

# FORTY-SIXTH COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

יפה תלמוד תורה עם דרך ארץ '(פרקי אבות ב:ב) 'An excellent thing is the study of torah combined with some worldly occupation.'

VIRTUAL GRADUATION CEREMONY  $\sigma''$ סיון תש"ם ' May 24, 2020

## In Memoriam Dr. Mark Hasten,5"

### JEWISH PHILANTHROPIST, BUSINESSMAN AND TOURO CHAIRMAN

r. Mark Hasten, Touro's longtime chairman, was a visionary leader and ardent supporter of Touro who passed away last February at 92. An engineer as well as an entrepreneur in myriad businesses, including banking, real estate and health care, Dr. Hasten long focused his philanthropic interests on education and Jewish continuity. Chairman during Touro's most significant period of growth, he was a major contributor to the establishment of Touro's Lander College for Women- The Anna Ruth and Mark Hasten School, in Manhattan and supported all the other schools as well.

For more than three decades, Dr. Hasten traveled from his home in Indianapolis to participate personally in the Commencement Ceremonies for Touro's Lander Colleges. He shared personal messages with the graduates, and generations of Touro alumni were inspired by Dr. Hasten's life experiences, his heroism, and his service to Klal Yisroel.

Fighting for Jewish Survival on all Fronts

Hasten was born in Bohorodczany, Poland, in 1927. He and his family survived WWII in Kazakhstan, where he entered the military. The young Hasten fought with the Polish Brigade of the Red Army against the Nazis on the Eastern Front during World War II and participated in the liberation of the Majdanek Concentration Camp in Poland. In a displaced persons camp, he joined the Irgun Tzvai Leumi and was aboard the Altalena, the famous ship, which was sunk by order of Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion. Hasten joined the Israel Defense Forces in 1948, and participated for two years in Israel's War of Independence.

#### From Southern Methodist University to General Mills and First National Bank

In 1952, Dr. Hasten married Anna Ruth Robinson and they emigrated to the United States in 1953. Hasten's education had been suspended at age 12 by WWII and he realized he needed training in order to advance professionally.

He enrolled at Southern Methodist University in Dallas and in 1959, earned a Bachelor of Science Degree in Mechanical Engineering. He then spent nine years working for General Mills in Minneapolis, first in research, then as Chief Design Engineer for Corporate Engineering. While there, Hasten invented and designed the products and machines that produced the bendable straw, Cheerios, Pringles and Bugles. In 1967, Hasten was invited by his younger brother, Hart, to join his healthcare business in Indianapolis. Hasten insisted that the company be Sabbath-observant. As the

business grew, they worked closely with banks to raise capital. Eventually, they decided they would rather finance their projects themselves and they acquired a total of 36 banks under the First National Bank and Trust name. They divested their

and Trust name. They divested their bank holdings in 2007.

The brothers worked together for 40 years and were partners in both business and community service. With no Jewish day school in Indianapolis, they decided to create one. The Hasten Hebrew Academy began with 13 children and its roster now numbers over 150.

Visionary Leadership for Touro

Always passionate about education and especially interested in higher education that offered a Jewish environment, Hasten joined the board of Touro College in 1977 and became chairman in 1995. He and Touro founder, Dr. Bernard Lander, were extremely close, sharing a vision for building from the ground up.

"Dr. Hasten's business acumen and expertise helped realize Dr. Lander's educational vision," said Dr. Alan Kadish, Touro College President. "I don't believe Touro could have developed into what it did without Dr. Hasten's hands-on operational leadership and guidance as Chairman of the Board. He was a leader who supported the institution through thick and thin, who had vision, drive and tremendous ability," said Kadish. "He was a leader in business, government and education and always remained approachable, humble, warm and engaging."

"Dr. Hasten spoke to our students often of the four P's necessary for success – patience, persistence, positivity and perseverance and he exemplified all those traits," said Kadish.

## The President of Touro College Dr. Alan Kadish

Dear Graduates,

Congratulations to the entire graduating class of 2020! It is my distinct pleasure to welcome you to our commencement exercises. We regret that circumstances do not allow us to all be in one room together today, but we are certainly joined in spirit. Today, we honor and celebrate the culmination of your hard work and your commitment to fulfilling your dreams.

