

TAU Tidbits October 2017

A Message From Our New Chair



It is a pleasure to share this edition of TAU Tidbits with you, my first as a new Governor of Tel Aviv University and newly elected Chair of Canadian Friends of Tel Aviv University in Ontario and Western Canada.

I look forward to working with Stephen Adler and our new Executive and Board of dedicated Directors to increase awareness for and support of Israel's leading University. Situated in Israel's cultural, financial and technological capital, TAU shares Tel Aviv's unshakeable spirit of openness and innovation - and boasts a campus life as dynamic and pluralistic as the metropolis itself. Tel Aviv the city and Tel Aviv the university are one and the same - a thriving Mediterranean center of diversity and discovery.

As we have done I will continue to use this e-newsletter as a vehicle to provide you with news of the latest research from Tel Aviv University and extend invitations to you for our events and speaker series. Please reach out to me at any time, at <u>boardchair@cftau.ca</u> should you have questions about the work being done at Tel Aviv University or wish to join us in supporting Israel's largest and most comprehensive institution of higher learning - home to more than 30,000 students studying in nine faculties and more than 125 schools and departments across the spectrum of sciences, humanities and the arts.

Whatever your passion, area of curiosity or field of interest ask me how TAU is advancing research, breaking down the walls between disciplines and striving to address the twenty-first century's most pressing challenges through bold, interdisciplinary solutions.

Thank you for your past and future support. I look forward to meeting you at one of our events or seeing you on campus in Israel soon.

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Nathan Disenhouse, Chair, Ontario & Western Canada Canadian Friends of Tel Aviv University

TAU News



A new way to observe the Universe.

TAU utilizes Nobel-winning research to expand our understanding of matter and space.

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Did human culture impact our brain's evolution?

A new model developed by TAU researchers shows how small modifications can adapt our brain to ecological and cultural changes.

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Can a fever during labour cause after birth complications?

Intrapartum fever triggered by bacterial infection may cause neonatal complications, TAU researchers say.

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Upcoming Events & Visiting Faculty



Speaker Series

Prof. Moshe Zviran, Head of the Coller School of Management, Tel Aviv University invites you to join him on Friday, November 10th where he will be leading the following discussions:

"The Future of Startup Nation 2.0"

Date: November 10, 2017 Place: Rosenzweig & Company Time: 8:15 a.m RSVP at <u>sjadler@cftau.ca</u> should you wish to attend the breakfast.

"Entrepreneurship Ecosystems In Israel"

Date: November 10, 2017 Place: Extreme Innovations Inc Time: 12 noon RSVP at <u>sjadler@cftau.ca</u> should you wish to attend the luncheon.

Visiting Faculty



Prof. Dan Peer, Chair, of the Cancer Biology Research Center and Director of the Laboratory of Precision NanoMedicine at Tel Aviv University will be in Toronto November 23 & 24. For more information on Prof. Peer's research please click <u>here</u> and to arrange a meeting with Prof. Peer please contact Stephen Adler at <u>stephen@cftau.ca</u>



Tel Aviv University Gala Dinner in Monaco

Gala Event

Join Canadian Friends of Tel Aviv University on December 4, 2017 in Monaco for a gala dinner under the High Patronage of H.S.H Prince Albert II of Monaco. Click <u>here</u> to register or visit <u>cftau.ca</u> for more information.

Past event



From L-R Stephen Adler (Executive Director), Liron Bar-El, Nathan Disenhouse (Chair), David Matlow, Leanne Matlow

Another fun-filled evening was spent in the Sukkah at the Matlow's residence for the Beef, Bourbon and Balfour event. Guests enjoyed learning about Tel Aviv University and the incredible work being done by the students. The event was in support of CFTAU's Scholarship Fund. Should you wish to make a donation to support scholarships for TAU students click <u>here</u> For information about upcoming events, please contact Stephen Adler at 416.787.6868 or <u>stephen@cftau.ca</u>

Send a tribute card



Should you wish to send a card for any occasion call Michelle at 416.787.9930 or click <u>here</u> to have a card sent on your behalf.

