

27.5.2024

From Academic Innovation To Real-World Impact

Zimin Institute Conference Agenda

David and Janet Polak Visitors Center

8:15 Welcome Reception & Registration

Greetings: **Prof. Uri Sivan**, President of Technion

9:00 **Mr. Boris Zimin**, Entrepreneur, Philanthropist,
President of the Zimin Foundation

INNOVATION IN MEDICINE

9:20 **Prof. Rafael Beyar**, Interventional Cardiologist, Biomedical Engineer,
Ex-Director of Rambam
Health Care Campus, "Innovations in Medicine: The clinical, academic
and industrial circles"

10:00 **Prof. Yoni Savir**, 2023 Institute grantee, "Harnessing AI to predict omics
signatures from histological data to improve biopsy-based diagnostics
and prognosis"

10:20 **Prof. Uri Shalit**, 2023 Institute grantee, "Personalized recommendation
system for treating hospitalized heart failure patients with acute kidney
injury"

10:40 **Prof. Lihi Zelnik-Manor**, Executive VP for innovation and industry
relations of the Technion, "Innovation in medicine at the Technion"

11:00 Coffee Break



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Greetings: **Prof. David Mendlovic**, Director, Zimin Institute,
Tel-Aviv University

11:20 **Mr. Leonid Solovyev**, Director of Operations,
Breakthrough Prize Foundation

Dr. Mark Shmulevich, Head of Zimin Institutes

11:40 Announcing 2024 Zimin Institute Winning Projects

12:00 **Prof. Shai Shen-Orr**, Head of Zimin Institute, Technion, co-Director,
Tech.AI, Co-Founder & CSO, CytoReason, "The CytoReason story -
Translating the cow not the milk"

12:20 **Prof. Tamir Tuller**, Institute grantee, Tel-Aviv University, Founder &
CSO, OncoDecipher, "Computational modelling of gene expression:
intro and biomedical applications"

12:40 **Dr. Renana Sabi**, Executive Director, Tech.AI.BioMed, "From research to
product – the power of a mindset shift"

13:00 Lunch



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REAL-WORLD IMPACT

- 13:50 Greetings: **Rona Samler**, General Manager, T3-Technion Technology Transfer, Chief Business Officer, Technion R&D Foundation
- 14:00 **Dr. Orna Berry**, Technical Director, Office of the CTO, Google Cloud, Israel's Ex-Chief Scientist
- 14:00 **Leor Stern**, Director, Product Management, Google Research, "MedLM & Google Cloud Gen AI"
- 14:40 **Prof. Michal Rosen-Zvi**, Director, AI for Healthcare and Life Sciences, IBM, "The promise of Generative AI in overcoming drug discovery challenges"
- 15:00 **Udi Goori**, General Manager, Israel. Elevance Health, "On a mission for proactive care"
- 15:20 **Prof. Dan Shechtman**, Nobel Prize Laureate, Technion, "Intrapreneurship, key to success in large organisations"
- 16:00 Closing Remarks



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