Board of Governors – Information

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Please note:
Text in green – Events of the Board
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Wednesday, 14 May 2008
8:00 p.m.–10:00 p.m.  David Azrieli School of Architecture
Guest lecture: Dr. Santiago Calatrava SA
Recent Projects
Bar-Shira Auditorium

Thursday, 15 May 2008
5:00 p.m.–6:00 p.m.  Annual Lecture in Memory of Sheila and Yossi Carmel
Prof. Walter Benn Michaels, University of Illinois, Chicago Circle
Let Us Now Praise Famous (White) Men:
Race, Class and Photography
Malka Brender Hall of Justice, Trubowicz Building of Law
Reception hosted by the family in the Sheila and Yossi Carmel
Garden

6:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m.  60th Anniversary of the State of Israel:
In Recognition of the Latin American Pioneers
and Volunteers
Lecture: Dr. Marcos Aguinis, honorary doctor of TAU
El Orgullo de ser Judio
Miriam and Adolfo Smolarz Auditorium
The event will be held in Spanish

Friday, 16 May 2008
9:30 a.m.–11:30 a.m.  The Virginia L. Snitow Public Lecture Series
Women Studies Forum
Lecture: Prof. Mary-Claire King, Department of Medicine
School of Public Health and Community Medicine
University of Washington (Seattle)
In Her Own Way: Geneticist as Minstrel
Malka Brender Hall of Justice, Trubowicz Building of Law

12:00 noon–1:00 p.m.  Awarding of the Hugo Ramniceanu Prize in Economics
for 2008
Prize recipient: Sami Sagol, Chairman, Keter Plastics Ltd.
Marcelle Gordon University Club
The ceremony will be held in Hebrew with translation to French
Saturday, 17 May 2008

9:00 p.m.–11:30 p.m. **Honorary Degrees Conferment Ceremony**

in the presence of

Prof. Yuli Tamir, Minister of Education

Doctor Philosophiae Honoris Causa:

Eli Amir, Israel

Dr. Santiago Calatrava SA, Switzerland

Prof. Mary-Claire King, USA

Francis Minkoff, Switzerland

Sruel Prajs, Germany

Prof. Hilary Putnam, USA

Lea Koenig Stolper, Israel

Martin J. Whitman, USA

Prof. Elie Wiesel, USA

Honorary Fellowship:

Yehiel Ben-Zvi, Israel

John Landerer, CBE AM, Australia

Alan Selwyn, Australia

Response on behalf of the recipients:

Prof. Hilary Putnam

Ceremony in the Miriam and Adolfo Smolarz Auditorium followed by reception in the Kuky and Sergio Grosskopf Family Foyer

*Dress code: dark suit*

(By invitation only)

Ceremony will be broadcast live:

http://video.tau.ac.il/Honorary Degrees-08
Sunday, 18 May 2008

11:00 a.m.–12:00 noon  **Inauguration of the Cellular Molecular Imaging Laboratory**
donated by the Argentinean Friends of Tel Aviv University
Sackler Faculty of Medicine (021)

11:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.  **Unveiling Ceremony**
*Francis and Marie-France Minkoff Wing, W.A. Minkoff Building,*
followed by
**Inauguration Ceremony of the Francis and Marie-France Minkoff Wing, W.A. Minkoff Building**
Lecture: **Justice Hanan Melcer**, Supreme Court of Israel
**Precedents and Comparative Law**
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2:30 p.m.–3:30 p.m.  **Inauguration of the Lois and Martin J. Whitman Scholarship Fund**
Lecture: **Prof. Daniel Bar-Tal**, Jaime and Joan Constantiner School of Education
*Is It Possible to Build Coexistence between Jews and Arabs in the State of Israel in the Present Political Climate?*
Marcelle Gordon University Club

2:30 p.m.–3:30 p.m.  **Awarding of Prizes in Computer Science:**
*Celia and Marcos Maus Prizes and the Jorge Deutsch Prize*
Wladimir Schreiber Building of Mathematical Sciences, Maus Multipurpose Computer Laboratory

