



The Raymond Ackerman Family Chair in Israeli Corporate Governance

New Research on Corporate Purpose, Stakeholderism and ESG ECGI and Bar Ilan University

7-8 June 2022, Bar-Ilan University, Weisfeld Hall, Feldman building (301), Tel Aviv, Israel

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| Tuesday, 7 June, 2022 | | |
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| 09:30 - 09:45 | Coffee | |
| 09:45 – 9:55 | Greetings | |
| 9:55 – 10:45 | What is Wrong with Corporate Law? The Purpose of the Law and the Law | |
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| | Colin Mayer (Oxford) | |
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| | Discussant: Amir Licht (Reichman University) | |
| | Link to presentation | |
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| 10:45- 11:35 | Systemic Stewardship with Tradeoffs | |
| | Ed Rock (NYU) | |
| | Link to presentation | |
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| | Discussant: Kobi Kastiel (Tel Aviv University) | |
| | Link to presentation | |
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| 11:35 – 11:50 | Coffee | |
| | Session 2 | |
| 11:50 - 12:40 | Stakeholder Capitalism at the Time of COVID | |
| | Kobi Kastiel (Tel Aviv University) | |
| | Link to presentation | |
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| | Discussant: Beni Lauterbach (Bar Ilan University) | |
| | Link to presentation | |
| 12.10 12.20 | | |
| 12:40 – 13:30 | Sustainability or Performance? Rating and Fund Managers' Incentives | |
| | Mariassunta Giannetti (Stockholm School of Economics) | |
| | Link to presentation | |
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| | Discussant: Yaniv Grinstein (Reichman University) | |
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| 13:30 - 14:40 | Lunch | |
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| | Session 3 |
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| 14:40 – 15:30 | Paying Passive Managers to Engage? Does it Improve ESG? Marco Becht (Université libre de Bruxelles) Link to presentation |
| 15:30 - 16:20 | Discussant: Yishay Yafeh (Hebrew University) Link to presentation |
| | Socially Responsible Divestment |
| | Doron Levit (University of Washington) |
| | Link to presentation |
| | Discussant: Evgeny Lyandres (Tel Aviv University) Link to presentation |
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| | Wednesday 8 June, 2022 |
| 09:40 - 10:00 | Session 1 Coffee |
| 10:00 - 10:50 | The False Hope of Stewardship in the Context of Controlling Shareholders: |
| | Making Sense out of the Global Transplant of a Legal Misfit |
| | Dan Puchniak (Singapore Management University) Link to presentation |
| | Discussant: Assaf Hamdani (Tel Aviv University) |
| 10:50 - 11:40 | Corporate Purpose in Public and Private Firms |
| | Claudine Gartenberg (Wharton) |
| | Link to presentation |
| | Discussant: Ohad Kadan (Washington University Saint Louis) Link to presentation |
| 11:40 - 11:55 | Coffee |
| | Session 2 |
| 11:55 – 12:45 | Identifying Corporate Governance Shocks |
| | Steven Davidoff Solomon (U.C. Berkeley) Link to presentation |
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| | Discussant: Irene Yi (University of Toronto) Link to presentation |
| 12:45 – 13:35 | Mutual Funds' Strategic Voting on Environmental and Social Issues |
| | Silvina Rubio (University of Bristol) Link to presentation |
| | Discussant: Yevgeny Mugerman (Bar Ilan University) Link to presentation |
| 13:35 - 14:45 | Lunch |





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| 14:45 – 15:35 | Which Firms Require More Governance? Evidence From Mutual Funds' Revealed Preferences Irene Yi (University of Toronto) Link to presentation |
| | Discussant: Michelle Lowry (Drexel University) |
| 15:35 – 16:25 | Are All ESG Funds Created Equal? Only Some Funds Are Dedicated Michelle Lowry (Drexel University) |
| | Discussant: Roni Michaely (Hong Kong University) Link to presentation |
| 16:25 - 16:45 | Farewell greetings |