

## 5<sup>th</sup> Greater Boston Corporate Governance Workshop

May 12, 2022, 8:00am– 5:00pm ET

440 Egan, Egan Center, Northeastern University



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# Workshop Agenda

8:00 - 8:30am Registration and Breakfast

8:30 - 8:40am *Welcome*

**Ravi Ramamurti**, Director, Center for Emerging Markets, Northeastern University

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### **Session 1**

**Chair: Ruth Aguilera, Northeastern University**

8:40 - 9:15am

*Board Dynamics Over the Startup Life Cycle*

**Nadya Malenko**, University of Michigan

First Respondent: Jordan Siegel, University of Michigan

9:15 - 9:50am

*R&D Alliances in the Age of Artificial Intelligence*

**Evan Rawley**, University of Connecticut

First Respondent: Luis Ballesteros, Boston University

9:50 - 10:10am

*Coffee break*

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### **Session 2**

**Chair: Valentina Marano, Northeastern University**

10:10 - 10:45am

*Paying for Diversity? Diversity Metrics in Banks' Executive Compensation*

**Anna Toniolo**, Harvard Law School

First Respondent: Razvan Lungeanu, Northeastern University

10:45 - 11:20am

*Not Just a Woman or a Man: How Board Faultlines and Overlap Between CEO and Female Directors' Characteristics Affect Firm Performance*

**Sabina Tasheva Nielsen**, Harvard University

First Respondent: Kevin Chuah, Northeastern University

11:20 - 11:40am

*Coffee break*

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### **Session 3**

Chair: Jordan Siegel, University of Michigan

11:40 - 12:15pm

*Governance for Global Integration: Designing Structure and Authority in International Advocacy NGOs*

**Alnoor Ebrahim**, Tufts University

First Respondent: Silvia Dorado, UMass Boston

12:15 - 12:50pm *Employee Reactions to CEO Activism*  
**Anya Mkrtchyan**, UMass Amherst  
First Respondent: Andrew Schrank, Brown University

12:50 - 1:30pm *Lunch*

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**Session 4**

Chair: Kevin Chuah, Northeastern University

1:30 - 2:05pm *The Impact of the Inevitable Disclosure Doctrine on CEO Turnover*  
**Ana Albuquerque**, Boston University

First Respondent: Jill Brown, Bentley University

2:05 - 2:40pm *Regulatory Scrutiny of Mutual Fund Disclosures*  
**Shuyang Wang**, Northeastern University

First Respondent: Francois Brochet, Boston University

2:40 - 3:00pm *Coffee break*

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**Session 5**

Chair: Sheila Puffer, Northeastern University

3:00 - 3:35pm *Equal Ownership*  
**Rory Van Loo**, Boston University

First Respondent: Mauricio Geleilate, UMass Lowell

3:35 - 4:10pm *Private and Public Governance*  
**Ruth Aguilera**, Northeastern University

First Respondent: Rodrigo B DeMello, Merrimack College

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**Concluding Remarks**

4:10 - 4:55pm *Conclusion and Discussion*  
**J. Nicholas Ziegler**, Brown University