3:00 p.m.–5:00 p.m.  **Conference**
*Israel and the French Intellectuals: Between Admiration and Reprobation*
French Department, Lester and Sally Entin Faculty of Humanities in collaboration with the Embassy of France in Israel
Dan David Building (003)
The conference continues on Monday 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.–4:30 p.m.  **Dedication of the Sverdlin Institute for Latin American History and Culture**  
Lecture: **Dr. Gerardo Leibner**, Director of the Institute  
*La Investigación Académica y La Tradición Intelectual Latinoamericana*  
Marcelle Gordon University Club  
Lecture in Spanish

4:30 p.m.–5:30 p.m.  **Awarding of the Dr. Jaime Constantiner Prize in Jewish Education**  
Prize recipient: **Bina Center for Jewish Identity and Hebrew Culture, Israel**  
Lecture: **Muki Tsur**, *From "Tarbut" to Israeli Culture*  
Marcelle Gordon University Club

6:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m.  **Awarding of the Michel Kikoïne Prize**  
Michel Kikoïne Foundation

8:00 p.m.–10:30 p.m.  **Festive Concert Marking Israel's 60th Anniversary**  
Israel Philharmonic Orchestra and the Buchmann-Mehta School of Music Symphony Orchestra  
Conducted by **Zubin Mehta**  
*Mahler – Symphony no. 1 in D major "Titan***  
Frederick R. Mann Auditorium, Tel Aviv  
(By invitation only)
Monday, 19 May 2008

9:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.  **Annual symposium and presentation of the 2008 Prize of the Renata Adler Memorial Research Center for Child Welfare and Protection**
Bob Shapell School of Social Work (001)

10:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m.  **Inauguration of the Prajs-Drimmer Institute for the Development of Anti-Degenerative Drugs**
Lecture: **Prof. Yoel Kloog**, Dean, George S. Wise Faculty of Life Sciences; Head of the Institute
*The Novel Drug Salirasib: First Clinical Trials for Cancer and Degenerative Diseases*
Marcelle Gordon University Club

10:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m.  **Research Presentation** by **Prof. Israel Hershkovitz**
Incumbent of the Tassia and Dr. Joseph Meychan Chair for the History and Philosophy of Medicine; Head, Dan David Laboratory for the Search and Study of Modern Humans
*The History of the People in the Land of Israel as Reflected in Anthropological Research*
Dan David Laboratory for the Search and Study of Modern Humans, Sackler Faculty of Medicine (basement)

10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.  **Research Presentation** by **Prof. Chaim G. (Chagi) Pick**
Chairman, Department of Anatomy and Anthropology
**Dr. Shaul Schreiber**, Director, Division of Psychiatry, Tel Aviv-Sourasky Medical Center
*Blast Injuries: From the Experimental Lab to the War Against Terror*
Sackler Faculty of Medicine (644)

10:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m.  **Achbar Hazahav** – The Israeli Virtual Olympics for Youth
Finals and Award Ceremony
The Unit for Science Oriented Youth
Jaime and Joan Constantiner School of Education
Jacob and Shoshana Schreiber Square

10:00 a.m.–2:30 p.m.  **Symposium with Sir Tom Stoppard**, 2008 Dan David Prize laureate
*Arcadia – An Intertextual View*
Fastlicht Auditorium, Mexico Building
11:00 a.m.–12:00 noon  
**Inauguration of the Sylvia Winnikow Fellowship for Environmental Research in cooperation with Keren Kayemeth LeIsrael - Jewish National Fund**

Lecture: **Prof. Yehuda Benayahu**, Head, Porter School of Environmental Studies

*Coastal Marine Environment: Open Space to Be Preserved*

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12:00 noon–1:00 p.m.  
**Cornerstone Laying of the Chella and Moise Safra Building, Student City**

12:00 noon–1:00 p.m.  
**A Cup of Coffee with the TAU Student Union**

Come hear our vision for life on campus and about activities for students by students!

