



TAU Tidbits April 2017 Happy Passover

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A Message From the Chair

Dear Friends of CFTAU,

On behalf of Canadian Friends of Tel Aviv University, I would like to wish you the joys of the Passover holiday and share with you news about recent advances being made at Tel Aviv University.

Thanks to the work of Tel Aviv University professors, Dr. Amir Ayali, Faculty of Life Sciences and Dr. Gabor Kosa, Faculty of Engineering, they have developed a robot

– the robot locust - that can reduce victim rescue time and provide assistance to crisis intervention teams in the wake of man-made and natural disasters. As you prepare for Passover, consider, when you dip your finger in wine to represent the ten plagues and utter the word locust (אַרְבֵּה) think about the creation of this robot locust and the remarkable advances being made at Tel Aviv University. To learn more click [here](#) .

In addition to building robots, our young students are receiving the highest accolades in academics. Most recently, TAU graduate, Maayan Roichman received a Rhodes Scholarship. This is the first time an Israeli has been selected for the scholarship. To read the full article click [here](#) .

Wishing you and your family all the very best over Pesach,

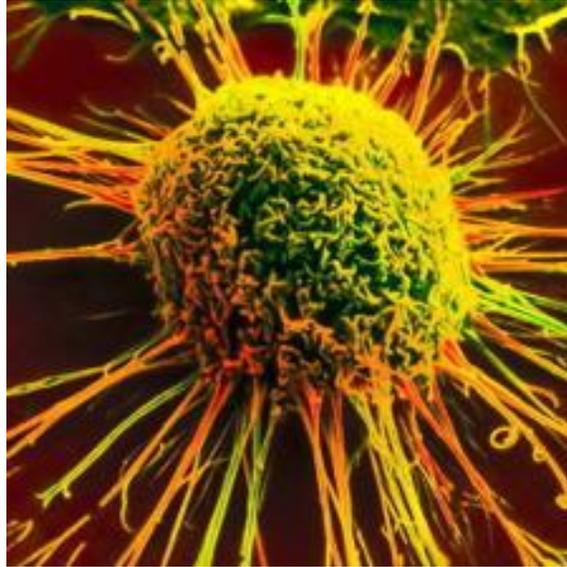
A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jeff Wagman". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Jeff" written in a larger, more prominent script than the last name "Wagman".

Jeff Wagman

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TAU News



Scientists Discover Mechanism That Causes Cancer Cells to Self-destruct.

Modifying specific proteins during cancer cell division unleashes a natural killing mechanism, say TAU researchers.

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The future of Cyber-Secure devices

CFTAU and TribalScale invite you to Join Prof. Eran Socher, Associate Professor and head of the High Frequency Integrated Circuits Lab at TAU, for a discussion on what the future holds for high speed mobile devices.

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"Nice" Women Earn Less than Their More Assertive Counterparts.

New TAU study confirms that nice woman finish last.

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Could Diet and Exercise help Prevent Dementia?

Memory and executive function are particularly vulnerable to the effects of insulin resistance, Tel Aviv University researchers say.

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SPEAKERS:
Chris Roberts, CSM & Senior Consultant at Sentinel Global
Tim Mather, Chief Security Strategist at PatternIX
Prof. Lior Wolf, Researcher, ICBC and faculty member at the School of Computer Science at Tel-Aviv University
Prof. Nathan Intrator, Researcher, ICBC and Professor of Computer Science and Neuroscience at Tel Aviv University
Prof. Amir Averbuch, Professor of Computer Science at Tel-Aviv University, Co-Founder and CTO of TheStack

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June 25th-29th, 2017
Tel Aviv University

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Cyber Week

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cybersecurity conference held at Tel Aviv University in Israel. Cyber Week 2017 runs from June 25th to June 29th. Click [here](#) to learn more

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