Touro has offered all of you a rigorous educational experience in a Torah-rich environment. It is our sincere hope that this unique combination and approach to undergraduate education has prepared you with the skills necessary for meaningful employment, or to move on to higher education; to contribute to your communities and to lead rewarding lives.

Your graduation occurs during a challenging time. The coronavirus pandemic has brought all of civilization face to face with a crisis that few, if any, could have imagined. No community was impacted more than ours. The only answer is to persevere with confidence and empathy; to continue making a kiddush Hashem by the examples that we set. Your experiences here have been enriched by Touro's mission to model the values of compassion, service and social justice, and I am confident that we have instilled in you a commitment to serve klal Yisrael and humanity. As Touro graduates, you are ambassadors of our institution, and your service to your communities will attest to the values of our mission. Now is the time to apply all the knowledge and skills you have learned at Touro and live with passion and purpose.



As alumni, you remain members of the Touro family. I invite you to join us in alumni activities, stay connected and share your stories of success with us so that we may continue to take pride in and enjoy the nachas of your achievements. You will always remain a part of Touro's legacy and future.

Dr. Alan Kadish President, Touro College and University System

### The Touro Universe at Forty-Nine

TOURO COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND The new Lander College Flatbush Campus 1995 opens at Avenue J and East 16 Street in **SCIENCES** opens in September with a freshman the Midwood Section of Brooklyn. class of 35 men. THE SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES establishes a **DIVISION OF HEALTH SCIENCES** is established, 1972 center for M.A. studies in offering upper division studies leading to a B.S. occupational therapy in Manhattan. in Health Sciences and qualifying graduates to practice as Physician Assistants. New LANDER COLLEGE FOR MEN in Kew 2000 Gardens Hills admits its charter class. Women's Division is established as a ■ Graduate Program leading to a **MASTER OF** coordinate unit of the College of Liberal Arts SCIENCE IN SPEECH LANGUAGE and Sciences. **PATHOLOGY** is inaugurated. ■ **SCHOOL OF GENERAL STUDIES** is established to serve the city's diverse ethnic communities. TOURO COLLEGE BERLIN BRANCH CAMPUS 2003 FIRST ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES held opens with a charter class of 19 students. 1975 for fifty-nine degree candidates. Touro College Los Angeles opens with a 2005 charter class of 34 students. FLATBUSH MEN'S DIVISION is established to serve the educational needs and career aspirations of yeshiva students. THE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK is established in 2006 New York City. Touro Israel Option organized to enable 1978 undergraduates to complete a year of intensive THE TOURO COLLEGE SCHOOL OF OSTEOPATHIC Judaic Studies. 2007 **MEDICINE** opens in New York with a charter class of 135 students. A coordinate Flatbush Women's Division for seminary students opens in Brooklyn. Touro College of Pharmacy opens in 2008 ■ THE GRADUATE SCHOOL OF JEWISH STUDIES New York with a charter class of 66 students. admits its first class. Touro College of Pharmacy in New York 1980 Touro College School of Law admits its 2012 graduates its first class. charter class. THE SCHOOL OF LAW graduates its first class. THE TOURO COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHIC 2014 **MEDICINE** opens a branch in Middletown, NY. **OHR HACHAIM**, a full time Yeshiva affiliate of Touro, opens in Queens. Touro College of Dental Medicine opens 2016 TOURO COLLEGE SCHOOL OF INTERNATIONAL in Valhalla, NY. **BUSINESS MANAGEMENT** opens in Moscow. ■ Touro College School of Jewish Studies TOURO COLLEGE OF DENTAL MEDICINE 2020

graduates its first class.

is established in Moscow.

