Reinforce **Israeli society** by ensuring **Israeli discoveries** remain **Israeli**
Dear Governors and Friends,

Our upcoming Board of Governors meeting promises to be a defining moment in Tel Aviv University’s 54-year existence. Members from Israel and abroad will decide upon important constitutional changes that will determine not only the future scope of Board engagement with the University, but also the balance of powers within TAU’s governance structure.

These deliberations will feed the first theme of the 2010 meeting: Academic Leadership. We need to define goals for reaching academic eminence and rally around them, both collectively and individually.

Leadership goes shoulder-to-shoulder with our second theme – Young Faculty Recruitment. We’ll be launching a new, three-year international campaign to bring back to Israel 60 of the very best young Israeli researchers who are working abroad today. We view “brain gain” as vitally important for securing Israel’s academic, scientific and technological edge.

To move these initiatives forward, we need to hear your ideas and receive your wise counsel. We’re counting on seeing you this May.

Sincerely,

Mr. Robert Goldberg
Chairman, Board of Governors

Prof. Joseph Klafter
President
Registration Fee

The registration fees for attendees are as follows:

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First-time attendees are not required to pay the fee; we would, however, be delighted if they would volunteer to pay it.

Please note: The registration fee can only be paid online

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› To register for the Annual Board Meeting
› To book your hotel
› To reserve your place at events
Bringing Israel's brightest minds home

Strengthening Israel's image as a leading contributor to world science and culture
Shabbat Home Hospitality  
**Friday, May 7**  
Israeli TAU Board members, faculty and friends welcome overseas guests to celebrate Shabbat dinner at their homes

Honorary Degrees Conferment Ceremony  
**Saturday, May 8**

Plenary Sessions  
**Sunday, May 9 - Reports, Constitution Reform**  
**Tuesday, May 11 - Resolutions**

Dan David Prize  
**Sunday, May 9**  
For the year 2010 the Dan David Prize will be awarded in the following fields:  
*Past:* March Toward Democracy  
*Present:* Literature - Rendition of the 20th Century  
*Future:* Computers and Communication

Gandel Forum  
**Tuesday, May 11**  
Detailed briefing on the current Middle East situation by experts from Tel Aviv University and the Israeli political scene

Inaugurations of Major University Projects
Young Faculty Recruitment

Encounter with TAU's Rising Academic Stars

Monday, May 10

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This event will enable you to meet some of our most recent recruits as they embark on promising research careers across the campus.

Arts
- Architecture
- Music
- Film and Television

Engineering
- Biomedical Engineering
- Digital Images
- Communication Technology

Exact Sciences
- Cryptography and Computer Security
- Computational Biology
- Sugar Chemistry and Biology

Humanities
- Urban Design
- Holocaust Studies
- Archaeology

Law
- Law, Culture and Humanities
- Employment, Labor and Welfare Law
- Legal Clinics

Life Sciences
- Nano-Biotechnology
- Structural Biology
- Cancer Research

Management
- Behavioral Laboratory
- Consumer Patterns
- Workplace and Health

Medicine
- Stem Cell Research
- Neurodegenerative Diseases
- Diabetes

Social Sciences
- Labor Economics and Macroeconomics
- Immunology and Mental Disorders
- Compulsive Gambling

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