

WOLF PRIZE SYMPOSIUM

Wednesday, June 25, 2025

The Richard S. Ziman Family Auditorium,

The Robert H. Smith Faculty of Agriculture, Food and Environment

09:00-09:30

Reception

09:30-10:00

Opening remarks:

Prof. Saul Burdman, Dean, The Robert H. Smith Faculty of Agriculture, Food and Environment, HUJI

Prof. Benny Chefetz, Director General, Volcani Institute

Ms. Reut Inon-Berman, Wolf Foundation, CEO

10:00-12:00

Session I Plant Immunity

10:00-10:30 **Prof. Jonathan D. G. Jones**, Wolf Prize Laureate, University of East Anglia
(UEA) / Sainsbury Lab

10:30-11:00 **Prof. Brian J. Staskawicz**, Wolf Prize Laureate, Department of Plant
and Microbial Biology, U.C. Berkeley

11:00-11:15 **Prof. Asaph Aharoni**, Plant and Environmental Sciences,
Weizmann Institute of Science

11:15-11:30 **Prof. Maya Bar**, Life science dept. BGU

11:30-11:45 **Dr. Doron Teper**, Institute of Plant Protection, Volcani Institute

11:45-12:00 **Prof. Michal Oren-Shamir**, Institute of Plant Sciences, Volcani Institute

12:00-13:00 Lunch Break

13:00-15:00

Session II Plant Development

13:00-13:30 **Prof. Elliot M. Meyerowitz**, Wolf Prize Laureate Caltech and Howard Hughes
Medical Institute, USA

13:30-14:00 **Prof. Venkatesan Sundaresan**, Wolf Prize Laureate, University of California, Davis, USA

14:00-14:30 **Prof. Caroline Dean**, Wolf Prize Laureate, John Innes Centre, England, UK

14:30-14:45 **Prof. Eran Sharon**, Faculty of Science, HUJI

14:45-15:00 **Prof. Sigal Savaldi Goldstein**, Faculty of Biology, Israel Institute of Technology

15:00-15:15 **Prof. Yuval Eshed**, Weizmann Institute of Science, Department of Plant and
Environmental Sciences

15:15-15:30 **Dr. Ido Nir**, Institute of Plant Sciences, Volcani Institute

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