

## 43rd Board Meeting - Program

**Monday, May 6, 2013**

8:00 a.m.

### **Finance Committee Meeting**

Chairpersons: Eric Charles, UK; Micha Dapht, Israel

*W.A. Minkoff Senate Hall*

9:00 a.m.

### **Optional tour of the Ilse Katz Institute for Nanoscale Science and Technology**

Learn how materials characterization is helping identify the lost paintings of Vincent van Gogh

10:00 a.m.

### **Opening Plenary Session of the 43<sup>rd</sup> Board of Governors Meeting**

Addresses:

Alexander M. Goren, Chairman of the Board of Governors

Prof. Rivka Carmi, President

Prof. Zvi HaCohen, Rector

Greetings:

Ruvik Danilovich, Mayor of Beer-Sheva

Guest of Honor: Prof. Amos Oz

Announcement of the recipients of the Fifth Goldstein-Goren International Prize for the Most Important Book in Jewish Thought, 2010-2012

*Joya Claire Sonnenfeldt Auditorium*

12:00 p.m.

### **Working lunch for Board members with President Rivka Carmi**

*Barkan Conference Hall, Zlotowski Student Administration Building*

*(By invitation only)*

2:30 p.m.

### **Dedication of Fanny's House – WIZO Day Care Center – Ben-Gurion University**

Remarks:

Fanny Hohn, Venezuela

Prof. Rivka Carmi, BGU President

Helena Glaser, Honorary President, World WIZO

*Zlotowski Dormitory Complex*

4:30 p.m.

### **Happy Hour with the Student Union**

Sponsored by AABGU members Eric Benhamou, Arline and Ben Guefen, Micky Rahav,

Harriet Soffa, Aileen Whitman

*Zlotowski Student Center*

*(By invitation only)*

6:30 p.m.

### **Ceremony welcoming new members of the Ben-Gurion Society and recognizing the University's most loyal supporters**

#### **Followed by a buffet dinner**

*Plaza adjacent to the Ben-Gurion Wall*

*(By invitation only)*

9:00 p.m.

**BGU salutes Beer-Sheva's cultural institutions** with a gala performance of Carmina Burana, choreographed by Tamir Ginz, with the Kamea Dance Company and the Israel Sinfonietta Beer-Sheva  
*Beer-Sheva Performing Arts Center*

**(By invitation only)**

## **Tuesday, May 7, 2013**

9:00 a.m.

### **Naming of the Lillian and Larry Goodman Open Apartments Program**

in the presence of Larry Goodman, USA, and family  
*155-161 Rager Boulevard*

10:00 a.m.

### **Presentation of the University's Year in Review to the Board of Governors**

*W.A. Minkoff Senate Hall*

11:30 a.m.

### **Annual Zlotowski Lecture**

#### **Welcome to the World of Personalized Medicine**

by Prof. Patrick Aebischer, President, Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL)  
in the presence of Suzanne Zlotowski, UK, and Adelene Zlotowski, Israel  
Moderator: Prof. Alon Friedman, Director, Zlotowski Center for Neuroscience  
*W.A. Minkoff Senate Hall*

2:00 p.m.

### **Panel Discussion: : Women Entrepreneurs – What Makes Them Successful?**

with Cherie Blair CBE, founder of The Cherie Blair Foundation for Women; Dr. Amal Ayoub, founder and CEO, Metallo-Therapy Ltd.; Jacky Roth, founder of a clothing company for post-mastectomy women;

Frederick Granit, business development consultant and international mentor at the Cherie Blair Foundation; Prof. Dafna Schwartz, Director of The Bengis Center for Entrepreneurship and Hi-Tech Management, Guilford Glazer Faculty of Business & Management

Moderator: Dana Weiss, investigative reporter

*Abraham Ben David Ohayon Behavioral Sciences Complex*

4:00 p.m.

### **Irene and Hyman Kreitman Annual Memorial Lecture**

#### **My Jerusalem – A Family Story**

by Israeli author Meir Shalev

The lecture will be in Hebrew, with simultaneous translation into English

*Abraham Ben David Ohayon Behavioral Sciences Complex*

7:30 p.m.

### **Conferment Ceremony of Honorary Doctoral Degrees**

Recipients: Prof. Patrick Aebischer, Switzerland; Cherie Blair CBE, UK;

Prof. Yehoshua Blau, Israel; Prof. Mario Capecchi, USA;

Ruth Flinkman-Marandy, USA; Prof. Robert Langer, USA

Presentation of the Lifetime Achievement Award to Bertie Lubner, South Africa

*Kreitman Plaza*

The ceremony will be followed by a reception in the Udi Garden

## **Wednesday, May 8, 2013**

10:30 a.m.

### **Dedication of the Swiss Institute for Dryland Environmental and Energy Research**

#### **Dedication of the Bona Terra Department of Man in the Desert**

#### **Dedication of the Alexandre Yersin Department of Solar Energy and**

#### **Environmental Physics**

Remarks: H.E. Andreas Baum, Ambassador of Switzerland to Israel ;

Michel Halpérin, President, Swiss Associates;

Daniel Guggenheim, President, Bona Terra Foundation

Moderator: Prof. Pedro Berliner, Director, Jacob Blaustein Institutes for Desert Research

*George Evens Family Auditorium*

Followed by the unveiling of the plaques and tours of the Institute

7:15 p.m.

### **Chairman's Gala**

Sponsored by the Israeli Friends of BGU

(By invitation only)

## **Thursday, May 9, 2013**

9:00 a.m.

### **Chairman's Council Meeting**