

VISIT TO TECHNION – ISRAEL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

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INITIATED BY MRS. MURIEL TOUATY, GENERAL DIRECTOR

TECHNION FRANCE

## Saturday, May 12, 2018

20:00 Private dinner (place for venue to be advised) – with the participation of **Technion faculty members**. Greetings and overview of the Technion by **Prof. Wayne Kaplan**, Executive Vice President for Research.

## Sunday, May 13, 2017

*Accompanied by: Undergraduate students*

8:15-08:45 Travel from the Dan Carmel Hotel to the Technion's Visitors Center

08:30-08:40 **Group Photo** (outside the Visitors Center)

09:00-10:45 Panel: ***Entrepreneurship and Research: Educating future engineers and scientists***

Part 1 - Learn about Technion's innovation and entrepreneurship programs from the founders, Managers and Students: **Prof. Emeritus Mia Erez**, **Dr. Dana Sheffer**, Executive Director, Bronica Entrepreneurship Center, Students and Alumni (Biztech, Start Up MBA, Seeds for Innovation, Paris Project ...)

Part 2 - Introduction and short overview of the Technion Technology Transfer (T<sup>3</sup>) activities and the Technion DRIVE by **Mr. Benjamin Soffer**, CEO Drive  
Questions and answers, discussion and concluding remarks

10:45-11:15 Coffee break

11:30-12:30 **Start-ups** (founded by Technion researchers and students) **Fair**  
Exact place to be advised  
Such as Augury (Listen to machines, Biztech student), Moovin (founded by MBA Alumni), Breezometer, EXO (start up MBA Alumni)

12:30-13:30 Short greetings by **Prof. Peretz Lavie**, President, followed by buffet lunch with the participation of **faculty members, panel members, start-ups and students**

- 13:30-13:45 Overview of the **Intelligent Learning Systems Center** by **Prof. Shie Mannor**, Head and member of the Faculty of Electrical Engineering.
- 14:00-16:30 **On-site visits to faculties and research centers:** the delegation will break up into 4 groups to learn about latest research advances in the fields of:
1. **Track 1: Smart Cities/Autonomous Vehicles**  
*Accompanied by: Undergraduate student/s (TBA)*
  2. **Track 2: Medtech/E-health**  
*Accompanied by: Undergraduate student/s (TBA)*
  3. **Fintech and Insurance**  
*Accompanied by: Undergraduate student/s (TBA)*
  4. **Environment** (Water, Energy, Agriculture)  
*Accompanied by: Undergraduate student/s (TBA)*
- 16:30-17:00 Transportation back to the Dan Carmel Hotel
- 17:00-19:00 Free time at the Dan Carmel
- 19:00-19:45 Panel with Technion Alumni: "From Technion to Start-up to Exit"  
**Mr. Assaf Rappaport, Microsoft**  
**Dr. Kira Radinsky, E-Bay**  
**Ms. Nafa Bshara and/or Mr. Bilitz Harbuia, Anapurna**
- 20:00 **Festive Dinner** at the Rondo, Dan Carmel Hotel with the participation of:  
*Accompanied by: Undergraduate student/s (TBA)*  
*Master of Ceremony: Mrs. Muriel Touaty, General Director, Technion France Association*
- From the Technion:  
**Prof. Peretz Lavie**, President and **Dr. Lena Lavie**;  
**Prof. Wayne Kaplan**, Executive Vice President for Research and **Dr. Marielle Kaplan**;  
**Distinguished Prof. Moti Segev**, Faculty of Physics  
**Mr. Assaf Rappaport**, Microsoft  
**Dr. Kira Radinsky**, E-Bay  
**Ms. Nafa Bshara and/or Mr. Bilitz Harbuia**, Anapurna
- Special guests – To be confirmed:  
**Mrs. Rebecca Boukhris**, Administrator, Adelis Foundation and **Mr. Sidney Boukhris**  
**Mr. Nathaniel Boukhris**  
**Mr. Jonathan Lumbroso**
- From the French Embassy in Israel:  
**H.E. Ms. Helene Le Gal**, Ambassador  
**Mrs. Catherine Crosnier**, Consul of France in Haifa  
**Mr. Pierre Grandjouan**, Economic Counsellor, Head of Economic Unit  
**Mr. Sebastien Linden**, Science & Technology Attaché

*From Haifa Municipality:*  
**Mr. Yona Yahav**, Mayor

Overnight at the Dan Carmel hotel

**Monday, May 14, 2017**

Breakfast and check out

*Accompanied by: Undergraduate student/s (TBA)*

08:20-09:00 Travel from the Dan Carmel Hotel to Ruth & Bruce Rappaport Faculty of Medicine

09:00-10:25 Visit to the Ruth & Bruce Rappaport Faculty of Medicine

09:00-09:30 Meet **Prof. Shimon Marom**, Dean (14<sup>th</sup> floor, meeting room)

09:45-10:25 The delegation will split into 3 groups for lab visits

**Group I**

09:45-10:25 Lab involved in regenerative medicine

**Group II**

09:45-10:25 Lab involved in stem cells research

**Group III**

09:45-10:25 Lab involved in cancer research (TICC)

10:30-11:30 Travel to a high-Tech/Industry :

11:30-13:00 Visit to either AMAZON, Incubator (Ramat Ha Rial) or INFINIDAT

13:15-14:45 Transportation to **Ben Gurion Airport**, with light snacks

17:15 Departure EL AL flight to Paris