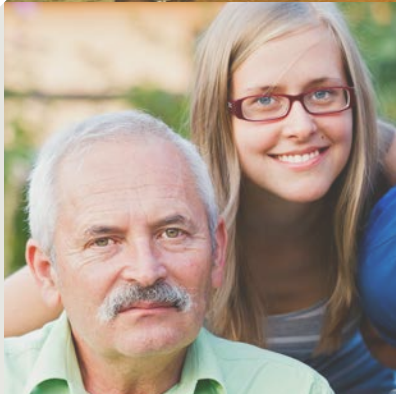
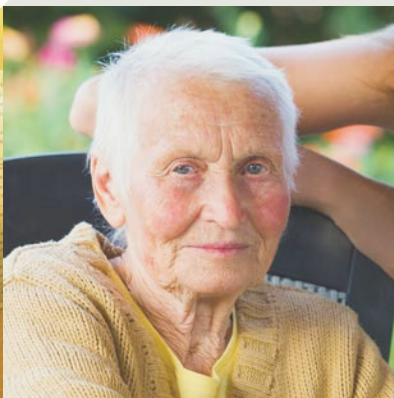
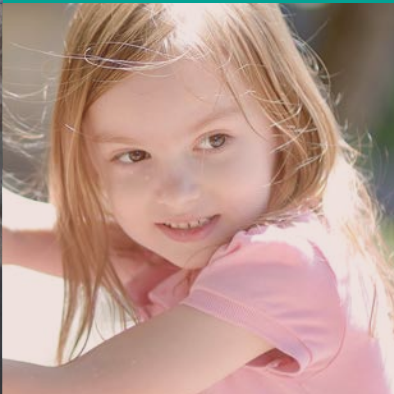




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The year was 1918. The first stone was laid. For years a dream of a university in the future State of Israel percolated throughout Europe amongst some of the world's greatest thinkers. Einstein. Buber. Bialik. Weizmann. Freud. That dream became a reality. In 1925 the doors opened, igniting generations of creative thinkers and innovators.

For the first time in history, the establishment of a university set the stage for the creation of a State. Einstein foresaw that the success of the State would be dependent on its ability to produce a cadre of intellectuals and experts. Lawyers, doctors, philosophers and scientists contributed their knowledge and ingenuity to form the backbone of the University, ultimately creating the blueprint for a nation.

In the decades that followed, Hebrew University, true to Einstein's vision, swiftly rose in the ranks and gained international recognition. Today, the Hebrew University stands as one of the best and most innovative research institutions in the world. It is home to inspirational educators who provide us with knowledge about the world around us, and brilliant scientists who create cutting-edge innovations that improve and save lives.

The University is fulfilling the dream of Einstein and others who dared to imagine its power to create a thriving Jerusalem and a vibrant Israel, and to find solutions to the world's most complex problems. The Hebrew University's work impacts people across the globe: From the clean water we drink, to the medicine we take, to the car safety system that helps us get home from work.

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Hannah and her baby brother can safely drink water from public fountains while playing in the park every day.

Water pollution by organic contaminants is a growing global concern. Researchers in the Faculty have developed novel sorbents based on polymer-clay materials for the removal of pollutants from water.

The Robert H. Smith Faculty of Agriculture, Food and Environment is one of the most prestigious institutions worldwide for the study of agriculture, nutrition, and environmental quality. Among the world's leading faculties of sustainable agriculture and environmental conservation, and the only one of its kind in Israel, the Smith Faculty has developed groundbreaking innovations such as irrigation technologies, soil solarization, and long shelf-life vegetables. Israel, a country that is nearly two-thirds desert, thus effectively manages its limited water resources, and is a global pioneer in creating successful agricultural solutions for arid environments.

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Aaron's home orchard yielded an unusual abundance of fruit. This year he'll be able to taste them too.

Today there are approximately 198,000 Holocaust survivors in Israel, half of whom are struggling financially. As a result, many avoid costly dental treatments. In a student-led initiative, a program was established to provide free dental treatments to survivors. In addition to receiving essential medical training, students learn about the importance of a patient's history as critical to the rehabilitation process.

The Faculty of Dental Medicine was founded in 1953 by the Alpha Omega International Dental Fraternity. Israel's first dental school is the leading center for dental education, clinical care, research, product/technology development and community outreach. The Faculty provides dental services to over 400 patients per day, and is the only facility in Israel providing treatment for complex dental problems in children.

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The discovery of the Dead Sea Scrolls is one of the most important archeological finds of the 20th century and has revolutionized our understanding of human creation and the world.