Garden, Bob Shapell School of Social Work

2:00 p.m.–3:00 p.m.  
**Awarding of the Sergio Grywac Prize for Jewish-Arab Relations in the State of Israel**

Peretz Naftali Building of Social Sciences, Dean's Office (305)

2:30 p.m.–3:30 p.m.  
**Women and Gender at Tel Aviv University**

Lecture: **Sara Lee Schupf**, Philanthropist, Science Advocate, Director, Lubin Family Foundation

*In Her Own Way: Philanthropy Is Empowering*

**Awarding of the Mia Fischer Scholarship**

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3:30 p.m.–5:30 p.m.  
**Awarding of the Raymond and Beverly Sackler Prize in the Physical Sciences**

Research Field for 2008: Physics beyond the Standard Model in the LHC Era

Prize recipient: **Prof. Nima Arkani-Hamed**, School of Natural Sciences, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, New Jersey, USA

Boris and Lena Melamed Auditorium, Arieh and Rivka Shenkar Building of Physics

5:00 p.m.–6:30 p.m.  
**Annual Conference of the Max Perlman Center for Global Business** and  
**Presentation of the 2008 Max Perlman Award for Excellence in Global Business Management**

Faculty of Management – Leon Recanati Graduate School of Business Administration (405)
6:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m. **Annual Award Ceremony for Scholarships in Music in Memory of Isaac (Iche) Baron**
Buchmann-Mehta School of Music, Clairmont Auditorium

6:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m. **Awarding of Scholarships of the Yoran-Sznycer Research Fund in Jewish History**
in memory of their parents, Hanna and Shmuel Sznycer-Reichert
Chaim Rosenberg School of Jewish Studies, Hall 001

**The Dan David Prizes 2008**

7:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m. Reception hosted by the Dan David Foundation
8:00 p.m.–10:00 p.m. **Awarding Ceremony**
in the presence of
**Shimon Peres**, President of the State of Israel

Prize laureates:
Past Time Dimension: Creative Rendering of the Past – Literature, Theater, Film
**Amos Oz**, Israel
**Sir Tom Stoppard**, UK
**Atom Egoyan**, Canada

Present Time Dimension: Social Responsibility with Particular Emphasis on the Environment
**Al Gore**, USA

Future Time Dimension: Geosciences
**Ellen Moseley-Thompson**, USA
**Lonnie G. Thompson**, USA
**Geoffrey Eglinton**, UK

Miriam and Adolfo Smolarz Auditorium
Reception in the Kuky and Sergio Grosskopf Family Foyer
*(By invitation only)*
Tuesday, 20 May 2008

9:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m. Symposium with the participation of the 2008 Dan David Prize laureates in Geosciences
The Past as a Clue to the Future
Malka Brender Hall of Justice, Trubowicz Building of Law

9:30 a.m.–11:00 a.m. Annual John Gandel Symposium – The Middle East
Chairman: Prof. Eyal Zisser, Director, Moshe Dayan Center for Middle Eastern and African Studies
Marcelle Gordon University Club

9:30 a.m.–6:00 p.m. Conference organized by CRIF in cooperation with the French Friends of TAU
Claire and Emanuel G. Rosenblatt Auditorium, Wolfson Building for Computer and Software Engineering

10:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m. Master Class for Chamber Music
Prof. Sigfried Mauser, Piano, Germany
Prof. Nachum Ehrlich, Violin, Israel/Germany
Buchmann-Mehta School of Music, Clairmont Auditorium

10:00 a.m.–2:30 p.m. Performance
Rosencrantz and Guildenstern Are Dead
in honor of Sir Tom Stoppard, 2008 Dan David Prize laureate
Dan David Prize in cooperation with the Theater Department, Yolanda and David Katz Faculty of the Arts, and the Cameri Theater
The Cameri Theater Hall
(By invitation only)

12:00 noon–1:00 p.m. Lecture: Atom Egoyan, 2008 Dan David Prize laureate for the Past Time Dimension:
Creative Rendering of the Past in Film
In Other Words: Poetic Licence and the Incarnation of History – Atom Egoyan’s Reflection on Ararat
Bar-Shira Auditorium

2:15 p.m.–3:30 p.m. Research Presentation
Prof. Shamgar Ben-Eliyahu, Neuroimmunology
Research Unit, Department of Psychology, Gershon H. Gordon Faculty of Social Sciences
Preventing Cancer Metastases Following Surgical Removal of a Primary Tumor
Sharett Building of Education (214)
2:00 p.m.–4:00 p.m.  

