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**Guest Speaker,
Nitsana Darshan-Leitner**

**Topic: Representing Israeli and American
Citizens Against Terrorists**

Nitsana Darshan-Leitner is an Israeli attorney, human rights activist and the founder of Shurat HaDin Israeli Law Center. She is known for her legal activism, especially lawsuits and legal actions brought on behalf of terror victims against terrorist groups, their leaders and financial patrons.



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Professional Biography

Ms. Darshan-Leitner's law office has brought civil actions against numerous banks and financial institutions she accuses of aiding and abetting Islamic and Arab groups engaged in terror attacks. She is also a media personality appearing in the press, on radio and television including Israeli talk show programs, "Voice of Israel" radio, CNN, the BBC, European television, the "Jerusalem Report" and many American and Canadian publications. In April 2012, it was announced that Darshan-Leitner was a winner of the Moskowitz Family Foundation "Oz Tzion" Prize. In 2014 she was named one of the 50 most influential Jews by The Jerusalem Post.

Ms. Darshan-Leitner is said to have succeeded in receiving more than \$1 billion in judgments, freezing over \$600 million in terror assets and securing over \$120 million in actual disbursements to the victims and their families. She represents hundreds of terror victims in cases brought against the Islamic Republic of Iran, North Korea, the Palestinian Authority, Hamas and the PLO, among others. She successfully represented Puerto Rican family victims of the 1972 Lod terrorist attack in a lawsuit against North Korea. In 2010, a US federal court on the island ruled in their favor, ordering the North Korean government to compensate the victims for the sum of \$378 million.

Born in Petah Tikva, Israel, Ms. Darshan-Leitner completed her undergraduate education and received a law degree from Bar Ilan University in the 1990s. She subsequently received an MBA from Manchester University in the United Kingdom. She is a mother of six children and is married to Ariel Leitner, an American-born law lecturer from Miami, Florida. She currently lives in North Tel Aviv, Israel.



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