The Institute of Archeology's excavations at major prehistoric and historic sites have shaped many of the current paradigms in Israeli archeology and contributed to a better understanding of past human behavior.

The Faculty of Humanities focuses on the scope of human civilization in the past and present, as expressed in language, literature, the visual and performing arts, culture, folklore, philosophy, religion, and history. Israel's first graduate school in the humanities, the Jack, Joseph and Morton Mandel School for Advanced Studies in the Humanities, fosters a dynamic and vibrant academic community, prioritizing intellectual interaction, and placing Jewish Studies within the broader fabric of Western and Eastern cultures.

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Layla just received notice that her claim for public housing in which she and her four children can live was accepted due to the work of the Legal Clinic.

The Clinical Legal Education Center applies the law as a vehicle for social change and advances justice for society's most vulnerable groups and individuals. The Center constitutes one of the leading clinical centers in the country, offering pro bono legal services to the most disadvantaged populations of Jerusalem and its surrounding areas, while teaching students the value of community service.

The Faculty of Law, Israel's first law school, is Israel's cornerstone of legal research and education. Classic legal research is conducted along with trailblazing programs in international law, multi-disciplinary studies and human rights research. Most leaders in the Israeli legal system, including past and present Supreme Court Justices, are graduates of the Faculty, as are many recipients of the prestigious Israel Prize in Law and Criminology. The Faculty is also home to the Minerva Center for Human Rights, the Center for the Study of Multiculturalism and Diversity, the Institute of Criminology, and the Israel Matz Institute for Jewish Law.

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Sarah is overcome with joy that she is recognized by her 86-year-old grandmother, who suffers from Alzheimer's disease.

Exelon, a drug developed at the Hebrew University Faculty of Medicine, is used to treat dementia caused by Alzheimer's or Parkinson's disease. The drug improves the function of nerve cells in the brain by preventing the breakdown of a chemical that is important for the processes of memory, thinking, and reasoning.

The Faculty of Medicine is an internationally acclaimed interdisciplinary research and teaching institution that is spearheading medical and pharmaceutical advances in critical areas such as cancer, diabetes, microbiology, infectious diseases, neurodegenerative diseases, immunology, developmental biology, drug design and delivery systems, biodesign and bioinformatics. The Faculty includes research institutes such as the Institute for Medical Research Israel-Canada, based in the School of Medicine, and the Institute for Drug Research, based in the School of Pharmacy, as well as the Sanford F. Kuvin Center for the Study of Infectious and Tropical Diseases, and the Lautenberg Center for Immunology and Cancer Research.

