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**Join us for a fireside chat on innovative, sustainable solutions for communities in arid and hyper-arid environments.**

Learn about collaborative academic efforts connecting Israel's brightest minds with world-leading institutions to advance impactful projects in food, water, and energy security.

**Wednesday, February 4, 2026  
6:30–8:00 PM**

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## **Speakers:**

**Prof. Sharon Megdal, Ph.D., Director,  
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