**PSYCHOLOGY** is established.

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THE GRADUATE SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AND



### FOR SCHOLARLY EXCELLENCE AND ACHIEVEMENT

Dr. Bernard Lander Memorial Award Sarah Lander Memorial Award Hadassah Lander Memorial Award David & Goldie Lander Memorial Award Hilda Kadish Memorial Award

David Azriel Kimmel Esther Leah Gassner Rochel Weinberg Samson Bechhofer Arielle Hershkovich

#### DEPARTMENTAL AWARDS

Accelerated Accounting Program Award **Accounting Award** Art Award

**Auditing Award** 

**Becker Conviser Prize** 

Biology Award

Biology, Perel Rena Milman Memorial Award

Computer Science Award

Corporate Taxation Award Digital Multimedia Design

Education Award **English Award** Finance Award

Financial Accounting Award

Gemara, Beis Medrash L'Talmud Award

**History Award** 

International Finance Award

Judaic Studies, Moses & Hannah Hoenig Award

Management Award

Management/Marketing Award

Mathematics, Dr. Edith Luchins Prize

New York State Society of CPA Award

Political Science

Political Science, Vivian & Dr. David Luchins Award

Psychology Award

Psychology, Dr. Abraham Samuel Luchins Memorial Award Arielle Hershkovich

Sociology Award Speech Award

Student Research Award

Wall Street Award

Orthodox Union Women's Branch Award

Shulamis Asia Tzipporah Leibowitz Yaffa Shimborsky

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### Forty-Sixth Annual Commencer

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DR.ALAN KADISH, President

RABBI TZVI RYZMAN, Chairman of the Board

### **PROGRAM**

Sunday, May 24,2020 סיון תש"פ at 3:30 PM Virtual Graduation Ceremony

Lander College of Arts and Sciences in Flatbush

Lander College for Men in Queens

Lander College for Women — The Anna Ruth and Mark Hasten School

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- Tzipporah Leibowitz
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   Aryel Daleer Tucker
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#### **AWARDS**

VICE PRESIDENT AND DEAN ROBERT GOLDSCHMIDT

### MESSAGE

VICE PRESIDENT AND DEAN STANLEY BOYLAN

### DEANS' SALUTATIONS TO DEGREE CANDIDATES

### CONFERRAL OF DEGREES

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**YUSSI SONNENBLICK** 

Graduate School of Jewish Studies, MA '95

### AM YISROEL CHAI סישראל חיף עם ישראל חי

This program contains a listing of candidates for degrees during the period January 2020 - August 2020. It is not an official roster of graduates and honors recipients. An official list will be available after final certification of all records.



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## The Touro Universe Commencement 2020

### This afternoon's ceremony marks the Forty-Sixth Annual Commencement of Touro College.

At today's ceremonies, the **Lander Colleges**, the **School for Lifelong Education** and **Machon L'Parnasa** are presenting candidates for 599 baccalaureate and 102 associate's degrees.

**The Touro College Jacob D. Fuchsberg Law Center,** on May 24, will present candidates for 128 juris doctor and 3 master's degrees.

**Touro College of Pharmacy**, on May 20, presented candidates for 75 doctor of pharmacy degrees.

**The New York School of Career and Applied Studies** in Brooklyn and Manhattan, on June 17, will present candidates for 649 baccalaureate and 259 associate's degrees.

**Touro College Berlin**, on June 17, will present candidates for 3 master's in business administration, 4 master's degrees and 19 bachelor's degrees.

**The Graduate School of Business**, on June 16, will present candidates for 15 master's in business administration degrees and 13 master's degrees.

**The Graduate School of Education**, on June 16, will present candidates for 687 master's degrees.

**The Graduate School of Jewish Studies**, on June 16, will present candidates for 8 master of arts in Jewish Studies degrees.

The Graduate School of Social Work, on June 16, will present candidates for 110 master of social work degrees.

**The Graduate School of Technology**, on June 16, will present candidates for 55 master's degrees.

**Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine** in Harlem, on May 4, presented 60 candidates for master's degrees, and on May 21, will present candidates for 139 doctor of osteopathic medicine degrees.

**Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine** in Middletown, on May 4, presented 68 candidates for master's degrees, and on May 19, will present candidates for 133 doctor of osteopathic medicine degrees.

**Lander Institute Moscow**, on June 21, will present candidates for 10 baccalaureate degrees. **The School of Health Sciences**, on September 10, will present candidates for 122 doctorate, 189 joint master of science and bachelor of science, 128 master of science, 69 bachelor of science, 4 bachelor of arts and 1 associate's degrees. In addition, on June 16, **The Department of Behavioral Sciences** will present candidates for 14 Clinical Mental Health Counseling and 17 I-O Psychology master of science degrees.

