

World Science Conference – Israel (WSCl)

August 16th – 21st, 2014

We are delighted to announce the World Science Conference – Israel (WSCl), to be held in Jerusalem, Israel, this coming summer. Initiated by Nobel Laureate Prof. Roger Kornberg (USA), in collaboration with the Hebrew University, the Ministry of Science and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the state of Israel, The WSCI will bring young students from all around the world for an intensive five day program. During the conference the participants will have a chance to attend lectures, to interact, and to be inspired by **20 Nobel Laureates** and other leading scientists from around the world. The students will also experience a unique opportunity to meet and get to know some 300 bright students from five continents all around the globe, among them, probably included some of the next generation leading scientists. The WSCI will take place at the Edmond J. Safra campus of the Hebrew University, Jerusalem, Israel. Among the lecturers are the following Nobel Laureates:

- *Zhores I. Alferov (Physics 2000)*
- *Sidney Altman (Chemistry 1989)*
- *Robert J. Aumann (Economic Sciences 2005)*
- *Elizabeth H. Blackburn (Physiology/Medicine 2009)*
- *Steven Chu (Physics 1997)*
- *Aaron Chiechanover (Chemistry 2004)*
- *Sheldon L. Glashow (Physics 1979)*
- *Roger D. Kornberg (Chemistry 2006)*
- *Richard J. Roberts (Physiology/Medicine 1993)*
- *Randy W. Schekman (Physiology/Medicine 2013)*
- *Harold W. Kroto (Chemistry 1996)*
- *Yuan T. Lee (Chemistry 1986)*
- *Myerson Roger B. (Economic Sciences 2007)*
- *Prusiner Stanley B. (Physiology/Medicine 1997)*
- *David J. Gross (Physics 2004)*
- *James E. Rothman (Physiology/Medicine 2013)*
- *Hershko Avram (Chemistry 2004)*
- *Thomas C. Südhof (Physiology/Medicine 2013)*
- *Arieh Warshal (Chemistry 2013)*
- *Dan Schechtman (Chemistry 2011)*

Modeled after the Lindau Science Meeting which has been held in Germany for more than half a century, and the decade old Asian Science Camp (ASC) the WSCI will provide a unique platform for inspiration, dialogue and discussion between promising young talents and attending Nobel Laureates and Eminent Scientists. It will also help to develop international friendships and cooperation among students from all over the world and focuses on excellent 17-21 years old students.

The **WSCl** will be held in conjunction with the **Nobel Conference for Science & Technology**, an international gathering to be held in Israel at the same time, in which the twenty Nobel Laureates, alongside with leaders of government, industry and academy will speak about current developments and future directions for the benefit of mankind.

Both the WSCI and the Nobel Conference are unprecedented events in regard to the number of Nobel Laureates participating. As such, the WSCI will offer the young participants a unique opportunity for inspiration and "once in a life time experience".

