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# FedWorld



THE LATEST LOCAL-TO-GLOBAL FEDERATION UPDATE

# Fed News

## FEDERATIONS/PHILANTHROPY

GuideStar reports a surge of donor engagement around #GivingTuesday, indicating that donors look for data to inform their philanthropic decisions. An innovative program that serves Detroit's young adult population provides valuable lessons on how to cultivate donors, writes a local rabbi.

- GuideStar – [New research shows nonprofit transparency matters](#)
- eJewish Philanthropy – [How to turn \\$25K into \\$100K: Lessons from cultivating young adult donors](#)

Meanwhile, Federations are featured in Columbus, Miami, Palm Beach County, Somerset Hunterdon and Warren Counties, and St. Louis.

- Columbus Jewish News – [JewishColumbus, haunted house partner to fight bigotry](#)
- Sun-Sentinel – [New documentary recounts UM program linking Holocaust survivors, students](#)
- Florida Jewish Journal – [JSwipe founder to speak at NextGen relaunch](#)
- Carroll County Times – [City College alum Andrew Rehfeld named president of leading Jewish Reform seminary](#)

## GLOBAL JEWISH NEWS

Jewish groups in New Jersey praise legislation that would increase security funding for day schools and other institutions in the state. The Hebrew Free Loan Association helps furloughed government employees in Washington, D.C., California and Texas. Gun debate takes to the pews as synagogues grapple with armed congregants in the wake of Pittsburgh.

- JTA – [New Jersey doubles security funding for nonpublic schools](#)
- JTA – [Jewish employees affected by the government shutdown are getting some help from this organization](#)
- JTA – [After Pittsburgh, some synagogues are more comfortable with guns in the pews](#)

## ISRAEL AND THE REGION

Five Israeli teens are arrested in connection to the death of a Palestinian woman. An Israeli-Arab woman running for a Knesset seat is ostracized by her family.

# JFNA Notes

## FEDERATIONS WELCOME 34 NEW JEWISH MEMBERS OF THE 116TH CONGRESS

at a reception co-hosted by JFNA, the Jewish Council for Public Affairs, and the ADL.

[See photos.](#)

## REGISTRATION NOW OPEN FOR THE FRD LEADERSHIP MISSION TO ARGENTINA AND URUGUAY!

Join senior colleagues from across the fundraising spectrum, and their lay partners, to collaborate and learn against the breathtaking backdrop of South America. The mission will be held July 29-August 4, 2019. [Learn more and register now.](#)

## IN CASE YOU MISSED IT...

### HOT TOPICS IN JEWISH EDUCATION AND ENGAGEMENT

will be addressed at a series of upcoming webinars featuring experts from across the Jewish landscape. [Learn more and register now.](#)

### SAVE THE DATE INTERNATIONAL LION OF JUDAH CONFERENCE

JANUARY 13-15, 2019  
FLORIDA

### NATIONAL YOUNG LEADERSHIP CIVIL RIGHTS MISSION

JANUARY 31 – FEBRUARY 3, 2019  
ALABAMA

### JEWISH COUNCIL FOR PUBLIC AFFAIRS CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, D.C.  
FEBRUARY 9-12, 2019

### PROFESSIONAL INSTITUTE

FEBRUARY 11-13, 2019  
BALTIMORE

### ABE BRENNER NETWORK LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE



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