



TAU TIDBITS

June 2018

A Message from our Chair

On Thursday June 14th the CFTAU Golf Classic in support of the Pillar-Lambert Scholarship Fund featuring Kevin Pillar was held at King's Riding Golf Club. The tournament was an incredible success, raising more than \$150,000 due in large part to our generous donors and sponsors.

If you are excited about this summer, then chances are you are ready to hit the beach or pool with family or friends. The summer is also a time for travelling. If you happen to be in Israel make sure to visit the Tel Aviv University campus in all its glory. There is so much to see and do there, including visits to museums and beautiful gardens.

I wish you a safe and happy summer.



Nathan Disenhouse
Chair, Ontario & Western Canada

TAU News



A Prince To The Rescue

If you were disappointed not to get an invitation to the royal wedding of Harry and Meghan, you'll now get your chance to meet a real, genuine prince at the TAU campus. A nature enthusiast and an environmental activist, Albert II, Prince of Monaco will visit the campus and meet with TAU researchers.

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Modern laser science enhanced by 2,300-year-old tech

Archimedes' screw inspires Tel Aviv University researchers to devise a novel particle-trapping laser beam. Now scientists at Tel Aviv University have harnessed a 2,300-year-old water displacement technology to develop a novel laser beam that traps and moves particles in specific directions.

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TAU film festival celebrates women in its 20th edition

The [Tel Aviv International Student Film Festival](#) — one of the largest and most influential student film festivals in the world according to CILECT, the International Association of Film and Television Schools — celebrated its 20th edition on June 10-16 at Tel Aviv's illustrious Cinematheque and other locations in and around Tel Aviv and Jaffa. This festival draws film students, veteran filmmakers and distinguished directors from Israel and around the world.

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Upcoming Events

CFTAU Montreal Gala

Canadian Friends of Tel Aviv University - 45th Anniversary Gala



HONOURING
Maxwell Smart



KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Professor Dina Porat

HONOURARY CHAIRS

The Honourable Irwin Cotler • Father John E. Walsh • Professor Alan M. Dershowitz

DINNER CHAIR

Shirley Stern

Sunday, August 26, 2018 - Montreal Science Centre

It gives us great pleasure to announce that Tel Aviv University President, Professor Joseph Klafter, will bestow the degree of Doctor Philosophiae Honoris Causa, on this year's Honourary Gala Co-Chair, Professor Irwin Cotler. The ceremony will take place in Montreal, on 26 August, 2018, during CFTAU's 45th Anniversary Gala, honouring Maxwell Smart for his extraordinary life accomplishments. Funds raised at the Gala will support the Kantor Center's and the University's ongoing mission to fight the scourges of Antisemitism, Racism, and Genocide.

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