

**Summary of The Visit by The Honourable Frank Iacobucci
as the 2017 James R. Bullock Visiting Chair,
Hebrew University of Jerusalem**

As the 2017 James M. Bullock Visiting Chair, I had the pleasure and delight of meeting with academic leaders, professors and students of Hebrew University and of Tel Aviv University during my visit to Israel from February 25 to March 4, 2017. I also met with former judges of the Supreme Court of Israel. My meetings are listed on the attached schedule. On Wednesday, I delivered a public lecture entitled *The Relationship between Canada and Indigenous People: Past, Present and Future* at Hebrew University. Prior to the lecture, I met with students in the class given by Professor Barak Medina.

I was able to reconnect with Israeli friends who are academics and former judges. Particularly pleasant were the contacts and discussions with students at both Hebrew University and Tel Aviv. As I noted in my lecture, there is considerable affinity between Israel and Canada, especially in the law and academic disciplines generally. As the Bullock Visitor I was able to witness that relationship first hand. Indeed the Bullock Chair is an important bridge to Israel – Canada relations generally.

All this to say how grateful and appreciative I am for the opportunity, hospitality and stimulating discourse I experienced during my visit to a most remarkable country.

Name	Position
Professor Nachman Ben Yehuda	Halbert Centre Director
Justice Dalia Dorner	Former Supreme Court Justice
Justice Asher Grunis	Former Supreme Court President
Justice Dorit Beinisch	Former Supreme Court President
Professor Tomer Broude	Associate Professor, Faculty of Law and Department of International Relations , Hebrew University
Professor Menachem Hofnung	Chair of the Political Sciences Department, Hebrew University
Professor Barak Medina	Former Dean at the Faculty of Law, Hebrew University
Adv. Dani Evron	Executive Director, The Minerva Center for Human Rights
Professor Illan Benshalom	Professor of Law, Hebrew University
Dinner with Arthur and Betty Kruger	Former Dean of Arts and Sciences, University of Toronto
Met with staff of the Canadian Embassy to Israel	Canadian Embassy, Tel Aviv
Professor Ruth Amir	Yezreel Valley College
Met with Faculty and discussion with Doctoral Students on their research	Faculty of Law, Tel Aviv University
Dinner with former Chief Justice Aharon Barak and Chief Justice Dorit Beinisch	