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FEATURES

Special Greetings from the President of Israel, Mr. Isaac Herzog

Inspiring Video Highlighting Our Students and Their Contributions to a Better World

Unique Film Demonstrating Our Contributions to a Better World, Featuring Close Donors and Friends

HUJI Talks: Fascinating Updates on the Latest COVID-19 Research, the Future of Sustainability, and the Mystery of Ancient DNA

Showcase of Top Academic Achievements in the Sciences, Medicine & Humanities

Conversation with Newly Elected CERN President, Prof. Eliezer Rabinovici.

OCT.
17th

5:00 - 7:30 PM
ISRAEL TIME

Details of Event

Special greetings from the President of the State of Israel, Mr. Isaac Herzog.
Greetings from the Chairman of the Board of Governors, Mr. Daniel Schlessinger.

For a Better World: A film showcasing various Hebrew University programs that have a substantial impact in making the world a better place.

President's Plenary Session

- Report of the President of Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Prof. Asher Cohen
- A special conversation between Prof. Asher Cohen and Prof. Eliezer Rabinovici, the newly elected President of the CERN Council.
- **Our Friends' Perspective:** presented by Vice President for Advancement and External Relations, Ambassador Yossi Gal, Vice President for Strategy and Diversity, Professor Mona Khoury-Kassabri
A unique video in which our Friends around the world talk about how they feel the Hebrew University is creating a better world.
- **HUJI Talks**
 - 1. COVID-19 Research:**
Prof. Yaakov (Koby) Nahmias, *Animal-free drug development*
Prof. Isaiah (Shy) Arkin, *Targeted drug repurposing to curb COVID-19*
 - 2. The Hebrew University's New Center for Sustainability:**
Prof. Yael Mishael, *Introduction*
Dr. Itay Greenspan & Dr. Galit Cohen-Blankshtain
Prof. Zvi Peleg & Dr. Reut Barak-Weekes
 - 3. The Hebrew University's New Center for Ancient DNA: Where the Past Meets the Future**
Prof. Eran Meshorer, Prof. Liran Carmel, Prof. Erella Hovers

Recent nominations and concluding remarks by President of Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Prof. Asher Cohen

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18th

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Details of Event

What's New at the Hebrew University?

Join us for a tour of the new projects on our Jerusalem Campuses with Vice President and Director General Yishai Fraenkel

Rector's Plenary Session:

- Opening remarks by the Rector of the Hebrew University, Prof. Barak Medina
- **At the Frontiers of Science, for a Better World**
 1. Prof. Maya Tamir, Department of Psychology
 2. Prof. Uriel Levy, Department of Applied Physics
 3. Prof. Keren Weinshall, Faculty of Law

Our Friends' Perspective: Part Two

Vice President for Research & Development's Plenary Session

- Showcasing Hebrew University academic achievements, by Vice President for Research and Development, Prof. Re'em Sari.

Conferment of Awards:

- The Kaye Innovation Awards
- The Klachky Prize for the Advancement of the Frontiers of Science
- The Polonsky Prizes for Creativity and Originality in the Humanistic Disciplines
- The Prusiner-Abramsky Research Awards in Clinical and Basic Neuroscience by the Orion Foundation
- The Sir Zelman Cowen Universities Fund Prize for Discovery in Medical Research.

Our Friends' Perspective: Part Three

Concluding remarks by Mr. Daniel Schlessinger, Chairman of the Board of Governors

The event will be broadcast and recorded from the Ezequiel Liwerant Fomento Mexico Hall on Mt.Scopus
Live Stream via the Hebrew University's Facebook Page / YouTube / bog-2021.huji.ac.il/

