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פרופסור אמיר סגיא  
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Dear Prof. Amir Sagi,

פרופסור אמיר סגיא  
דיקן הפקולטה למדעי הטבע

We are pleased to invite you to submit one or more candidates from your institution or from any other worldwide for the **2011 WOLF PRIZES** in the **SCIENCE and ARTS**.

The Wolf Prizes have been awarded since 1978, to outstanding scientists and artists, for outstanding achievements to the benefit of mankind and relations among peoples, regardless of nationality, race, color, religion, sex or political views.

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In **SCIENCE**, the Prize fields are: **Agriculture, Chemistry, Mathematics, Medicine and Physics**. In accordance with the rotation principle applied, the Prize in Mathematics will not be awarded this time around.

In the **ARTS**, the prize rotates annually among Architecture, Music, Painting and Sculpture. **This year, it will be awarded in Painting and Sculpture.**

The award in each field comprises a certificate and a monetary prize of US \$100,000. In the event of co-recipients sharing one prize, the Prize money is divided equally among them.

The selection is made by an international Prize Committee in each field.  
The Committee's decisions will be announced in January 2011.

The awards will be presented by the President of the State, at a special ceremony in Jerusalem, in May 2011. As participants must be in Jerusalem in person, to receive the

Prize, nominators are requested not to propose candidates who, to the best of their knowledge, will not be able to comply with this stipulation--for health or any other reason.

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Nominations must be received by August 31, 2010. Proposals received after this date will be considered only for the following year.

You can send us the attached form, duly completed, either by fax or by e-mail. Additional supporting materials can be sent by regular airmail.

Thank you for your kind consideration.

Best regards,

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**Ilan Pilo**  
CEO



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**NOMINATION FOR THE 2011 WOLF PRIZE IN THE SCIENCES**

(See instructions in attached sheet)

**FIELD: AGRICULTURE, CHEMISTRY, MEDICINE, PHYSICS** (Please encircle one)

**CANDIDATE (S)** (Name, Affiliation, Address, E-mail, Tel., Cell phone and Fax no.)

**PROPOSED CITATION FOR DIPLOMA** (about 20-25 words)

**PERSONAL DATA ON CANDIDATE** (date and place of birth, home address, phone, fax and email)

**EDUCATION AND MAIN POSITIONS HELD**

**MAJOR HONORS AND AWARDS** (only most prominent ones)



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**CANDIDATE:**

**BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS**

(clearly and concisely stating only those individual achievements of candidate that merit the prize)

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**CANDIDATE:**

**LIST OF MOST SIGNIFICANT PUBLICATIONS**

(related to achievements that merit the prize)

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**NOMINATOR:** (Name, affiliation, address, email, phone, fax, date and signature)



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**2011 WOLF PRIZES**

**INSTRUCTIONS FOR NOMINATING CANDIDATES IN THE SCIENCES**

**FIELD OF NOMINATION**

A candidate can be nominated for **only one** of the following four fields (In accordance with the Wolf Prize principle of rotation, the Prize in Mathematics will not be awarded in 2011):

**AGRICULTURE - CHEMISTRY - MEDICINE - PHYSICS**

**NOMINATION FORMS**

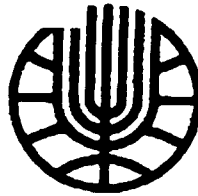
Candidates should be proposed on the attached **Nomination Form**. Please state the respective nomination field at the top.

1 All form items must be completed in full and typewritten in English. Please submit all of the required data in the order and with the sub-titles as these appear in the Nomination Form. The requested information should be confined to the allotted space.

*Should you prefer an electronic version of the Form, please write to: [info@wolffund.org.il](mailto:info@wolffund.org.il).*

Two candidates may be nominated to receive the Prize jointly. In this case, each candidate should be submitted in a separate form, with the name of the jointly filed candidate inserted into the appropriate place. If a joint nomination is for collaborative work, please state this at the beginning of the Brief Description section. The brief description of the collaborative work conducted need not be repeated in relation to the joint candidate. You may, however, wish to describe each candidate's specific role.

You may also propose an additional nominee (unrelated to the first one) on a separate form. The Wolf Foundation will feel free to request additional information required, either from the candidate him - or herself, or from the institution(s) where he/she is active--informing the institution of the nomination, without disclosing the nominator's name.



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**SUPPORTING MATERIAL**

It is essential to enclose, or send (by either E-mail, fax or airmail), **three supporting letters** from experts in the field, who are not affiliated with the institution where the candidate is employed.

Further materials, in support of the nominations, may be submitted, in addition to (rather than in place of) the information requested on the Forms. The appended material may include: detailed information and precis of the candidate(s)' work; a more detailed list of the candidate's honors and awards; and any other material the nominator considers to be of relevance.

**Please do not send the complete list of candidate publications.**

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**PHOTOGRAPHS**

Please send a high resolution (300 dpi or more), recent photograph of the candidate, both in hard copy and jpg format, to: [info@wolffund.org.il](mailto:info@wolffund.org.il).

**LIMITATIONS ON NOMINATIONS**

Please note the following limitations imposed by our Prize Guidelines:

- The Prize is awarded to individuals, not to institutions;
- A person cannot be nominated by him/herself;
- A Nobel Prize Laureate will not be considered, unless his/her nomination is proposed for an achievement entirely different from the one that won him/her the Nobel Prize;
- As the Prize, given by the President of the State, in a ceremony at the Knesset, in Jerusalem, is awarded only in person, nominators are requested not to propose candidates who, to the best of their knowledge, may not be able to attend the Ceremony.



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**SECRECY**

The nominator is **not bound** to keep his role secret, and may inform the candidate(s), or any other person(s), of the candidacy.

**DEADLINE**

Nominations must be received **no later than August 31, 2010**, if they are to be reviewed for the 2011 Prize. Proposals received after this date shall be considered only for the following year.

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**Please send the material as follows:**

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**Fax:** ++972-9-954-1253

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