

What's New @ CFTAU

TAU Global Campaign Update

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Dear Friends,

All of us at Canadian Friends of Tel Aviv University know you stand with us in our shock and outrage over the heinous attack at Pittsburgh's Tree of Life Synagogue this past Shabbat, and join us in offering our sincere condolences to those who were affected by this event, the deadliest Antisemitic act in American history.

Some two months ago, we honoured Maxwell Smart, a child Holocaust survivor, at our 45th Anniversary Gala. In her keynote speech, Dina Porat, Tel Aviv University's distinguished Professor, and Head of The Kantor Center for the Study of Contemporary European Jewry, explored the issues of global Racism, Genocide, Xenophobia and Antisemitism. Funds raised that evening were designated to the University's ongoing mission to educate about, and battle of, these scourges.

We are committed to continue our work to enhance public awareness of Israel's international standing and to provide financial support to Tel Aviv University's efforts in this, today so critical domain, as well as in many other educational and research initiatives at Israel's largest and most comprehensive institution of higher learning.

During this serious and sad time, we stand shoulder-to-shoulder with Pittsburgh's Jewish Community, and

all Jewish people around the world, and we would like to invite you to join in tomorrow's Solidarity Shabbat across North-America; each of us in our own synagogue, but mindful of Jews everywhere.

An attack on one Jew is an attack on all Jewish people. Let us not forget and confront any acts of hate, violence and antisemitism – Am Israel Chai!

Shabbat Shalom!



A handwritten signature in black ink.

Michael Tenenbaum, Chair



A handwritten signature in black ink.

Sharon J. Fraenkel, Executive Director

The word "Tribute" in a script font next to a stylized fountain pen nib.

Send a Tribute Card
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Please call Heather at 514.344.3417 or click here to order online
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IN THE SPOTLIGHT ...

TAU Global Campaign Update

Tel Aviv University is delighted to announce that the midway point in a 10-year, US\$1 billion Global Campaign, has been reached, and the University has just topped US\$517 million. We closed this past fiscal year with a record US\$82.1 million – up by almost 30% since the start of the Campaign five years ago. Of course, these achievements would not have been possible without the generous support and marvelous commitment from around the world, seeing Tel Aviv University grow into a world-renowned institution!

Please check out the newly launched website for the Global Campaign at <https://campaign.tau.ac.il/>

Scroll through and enjoy.



Tel Aviv University to partner \$500m Illinois innovation initiative

In testimony to our growing international reputation, the state of Illinois has allocated \$500 million to build an innovation and entrepreneurship center in Chicago in partnership with Tel Aviv University. [More](#)

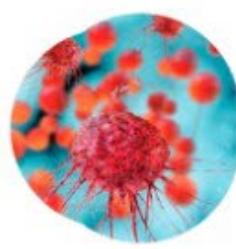


Transformative Gift

Dr. Susan Samueli and Prof. Henry Samueli, co-founder and CTO of Broadcom, are giving \$20 million to name the Susan and Henry Samueli Engineering Building being constructed on the TAU campus right now. The funding will support a range of academic activities in engineering and medicine.

CFTAU EVENTS ...

UPCOMING



Cannabis Revolution in Cancer Treatment

Be Part of the Next Big Idea

Please join us for an exclusive and informative evening with world-renowned Professor Dan Peer, Ph.D., in support of cancer research at Tel Aviv University

Saturday, December 8, 2018

Cocktails and Program at 7:00 p.m.

Kandy Gallery 5629 Ferrier, Mont-Royal, Quebec H49 1N1

\$120 per person

Applicable tax receipts will be issued with the maximum allowable amounts

For Ticket and Sponsorship Information
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Professor Dan Peer, Ph.D.

Chair, Tel Aviv Cancer Biology Research Center
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December 12, Los Angeles

Tel Aviv University
invites you to a special international event honoring
Changemakers - Philanthropists - Stanley Cup Winners
SUSAN & HENRY SAMUEL
and their commitment
to technology, education, health and Israel

December 12
Skirball Cultural Center
2701 N. Sepulveda Blvd., Los Angeles 90049
6:00 Cocktails 7:30 Dinner
Business Attire

For more information
Sharon J. Fraenkel
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Host Hotel
The Peninsula in Beverly Hills
Group Number: AMER12001

RSVP BY DECEMBER 3
\$1300 per person*

*Applicable tax exemption will be issued with the maximum allowable amount.

Symposia

On Water & Green Tech
Beverly Hills City Hall
DECEMBER 12
12 noon-2 pm

On Film & Media
DECEMBER 13
10 am-12 noon

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MAY 15 -19, 2019



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Be Part of the Next Big Idea

TAU has planned an exceptional program for the BOG 2019. We encourage you to check out the website as it provides a lot of information including the program, how to register, hotel information and more.

**Wednesday, May 15 – Sunday, May 19,
with an optional exclusive tour on Monday, May 20**

The Eurovision Song Contest has already snapped up almost all hotel accommodation in Tel Aviv for the week of the BOG. We are urging you to make your hotel reservations now. TAU has a block of rooms reserved at the Hilton hotel and rooms at several other hotels with the same rate as last year and they are all filling up fast.

To reserve your room at the Hilton or other hotels please contact Nili Golan, Ezoory Amex Travel Ltd. We recommend you to book immediately in order to ensure a room is available to you.

For more information email to montreal@cftau.ca or call 514.344.3417

[Register here](#)

TAU ALUMNI CORNER ...



Alumni Scholarship Drive

The TAU Alumni Organization, which already has 70,000 graduates signed up, will be vigorously fundraising for its first ever scholarship drive, led by TAU President Joseph Klafter, beginning in December 2018. The goal is to raise **one million dollars** for financial assistance, with at least one million shekels of that sum coming from alumni in Israel. A big party during or around the Board of Governors meeting will wrap up the effort.



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