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Wednesday, Dec. 16, 2015

Maiersdorf Faculty Club, Room 501, Mt. Scopus

9:30-9:50 Gathering

9:50-10:10 Greetings

Yuval Shany, Dean, Law Faculty, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Ilana Ritov, The Center for Empirical Studies of Decision Making and the Law, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Bernard Black, Society for Empirical Legal Studies

10:10-12:00 Judicial Decision Making

Matthew P. Hitt, Louisiana State University

Agenda Control and Judgment-Rationale Inconsistency in the U.S. Supreme Court

Comments: **Yoav Dotan**, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Adi Leibovitch, Columbia University

Relative Judgments

Comments: **Valerie Hans**, Cornell University

12:00-13:20 Lunch

13:20-15:10 International law

Adam Chilton (with Gulnaz Anjum and Zahid Usman), University of Chicago

United Nations Endorsement & Support for Women's Rights: Evidence from an Experiment in Pakistan

Comments: **Yuval Feldman**, Bar-Ilan University

Urska Sadl, University of Copenhagen

The force of EU case law: An empirical study of precedential constraint

Comments: **Yuval Shany**, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

15:10-16:30 Tour at Mt. Scopus Campus

16:30-18:20 Criminal Law and Procedure

Aurelie Ouss, University of Chicago

Incentives Structures and Criminal Justice

Comments: **David Abrams**, University of Pennsylvania

Yehonatan Givati (with Itai Ater and Oren Rigbi), The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

The Economics of Rights: The Effect of the Right to Counsel

Comments: **Oren Gazal**, Haifa University

Thursday, Dec. 17, 2015

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9:00-10:50 Securities

Mark Humphrey-Jenner (with Suman Banerjee, Vikram Nanda and Mandy Than), University of New South Wales, Australia

Executive overconfidence and securities class actions

Comments: **Abraham L. Wickelgren**, The University of Texas

Wenming Xu, China University of Political Science and Law

Reforming Private Securities Litigation in China: The Stock Market Has Already Cast its Vote

Comments: **Bernard Black**, Northwestern University

11:10-13:00 Corporate Law

James W. Coleman, University of Calgary

How Cheap is Corporate Talk? Comparing What Companies Tell Regulators With What They Tell Investors

Comments: **Kate Litvak**, Northwestern University

Emiliano Catan (with Marcel Kahan), New York University

The Law and Finance of Anti-Takeover Statutes

Comments: **Ed Rock**, University of Pennsylvania

13:00-14:30 Lunch

14:30-15:25 Freedom of Speech

Jonathon W. Penney, University of Oxford, Dalhousie University

Chilling Effects: Online Surveillance and Wikipedia Use

Comments: **Mordechai Kremnizer**, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem and the Israel Democracy Institute

15:40-17:30 Intellectual Property and Miscellaneous

Michal Shur-Ofry (with Gadi Fibich & Shira Wultz-Green), The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

The Diffusion of Legal Innovation – A Quantitative Approach

Comments: **Ofer Malcai**, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Tolga Caskurlu, University of Amsterdam

Effects Of Patent Rights On Industry Structure and R&D

Comments: **Naomi Hausman**, The Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Program Committee:

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