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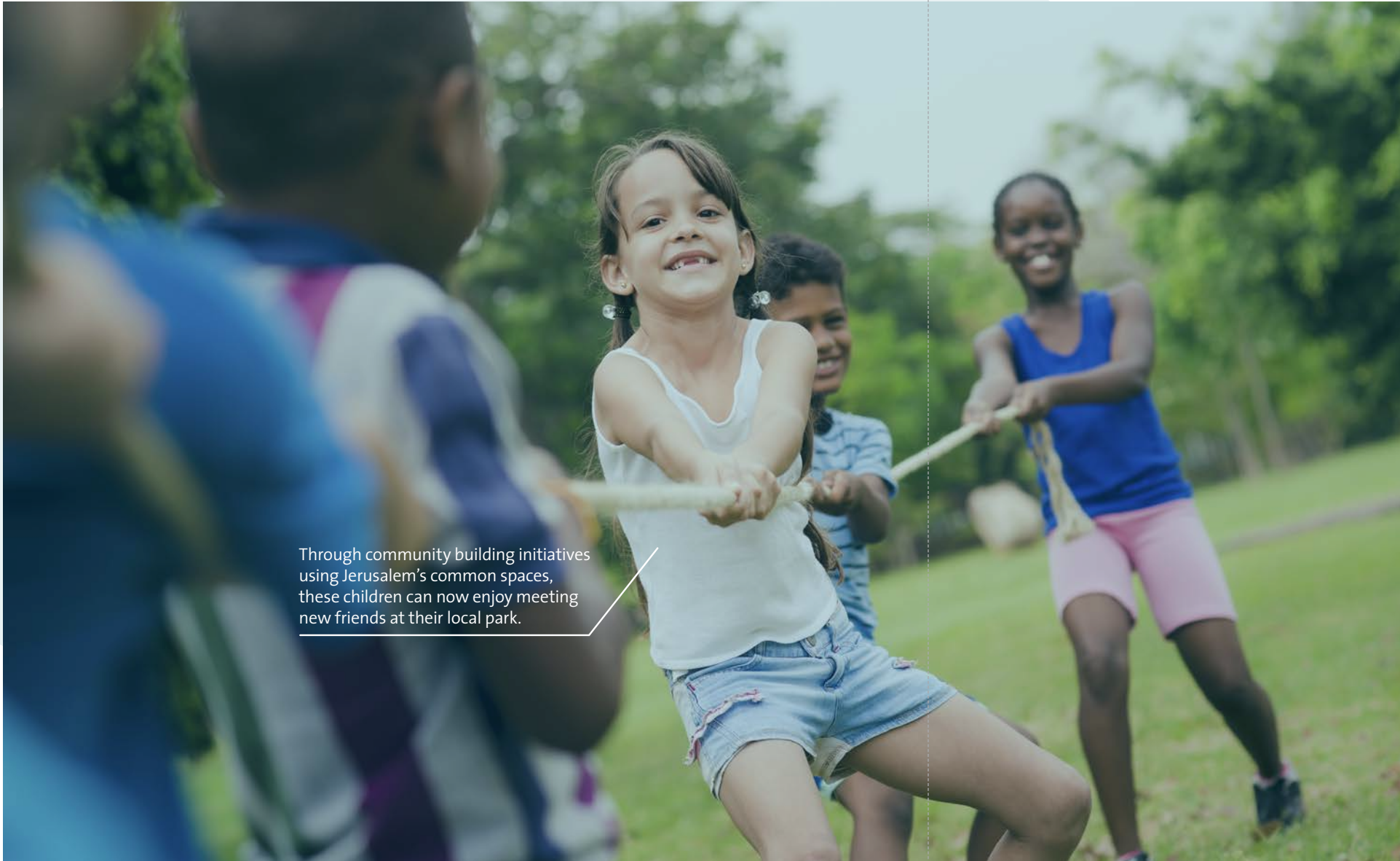


Today George will return safely home to his family, like any other day.

Mobileye is a vision-based advanced driver assistance system (ADAS) providing warnings for collision prevention and mitigation. It was initiated and developed at the Hebrew University's Faculty of Science.

The Faculty of Science is an Israeli leader in the research and teaching of both basic and applied science. It encompasses leading research institutes and teaching departments in the major fields of Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Life Sciences and Earth Sciences. Additionally, the Faculty incorporates many cutting-edge research centers active in diverse fields such as: Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, Applied Structural Biology, Marine Biogeochemistry, Computational Quantum Chemistry, Mathematical Analysis, and Molecular Dynamics.

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Through community building initiatives using Jerusalem's common spaces, these children can now enjoy meeting new friends at their local park.

The Urban Clinic works to equip the current and next generation of urban practitioners with effective tools and skills to make our cities more equitable and livable for all.

The Faculty of Social Sciences is made up of nine departments: Geography, International Relations, Economics, Political Science, Sociology and Anthropology, Statistics, Psychology, Communication and Journalism, the Federmann School of Public Policy and Government, and an inter-faculty program on Internet and Society. The Faculty is also home to Glocal, an international development master's program where students intern at an NGO in a developing country and learn how to advance communities around the world. The diversity that characterizes the Social Sciences presents a treasure trove of intriguing issues and contemporary subjects as well as questions and concerns that have been part of human society since its beginning.

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And more...

In addition to its seven Faculties, the Hebrew University has a wide array of Schools, Institutes and Centers in which vital teaching and research impact upon Israeli society and our world. The following reflect only a sampling of what Hebrew University offers:

The Jerusalem School of Business Administration (JSBA): Israel's premier academic business school, JSBA plays a central role in shaping the Start-Up Nation's business and management leadership ecosystem. The School internationally ranks as the top Israeli institution, and among the top 100 worldwide, and offers first-class undergraduate, graduate, executive, and international MBA programs. The School leverages the breadth of fields at the University by offering interdisciplinary programs with an emphasis on innovation, including: HUstart, Startup Science, BioDesign, East Asian Studies and Business, and Arts and Business.

The Paul Baerwald School of Social Work and Social Welfare: The School endeavors to further social justice and the personal and social wellbeing of individuals through path-breaking research, the training of leading professionals, and taking an active role in developing the social work profession. It works to support the development of social services and policies for individuals, families, groups, organizations and communities in Israel and across the globe.

