

**Milken Institute Financial and Policy Innovations Lab
for Medical Solutions in Israel**

Agenda

**King David Hotel, Jerusalem
December 5, 2007**

8:00-8:20 Sign in and Continental Breakfast

8:20-8:25 Welcome by Prof. Raphael Walden, Chair, Medical Track, Jerusalem Congress, Deputy Director General, Tel-Hashomer General Hospital and Introduction of President Shimon Peres

8:25--8:40 Israel: Creating Models for Global Health Solutions, Hon. Shimon Peres, President of the State of Israel

8:40-8:45 Welcome by Mr. Yarom Ariav, Director General, Ministry of Finance

8:45-9:00 Technology Transfer in Medicine, Mr. Yair Green, Horowitz Foundation

9:00-9:45 Accelerating Global Medical Solutions, Mike Milken, Chairman, Milken Institute and FasterCures

9:45-11:30 Plenary Session 1: Life Science Innovations in Israel--A Gap between Research, Infrastructure and Capital

Moderator: Dr. Rafi Hofstein, Hadasit

Prof. Ruth Alon, Pitango and Israel Life Sciences Association

Ruth Arnon, Weizmann Institute

Dr. Morris Laster, Bioline RX

Dr. Aharon Schwartz, Teva Industries

Prof. Manuel Trajtenberg, National Economic Council, Prime Minister's Office

Kobi Vortman, InSightec

Dr. Benny Zeevi, Tamir Fishman

11:30-12:30 Plenary Session 2: Key Findings of Financial Technology Transfer for Accelerating Medical Solutions: Best Practices from U.S.

Moderator: Prof. Glenn Yago, Milken Institute (U.S.)

Dr. Orna Berry, Gemini Ventures/Israel Venture Association

Dr. Judith Giordan, TopCap (U.S.)

Dr. Nir Kossovsky, Steel Re (U.S.)

Eve Kurtin, Pacific Venture Group (U.S.)

Dr. Howard Soule, Prostate Cancer Foundation, Milken Institute (U.S.)

12:30-13:45 Working Lunch: Financial & Economic Policy Barriers to Accelerating Medical Solutions in Israel

Moderator: Mr. Michael Milken, Chairman, Milken Institute and FasterCures (U.S.)

Dr. Haim Aviv, Pharmos

Dr. Ora Dar, Ministry of Trade, Commerce and Employment
Ronit Harel-Ben-Zeev, Tel Aviv Stock Exchange
Dr. Rafi Hofstein, Hadasit
Nava Swersky-Sofer, Yissum
Prof. Manuel Trajtenberg, National Economic Council, Prime Minister's Office

13:45-15:15 Breakout Session I: Strategies for Accelerating Medical Solutions

Session A: *Accelerating Disease Research through Philanthropy and Business*

Moderator: Dr. Dan Gelvan, Aurum Ventures

Dr. Tim Coetzee, National Multiple Sclerosis Society (U.S.)
Elie Elalouf, Sacta-Rashi Foundation
Yair Green, Horowitz Foundation
Dr. Avi Ludomirsky, Vitalife VC
Prof. Shlomo Mor-Yossef, Hadassah Hospital

Session B: *Effective Model of Governments, Foundations and Research Institutions for Career Development of Physician Scientists*

Moderator: Prof. Rami Rahamimoff, Hadassah Medical School

Dr. Robert Getzenberg, Johns Hopkins (U.S.)
Dr. Chris Logothetis, M. D. Anderson (U.S.)
Dr. Kenneth Pienta, University of Michigan (U.S.)
Dr. Jonathan Simons, Prostate Cancer Foundation (U.S.)
Dr. Howard Soule, Prostate Cancer Foundation, Milken Institute (U.S.)

Session C: *Infrastructure and Tools to Accelerate Translational Medicine*

Moderator: George Blumenthal, Park Avenue Medical Data Systems (U.S.)

Hanna Billig, Ministry of Health
Ilan Freedman, Dbmotion
Prof. Eran Leitersdorf, Hadassah Medical Organization
Prof. Meir Liebergall, Hadassah Medical Organization
Oren Schuster, Ewave
Dr. Medy Wiener, Novartis Pharma Israel
Yuval Wollman, Ministry of Finance--Life Sciences Development Team
Ester Katz, Ministry of Health

15:15-16:45 Breakout Session II: Applications for Translational Medical Research, Development and Commercialization

Session A: *Global Health and International Collaborations*

Moderator: Dr. Dan Shanit, Peres Center for Peace
Joel Kurtzman, Milken Institute (U.S.)

Prof. Shlomo Ben-Haim, ImpulseDynamics
Prof. Amichai Freeman, Tel Aviv University
Prof. Ray Kempfer, Hebrew University Medical School
Prof. Yehuda Sheinfeld, Sheba Medical Center

Prof. Jonathan Leor, Sheba Medical Center

Session B: *Cancer*

Moderator: Dr. Howard Soule, Prostate Cancer Foundation, Milken Institute (U.S.)
Dr. Menachem Laufer, Tel-Hashomer General Hospital and Prostate Cancer
Foundation Israel

Prof. Rafi Catane, Sheba Medical Center
Prof. Tamar Peretz, Hadassah Medical Organization
Prof. Shimon Slavin, Ichilov
Dr. Avi Treves, Child Oncology, Sheba Medical Center
David Fuhrer, Neopharm

Session C: *Cardiovascular*

Moderator: Dr. Fred Pashkow, Cardax Pharmaceuticals (U.S.)

Prof. Lior Gepstein, Technion
Prof. Ran Kornovski, Rabin Medical Center
Prof. Chaim Lotan, Hadassah Medical Center

Session D: *Neurological Disorders*

Moderator: Prof. Hermona Soreq, Hebrew University and Israel National Council for Research
and Development

Prof. Tamir Ben-Hur, Hadassah
Prof. Eldad Melamed, Rabin Medical Center
Prof. Ben Reubinof, Hebrew University

16:45-17:00 **Break**

17:00-17:15 **Hon. Ehud Olmert, Prime Minister of the State of Israel**

17:15-18:30 **Next Steps: Plenary Discussion and Formation of Work Teams**

18:30-19:30 **Reception**