**Summer 2016 SCITECH MADARAS AWARDS**

at the

**Technion-Israel Institute of Technology**

**QUICK FACT SHEET**

**WHO**: All Washington DC area public or private high school juniors and seniors with an aptitude in science, math, and/or engineering and an interest in experiencing Israel in summer 2016 are encouraged to apply for the summer SCITECH program. DC area students who attend SCITECH will receive a MADARAS AWARD. Applications are due in early March.

**WHAT**: SCITECH is an international science and technology camp hosted by the Technion-Israel Institute of Technology. Students from across the globe perform challenging, hands-on research – under the supervision of leading science faculty and researchers. Students present end of training findings at a professional science poster presentation event. The 2016 MADARAS SCITECH AWARDS will fund $3,600 toward the $5,400 tuition that covers use of the Technion’s research and recreation facilities, instruction, accommodations, meals, health insurance and cultural and social excursions.

**WHERE**: Located in Haifa, Israel, the Technion-Israel Institute of Technology is one of the world’s leading science and technology universities. Home to four Nobel Prize winners, the Technion also partners with Cornell University to operate the Jacobs Technion-Cornell Institute in New York City and is working with China to build the new Technion-Guangdong Institute of Technology. <http://www.technion.ac.il/en/>

**WHEN**: The program starts July 25 and ends August 18, 2016.

**HOW**: 1) Contact Irv Elenberg at irv@ats.org or call 301-654-4773;

 2) submit the standard SciTech refundable deposit and

 application found at [www.scitech.technion.ac.il](http://www.scitech.technion.ac.il)

**WHY**: The Madaras Awards honor Dr. Istvan Madaras, a leading medical practitioner, family man, and musician in Budapest, Hungary who was killed in the Holocaust.