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The University of Haifa is a research-oriented university. It has approximately 18,000 students studying toward a degree (8000 B.A. Students, 8300 M.A students. B.Sc., MSc. 1700 Ph.D. + Postdoc students). The university consists of six faculties: Humanities, Social Sciences, Natural Sciences, Law, Education, Social Welfare and Health Sciences; see [www.haifa.ac.il/?lang=en](http://www.haifa.ac.il/?lang=en)

Each faculty includes various schools, such as the school of Marine Sciences, see <https://marsci.haifa.ac.il/en/> the school of Arts see <http://arts.haifa.ac.il/index.php/en/home> as well as an international school: <https://uhaifa.org>.

We are seeking for various kinds of co-operations in research with universities and research institutes across the world, including: joint research projects, meetings, international conferences, joint degree courses (undergraduate & graduate), students exchange in various forms, etc.

We are particularly interested in joint projects on environmental issues, sustainability and climate change.

Our leading department in terms of research on sustainability and climate change is the Department of Geography and Environmental Studies. The department offers several undergraduate and graduate (master's and doctoral) academic degree programs, as well as opportunities for post-doctoral studies. Students gain a broad range of knowledge, research skills, and technological and practical tools. The department hosts a number of specialized research centers, laboratories and teaching facilities, including Remote Sensing and GIS (Geographical Information System) labs as well as Climatology lab. The academic staff of the department is characterized by leading experts in various issues related to sustainability and climate change such as climatology, hydrology, ecology, environmental health, environmental conflict management, remote sensing and GIS, among others.

Prof. Shlomit Paz, the department head, is a leading climatologist in the scientific field of climate change and their various impacts. We invited you to contact her directly ([shlomit@geo.haifa.ac.il](mailto:shlomit@geo.haifa.ac.il)) to discuss possible collaboration.

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