

## Chemistry Enterprise Partnership

This Chemistry Enterprise Partnership (“Agreement”) is entered into on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2019, by and between the **American Chemical Society (ACS)**, a federally-chartered non-profit headquartered at 1155 16<sup>th</sup> Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, United States, and the **Israel Chemical Society (ICS)**, Schulich Faculty of Chemistry, Technion, Haifa 32000, Israel. This agreement shall be valid for five (5) years from the date of signature.

ACS and ICS have a shared interest in advancing the chemistry enterprise, and its practitioners, in addressing global challenges confronting humanity. Toward that end, ACS and ICS enter into a three-year Agreement to collaborate in the following areas; the underlying theme(s) of the collaborations shall be focused on the United Nations 2030 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly those appended to this Agreement:

- **Technical Programming:** collaborate on programming and events topics such as C1 chemistry, clean water, energy and other priority subjects relevant to ACS and ICS members. Events could take place in venues including (but not limited to): symposia, workshops, etc. Events will take place at either ACS/ICS conferences, events, or other mutually agreed to venues/events.
- **Early-Career Chemists:** Develop symposia, workshops and training on a wide-variety of education and employment issues relevant to students and early career chemists taking into account diversity, inclusion, and other relevant factors. Career and leadership development will be a focus area for this area collaboration.
- **Membership Benefits:** explore possibilities for mutual benefits for members, such as preferred registration rates for ACS and ICS conferences or short courses, special membership campaigns, discounted membership for students, etc. All suggested mutual benefits are conditional based on approval from appropriate leadership bodies within the respective societies. ACS and ICS will explore creation of an ACS International Chemical Sciences Chapter in Israel to more effectively promote collaborations between ACS and ICS.

**AGREED** by the Parties through their authorized signatories:

For and on behalf of **ICS**:

For and on behalf of **ACS**:

  
Ehud Keinan, President

  
Bonnie A. Charpentier, President