



## BIG Ideas Don't take vacations...

Summer is when many of us take time off for a family vacation, or perhaps a Staycation, as times might dictate. But at Tel Aviv University, the search for BIG ideas continues all the time, so we thought we'd update you on some recent breakthroughs announced by TAU researchers this summer.

From a way to predict the spread of lung cancer to new nanotechnology that might restore the sense of touch for people who have lost it, and from the recent UN report on the climate crisis to the effects of mankind on bird extinction - you can learn about all the recent discoveries in the 'News and Updates' section below.

Plus, if you missed Cyber Week 2021, just head down to the 'Webinar Library' section of this email, where you can now watch all the events and panels, featuring top policymakers, cybersecurity experts and industry leaders - including the [Prime Minister of the State of Israel Hon Naftali Bennet](#), a tech expert himself, who drew his vision for the future of Israel's cyber defence.

Have a relaxing remaining few weeks of summer and we hope you will enjoy reading about TAU's latest big ideas!

Stay safe and Shabbat Shalom,

Cara G. Case  
Chief Executive

## News and Updates



### Breakthrough in the Battle Against Breast Cancer

Researchers at TAU's [Sackler Faculty of Medicine](#) discovered changes in lung tissues, that precede the spread of breast cancer cells, The Jpost reports.

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## UN Climate Change Report is a 'Code Red'

Prof Colin Price, Head of the [Dept of Environmental Studies](#) at TAU, talks to ILTV about the recent UN report, and how Israel can be a beacon in the fight against climate change.

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## New Study Offers Hope of Restoring Lost Sense of Touch

New Israeli nanotechnology will restore the sense of touch for people who have lost it due to injury or amputation, TAU scientists tell The Times Of Israel.

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## Humans Behind Extinction Of Hundreds Of Bird Species Over the Last 50,000 Years

TAU study found that about 10 to 20 percent of all known avian species have undergone a major extinction event, inflicted chiefly by humans, Forbes reports.

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## Top Policymakers and Experts at TAU's Cyber Week 2021

The 10th-anniversary edition of Cyber Week brought together Israel's Prime Minister Naftali Bennet with cybersecurity experts, industry leaders, startups, investors, academics, diplomats, and government officials.

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