**TRANSMEET**

Intersections between Science and Art

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**The TRANSMEET Science and Art Festival, a first of its kind in Israel, is designed to reveal collaborations between science and art.** The festival will present interdisciplinary research, while expressing the fascinating encounter between art and science and will include live performances, in-process research demonstrations, lectures, workshops, panels and more. Leading scientists, artists and curators from around the globe, will present the joint research process and the challenges of creating new knowledge and forging a new common language.

Israeli scientists and artists, including Ruth Kanner Theatre Group, the sound artist Elad Shniderman, the director and theater researcher Prof. Atay Citron, will present projects such as:

* A live synchronization experiment performed by 16 violin players.
* A unique circus show and physics discussion for children.
* A live theater experiment, examining the dynamics of leadership and cooperation within a group
* A cross continent crystal enigma, stretched between the Dead Sea and Salt lake, Utah, will unveil itself through a Norwegian deer's painting.

Leading institutes from around the world will present their work and vision, including:

* [Leonardo](https://www.leonardo.info/)- Through publications, initiatives and public forums, Leonardo facilitates cross-disciplinary research for more than 50 years.
* [Arts at CERN](https://arts.cern/)- Where art and science meet. The European Organization for Nuclear Research in Geneva.
* [S.T.ARTS](https://www.starts.eu/about-2/)- *Science +Technology +Arts* is about thinking out-of-the-box and building bridges between these three fields. *An initiative of the European Commission*.
* [Symbiotica](https://www.symbiotica.uwa.edu.au/) - Based at The University of Western Australia it is the first research laboratory of its kind, enabling artists and researchers to engage in wet biology practices in a biological science department.

**When?**

TRANSMEET International Art & Science Live Online Festival will take place on November 19-20 as followed:

Thursday, 19/11, 16:00-22:30 (Israel time) – two broadcast channels streaming:

**Channel 1** - Live broadcast from Steinhardt Museum of Natural History in TLV, presenting Israeli creation (English translation included)

**Channel 2 -**Live from around the world, presenting international collaborations, including speakers from around the globe.

Friday, 20/11, 09:30-13:30 (Israel time): Live from the Fetter Museum of Nanoscience and Art –  Bar Ilan University, including a think lab meetup for local artists and scientists and a concluding panel.

**Full schedule (English & Hebrew) at the** [**festival's website.**](https://www.transmeet2020.org/schedule-eng)

**Who?**

The festival will welcome both professionals and the general public.

In light of the uniqueness of this project, **we ask you to invite science and art professionals**, such as curators, artists, researchers, and scientists, among institute directors who promote interdisciplinary collaborations, museums, dance institutions and government officials from culture and science ministries.

**We also recommend sending personal invitations to senior partners who have an interest in the interdisciplinary business.** **At the same time, you may also broadcast the event on social media to the public.** Details to be follow.

**Supporting bodies and partners in Israel:** Tel Aviv University, Tel Aviv-Yafo Municipality, Bar Ilan's Institute for Nanotechnology and Advanced Materials (BINA), Steinhardt Museum of Natural History TLV, Cultural Diplomacy Bureau of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, European Research Center (erc), Israel Young Academy and the choreographers association.

**Steering team and curators:** Visual artist and curator Tal Yizrael -The Fetter museum of nanoscience and art , Bar Ilan University, Choreographer Sharona Florsheim, and Tel Aviv University Prof. Tomer Volansky.

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