



**BRIDGING THE RIFT**  
CENTRE

***Bioinformatics Conference and Launch of Library of Life Project  
Bridging the Rift Foundation***

**Agenda**

**Day One**

- 10:00 **Welcome and Opening From the Foundation President Mr. Mati Kochavi  
And BTR Jordan Executive Director**
- 10:15 ***Bridging the Rift Film***
- 10:30 **Welcome from University Presidents**
- 11:00 **Introduction to BTR and Cornell University** Dean Robert Constable
- 11:30 **Coffee Break**
- 11:45 **Introduction to the Library of Life** Prof. Ron Elber  
Sub-projects within the Library of Life:  
a) Searching and managing inhomogeneous data  
b) Creating concrete genomic databases for the Dead Sea  
c) Predicting protein structures and protein-protein interactions  
d) Searching in the biological literature  
e) Learning from images
- 1:30 **Group Discussion on Library of Life**
- 2:00 **Lunch**
- 3:00 **Roundtable with University of Jordan and Cornell University**
- 3:45 **Roundtable with Al-Hussein Bin Talal University and Cornell University**
- 4:30 **Afternoon Coffee Break**
- 4:45 **Roundtable with Jordan University of Science and Technology and Cornell  
University**
- 5:30 **Roundtable with Mu'tah University and Cornell University**
- 6:15 **Close of First Day**
- 7:00 **Dinner**

