



הקורטוריון 2017 Board of Governors

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Each year, the worldwide Technion family gathers in Haifa to deliberate, celebrate, and share in the great discussion about science, technology, innovation, education, and the future of our institution, nation, and world.

Technion warmly welcomes our devoted governors and friends, and thanks them for their unwavering support.

Program Highlights

Shabbat Science – Promise of the Future:

A meeting with the next generation of researchers

State of the Technion: review of the past year by Technion President **Prof. Peretz Lavie**

Technion of Things: panel discussion moderated by **Prof. Deborah Estrin**, Associate Dean and Professor of Computer Science at Cornell Tech

Harvey Prize Ceremony

Recipients:

- Prof. Karl Deisseroth, USA**
 - Prof. Peter Hegemann, Germany**
 - Prof. Emer. Rainer (Rai) Weiss, USA**
 - Prof. Emer. Kip Stephen Thorne, USA**
 - Prof. Emer. Ronald (Ron) Drever*, USA**
- *awarded posthumously

Official Opening and Dedication of the Ronald S. and Jo Carole Lauder Student Dormitory

Plaque Unveiling of Dr Andrew and Aviva Goldenberg Architecture Studio Pavilion

Dedication of the Taub Family Terrace in the Henry and Marilyn Taub and Family Science and Technology Center

Technion, Israel, and the World in the 21st century:
A discussion on Fulfilling the Technion Vision

Adelis Foundation Brain Research Award Ceremony

Recipient: **Asst. Prof. Asya Rolls**, Ruth and Bruce Rappaport Faculty of Medicine

Panel: **Prof. Jackie Schiller** and **Prof. Rony Paz** - "New Horizons in Brain Research": Five years of collaboration between Technion and the Weizmann Institute, Supported by the Adelis Foundation

Yitzhak Modai Annual Lecture on Technology and Economics: Maj. Gen. (res.) Amos Yadlin

"Israel's National Security 2017: The Balance Sheet"

Student Project Fair:

Technion students in international competitions

Honorary Doctorate Conferment Ceremony

Responding on behalf of the recipients:

Prof. L. Rafael Reif, President of MIT

Honorary Fellowship Conferment Ceremony

Responding on behalf of the recipients:

Dr. Terry Gardner, USA

Academic Prizes and Awards

- Cooper Award for Excellence in Research
- Uzi and Michal Halevy Innovative Applied Engineering Awards & Research Grants
- Hilda and Hershel Rich Technion Innovation Awards
- Norman Seiden Prize for Academic Excellence
- Diane Sherman Prize for Medical Innovations for a Better World
- Henry Taub Prizes for Academic Excellence

Guest Speaker: **Yoram Yaacovi**, GM, Microsoft Israel R&D Center

Prof. Peretz Lavie
President

Lawrence Jackier
Chair, Board of Governors

Gideon Frank
Chair, Technion Council