

## **Canada – Israel workshop on organizational networks, May 31 – June 2, 2011**

Room 4707, social sciences building, Mount Scopus campus, Hebrew University, Jerusalem

### **Workshop timetable**

#### **Tuesday, May 31**

	presenter	Paper
10:00-12:00	Amalya Oliver + Yuval Kalish	Opening comments – New directions in organizational network research
12:00-13:30	Lunch*	
13:30-15:00	Terry Amburgey	Islands in the Net: Homophily, Heterophily and Network Evolution
15:00-15:30	Coffee break	
15:30-17:00	Barak Ahoranson	Networks and Growth: The story of VCs

#### **Wednesday, June 1**

	Presenter	Paper
9:00-10:30	Stan Li	Alliance Governance, Supplier Referrals and the Evolution of Multiplex Triads
10:30-11:00	Coffee	
11:00-12:30	Ilan Talmud	The Social Organization of Venture Capital Industry in Israel: The Impact of Betweenness Centrality and Local Density on Performance
12:30-14:00	Lunch*	
14:00-15:30	Dovev Lavie	Collaborating for Knowledge Creation and Application: The Case of Nanotechnology Research Programs
15:30-16:00	Coffee	
16:00-17:30	Joel Baum	Mutual Forbearance and Competition for Information Leadership among Security Analysts

#### **Thursday, June 2**

	presenter	Paper
9:00-10:30	Ezra Zuckerman	Managerial Control is Alienating and Often Inefficient, So Why Do Firms Dominate the Capitalist Economy and Sometimes Even Perform Well?
11:00-12:00	Conclusions	

Canadian Content: The paper presented by Prof. Terry Amburgey was on strategic alliances of biotechnology firms in the US and Canada.

Stan Li studies the role of alliance governance in relationships between customers on probability that one customer (referrer) will recommend a given supplier to another customer (referee) in Canadian exchange relations.

Joel Baum studies competition for information leadership among sell-side security analysts. The study is of analysts' earnings forecasts for publicly traded firms from 1994 to 2007 and looked on how competition among analysts for information leadership is influenced by their network of joint coverage of stocks.

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