGI](#); and the Carnegie-funded project “[Polycentric Multilateralism: Reimagining the Roles of International Institutions in Space Governance and Beyond](#)” at the IU Ostrom Workshop. Dr. Tepper’s approach is transdisciplinary, employing cutting-edge literature from international law, international relations, and political economy. He has published in journals like the *NYU Journal of International Law and Politics*, *Journal of Space Law, Space Policy*, and *New Space* and has two book contracts with Cambridge and Springer publishing houses.

Prior to his return to academe, Dr. Tepper was a practicing lawyer with a career spanning the public and private sectors, representing government ministries, the central bank, and Fortune 500 companies. Notable projects include leading a formal inquiry delegation to China under WTO rules, co-authoring a government-commissioned feasibility study on a Free Trade Area Agreement with China, and working on Albert Einstein’s estate.

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