CHEMISTRY GRADUATE DEPARTMENT
University of Toronto

SPEED NETWORKING EVENT
April 28 @ 3 p.m.

-- Panelists --

Dr. Michael Jones

Michael Jones is a Market Access Writer with the Evidence, Modelling, and Synthesis group at Evidera in the Montréal office. His role focuses on the preparation, writing, and review of market access communication materials, including Academy of Managed Care Pharmacy (AMCP) submissions and global value dossiers. Prior to joining Evidera, Dr. Jones worked as a postdoctoral research associate at the University of Toronto, where he studied the genetic regulation and pathogenesis of a human gastric bacterium. He also worked as a freelance writer for a technical magazine, and volunteered as an editor for an open-access health publisher. Dr. Jones earned his PhD in biological chemistry from the University of Toronto, where his dissertation focused on nickel biology and bacterial acid adaptation. He also holds a BSc (Hons) in biological chemistry from the University of Toronto.
**Dr. Lagaditis**

Paraskevi (Vivian) Lagaditis is from Vancouver BC and received her B. Sc majoring in chemistry in 2007 from the University of British Columbia. She joined the Morris group in 2008 at the University of Toronto and focused on synthesizing new iron-based hydrogenation catalysts. After receiving her PhD in 2013, she received a Humboldt Post-Doctoral Fellowship and worked with Dr. Sven Schneider at Georg August Universtät-Göttingen in Germany from 2013 to 2015. She returned to Canada to work with Dr. Morris again in 2016 to design large scale syntheses of patented iron catalysts for commercialization. She pursued a third post-doctoral position from 2016 to 2017 with Dr. Schafer at the University of British Columbia to work on a collaboration with a start-up company, Hydrogen in Motion. During her time at UBC, she knew that she could not be a post-doctoral fellow forever and hence she took time off to explore options and made the decision to change her career to broaden her skills to be more employable. She then enrolled into the Occupational Health and Safety program at the British Columbia Institute of Technology in 2018 as the field is a good transition of skills and knowledge gained from years in laboratories. In December 2019, she was hired at the University of Victoria as an Occupational Health and Safety Consultant with focus on laboratory and laser safety.

**Dr. Ariella Lukach**

Ariella is Vice President, Strategy and Positioning at Stiletto. Ariella's expertise are in evidence-based research and analysis to identify new markets, validate concepts and fine tune value propositions. Ariella is specialized in knowledge industries, commercialization, technology transfer and innovation. Ariella is working with industry associations, economic development groups, government departments and agencies, SMEs and academic institutions on strategy, research & analysis, sector & new cluster development, business expansion & export readiness, and proposals & grants.
Dr. Clive Ward-Able

Dr Clive Ward-Able is a physician and a pharmacist who has worked in the pharmaceutical industry for over 27 years with 20 of those at the Executive level. He has worked in large and small pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies in Canada, US, UK, Switzerland and South Africa in the departments of R&D, Medical, Marketing and Sales. His experience relates mostly to the Medical aspect of therapeutic drug commercialization and has been involved with the launch of over 15 products in multiple therapeutic areas.

He is currently a member of the Board of Directors for Clinical Trials Ontario.