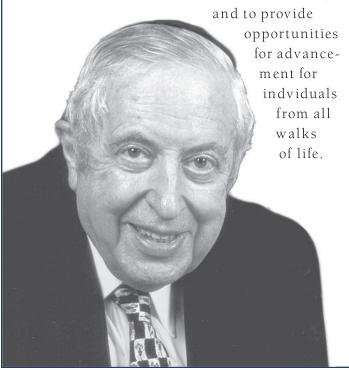
Note: All information provided by deans and program directors as of May 18, 2020 and subject to change.

### Dr. Bernard Lander, 5"צו

### Founding President of Touro College and Touro University

Rispirational visionary leader who revolutionized the field of education. As an educator and preeminent scholar, Dr. Lander devoted his life to Jewish and general higher education. Dr. Lander founded Touro College in 1970 and served as its first president until his passing in February 2010. Under his stewardship, Touro underwent significant growth, becoming an institution with multiple campuses and international reach. Today, Touro educates approximately 19,000 students across the United States and around the world.

r. Lander's creative genius and original thinking continue to be reflected in Touro's innovative approach to the field of higher education. He believed that it was his mission in life to strengthen Jewish continuity through the myriad Torah and educational institutions that he established,



Before founding Touro College, Dr. Lander was recognized as one of the foremost influences on American Jewry. After receiving semicha (rabbinical ordination) from his beloved teacher, Rabbi Moshe Soloveitchik, he assumed the prestigious pulpit position at Beth Jacob Congregation in Baltimore, Maryland. Soon thereafter, in recognition of his communal leadership and work at Columbia University while earning his doctorate in sociology, he was named associate director of former New York City Mayor Fiorello LaGuardia's Committee on Unity, a precursor to the city's Commission on Human Rights.

n 1958, Dr. Lander was appointed dean of the Bernard Revel Graduate School of Yeshiva University, where he played a major role in the establishment of a network of graduate schools. He also served for more than thirty years as vice president of the Union of Orthodox Jewish Congregations, where he emerged as a spokesman for the American Jewish community and was deeply involved in the creation of its acclaimed youth movement, the National Conference of Synagogue Youth. Simultaneously, he was a professor of sociology at The City University of New York and was selected to serve on several presidential commissions that dealt with social policy issues.

ouro College and Touro University are Dr. Bernard Lander's legacies, institutions that will continue to provide quality education to the Jewish and general community for many generations to come.

# TOURO COLLEGE RECIPIENTS OF HONORARY DOCTORAL DEGREES\*

2019

May 26

Jonathan Halevy, L.H.D.

2017

May 28

Jason Dov Greenblatt, L.L.D.

2016

May 30

Chief Rabbi Ephraim Mirvis, L.H.D.

2015

May 31

Jay Sexter, L.H.D.

Alan Schoor, L.H.D.

2014

May 26

Michael Oren, LL.D.

2013

May 26

Robert Goldschmidt, LL.D.

2012

June 10

Richard B. Stone, LL.D.

2008

May 25

Rabbi Nosson Scherman, D.Lit.

2007

May 27

Malcolm Hoenlein, LL.D.

2006

May 28

Stephen Joel Trachtenberg, LL.D.

2005

May 29

Mayor Michael R.Bloomberg, LL.D.

2004

May 30

Aaron D.Twerski, LL.D.

2003

June 1

Rabbi Joseph Grunblatt ,L.H.D.

2002

June 2

Rabbi Abraham J. Twerski, M.D., LL.D.

2001

June 3

Jozef Straus, L.H.D.

2000

May 29

Rebbetzin Esther Jungreis, L.H.D.

Dr. Leon Reich, Sc.D.

1999

May 31

Senator Charles E. Schumer, LL.D.

Merryl H. Tisch, L.H.D.

1998

May 25

Rabbi Menachem Genack, LL.D.

Israel Singer, LL.D.

1997

May 26

Mark Hasten, L.H.D.

1995

May 28

Joseph Burg, LL.D.

1994

May 29

Nathan Lewin, LL.D.

1993

May 30

Shoshana S. Cardin, L.H.D.

1992

May 31

Senator Alfonse D'Amato, LL.D.

1991

May 26

Senator Daniel Patrick Moynihan, LL.D.

Samuel A. Klurman, L.H.D.

1990

May 27

Martin C. Barrel, LL.D.

Max H. Karl, L.H.D.