**Tour of TAU Research Laboratories in Renewable Energy**  
with **Prof. Hagit Messer-Yaron**, Vice President for Research and Development  

*Micro and Nano Fabrication Facilities Serving Renewable Energy*  
**Dr. Yael Hanein and Prof. Ori Cheshnovsky**  
TAU Micro and Nano Central Characterization and Fabrication Facility  
Iby and Aladar Fleischman Faculty of Engineering and the Center for Nanoscience and Nanotechnology  

**Biofuel from Desert Plants**  
**Prof. Amram Eshel and Prof. Yoav Waisel**  
Department of Plant Sciences  
George S. Wise Faculty of Life Sciences  

*Novel Nano-Photovoltaic Cells Composed of Photosynthetic Reaction Center Proteins*  
**Prof. Chanoch Carmeli**  
Department of Biochemistry  
George S. Wise Faculty of Life Sciences  

**Fuel Cells and Batteries Laboratory**  
**Prof. Emanuel Peled**  
Raymond and Beverly Sackler School of Chemistry, Raymond and Beverly Sackler Faculty of Exact Sciences  

**Solar Energy Laboratory**  
**Prof. Abraham Kribus**  
School of Mechanical Engineering, Iby and Aladar Fleischman Faculty of Engineering  
Tour departs from the Marcelle Gordon University Club  

3:00 p.m.–4:00 p.m.  

**Awarding of the Deutsch Annual Prizes in Computer Science**  
Wladimir Schreiber Building of Mathematical Sciences (309)
5:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m. **Awarding of the Dan David 2008 Young Researchers Scholarships** and the **Name Your Hero Youth Competition Award** in the presence of **Prof. Yuli Tamir**, Minister of Education and the 2008 Dan David Prize Laureates
Bar-Shira Auditorium

5:00 p.m.–6:30 p.m. Announcement of the Public Council, Stephen Roth Institute for the Study of Contemporary Anti-Semitism and Racism
Lecture: **Prof. Elie Wiesel**, Honorary President of the Council and TAU honorary doctor
*The Memory of the Holocaust on Israel’s 60th Anniversary*
Cymbalista Jewish Heritage Center

8:00 p.m.–9:30 p.m. **International Conference:**
*Renewable Energy and Beyond*
Opening ceremony
in the presence of
**Shimon Peres**, President of the State of Israel
Lecture: **Al Gore**, Former US Vice President, Laureate of the 2007 Nobel Peace Prize and 2008 Dan David Prize
Miriam and Adolfo Smolarz Auditorium
*(By invitation only)*

Event will be broadcast live:
http://video.tau.ac.il/AlGore-08

**Auditorium doors will close at 7:50 p.m.**
Wednesday, 21 May 2008

9:30 a.m.–7:00 p.m. **International Conference: Renewable Energy and Beyond**
Bar-Shira Auditorium
Conference will be held in English with translation to Hebrew
Conference will be broadcast live:
http://video.tau.ac.il/RenewableEnergy-08

12:30 p.m.–1:30 p.m. **Meitar Fellows – Announcement and Presentations**
Center for Advanced Legal Studies
Buchmann Faculty of Law, Francis and Marie-France Minkoff Wing, Minkoff Building

5:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m. **Performance:**
**Laundry on the Roof**
Community Theater Group of the Parent and Child Center in Jaffa;
Psychological Services Unit, Ruth and Allen Ziegler Student Services Division
Sponsored by Faigie and Rubin Zimmerman and the Price-Brodie Initiative in Jaffa
Schottlander Hall, Isaac and Rosa Gilman Building of Humanities (140)
Thursday, 22 May 2008

5:00 p.m.–6:00 p.m.  
Awarding of the 2008 Stockholm Junior Water Prize Israel  
Wolfson Building for Computer and Software Engineering,  
Claire and Emanuel G. Rosenblatt Auditorium

6:30 p.m.–10:00 p.m.  
Graduation ceremony of the New York State/American Program, Sackler Faculty of Medicine  
Miriam and Adolfo Smolarz Auditorium

Exhibitions

Rembrandt, Full Size Reproductions  
Genia Schreiber University Art Gallery  
Sun-Tues: 11:00 a.m.–7:00 p.m.

Childhood on the Kibbutz, Photo Exhibition  
Bob Shapell School of Social Work