The Seymour Fox School of Education: The School is a leader in academic instruction, training, and research. Faculty members advance new ways of thinking about education by using an interdisciplinary approach and taking into account today's social and cultural challenges.

The Edmond and Lily Safra Center for Brain Sciences: ELSC is Israel's foremost institute for interdisciplinary brain research and an intellectual powerhouse at the forefront of the revolution in neuroscience research. Through their strength in computational neuroscience, ELSC researchers work to better understand our mind. ELSC scientists are creating brain-machine interfaces that enable paralyzed patients to activate robotic limbs; developing treatment for Parkinson's patients; enabling the blind to see through sensory substitution devices; and developing therapies to ameliorate symptoms of Alzheimer's disease, among other innovations.

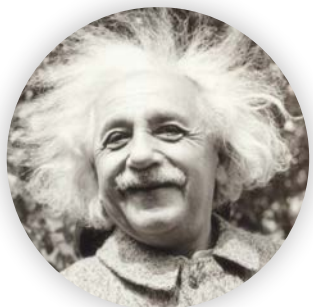
The Rothberg International School: Rothberg attracts more than 2,000 students annually from over 80 countries around the globe to its diverse undergraduate and graduate degree exchange programs. The School provides students with an opportunity to pursue intellectual challenges, connections to Israel, political analysis, and cultural activity.

The Koret School of Veterinary Medicine: Israel's only veterinary school and the only facility of its kind in the Middle East. The School builds bridges to peace through animal care, shares medical knowledge and offers joint research projects with countries and societies across the globe.

The Rachel and Selim Benin School of Computer Science and Engineering: The School maintains world-renowned excellence in research and is at the forefront of the technological revolution, with strength in Applied Physics and Biomedical Engineering. The School has had a substantial impact on the high-tech industry in Jerusalem and throughout Israel.

The Advanced School for Environmental Studies	School of Occupational Therapy	Braun School of Public Health and Community Medicine	School of Pharmacy
Institute of Criminology	Institute of Biochemistry, Food Science and Nutrition	The Robert H. Smith Institute of Plant Sciences and Genetics in Agriculture	International School of Agricultural Sciences
H. Steinitz Marine Biology Laboratory, in The Interuniversity Institute in Eilat	The Avraham Harman Institute of Contemporary Jewry	The Language, Logic and Cognition Center	Institute of Asian and African Studies
Jack, Joseph and Morton Mandel Institute of Jewish Studies	Federmann Center for the Study of Rationality	The Harry S. Truman Research Institute for the Advancement of Peace	The Vidal Sassoon International Center for the Study of Antisemitism

Our story in numbers



“A University is a place where the universality of the human spirit manifests itself.”

Albert Einstein, University Founder
written in “The Mission of Our University”

Picture: Photo by Trudi Dallos. Courtesy of the Albert Einstein Archives, Hebrew University of Jerusalem



We Are

6

Campuses

7

Faculties

14

Schools

315

Departments

973

Faculty members

23,000

Students



Technology Transfer

53 Years of transferring technologies

9,826 Patents

2,753 Inventions (150/year)

880 Licenses

120 Spin-off companies



Awards and Excellence

294 Israel Prizes

100 Rothschild Prizes

46 EMET Prizes

14 Wolf Prizes

8 Nobel Prizes

1 Fields Medal in Mathematics

1 Canada Gairdner International Award

1 Turing Award in Computer Science



Rankings

No. 1 in Israel

No. 87 Worldwide

No. 33 Mathematics

No. 51-75 Economics/Business



Research

>100 Research centers

3,442 Research projects

5 Affiliated hospitals

>1/3 of PhD students in Israel

43% of Israel's biotechnology research



Honoring the past, promising the future.

From top left: Lord Balfour declares the Hebrew University open, Mount Scopus, April 1, 1925; Robert Aumann accepting the Nobel Prize in Economic Sciences, 2005 (Photo: AFP); Biochemistry lab, 1935 (Photo: Orient Press); Electrophysiological experiment to record electrical brain activity, using noninvasive method; Albert Einstein and Dr. Chaim Weizmann during their 1921 trip to the US to raise funds for the establishment of the Hebrew University (Photo: Courtesy of Yad Chaim Weizmann, The Weizmann Archives, Rehovot, Israel); President Shimon Peres visiting Rehovot (Photo: Sasson Tiram); Caring for patients at the Koret Veterinary School (Photo: AG); Convocation ceremony conferring the degrees of Doctor of Philosophy and Honorary Doctorates (Photo: Miram Alster Flashgo); Stem cell and genetics research lab (Photo: AG).



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