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THE LATEST LOCAL-TO-GLOBAL FEDERATION UPDATE

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Fed News

FEDERATIONS/PHILANTHROPY

A report names top Jewish philanthropists. A top SCN official shares his firsthand account of the Tree of Life attack with a U.S. House committee.

- Inside Philanthropy – [Here are the top 13 philanthropists who support the Jewish community](#)
- Pittsburgh Jewish Chronicle – [Former Federation staffer Brad Orsini testifies before House](#)

Meanwhile, Federations are featured in Central NJ, Cincinnati, Flint, MetroWest NJ, New Bedford, Los Angeles, Palm Beach County, and Pittsburgh.

- New Jersey Jewish News – [JCC of Central New Jersey boosts inclusion programming](#)
- The American Israelite – [Jewish Vocational Services career services Hilb scholarship program](#)
- Michigan Live – [Unity in Diversity event to celebrate Flint's many cultures](#)
- New Jersey Jewish News – [New grant for Shoah survivors and their families](#)
- South Coast Today – [Award-winning Israeli journalist to speak at UMass Dartmouth Feb. 12](#)
- BroadwayWorld.com – [Arts leaders invite community to submit stories and explore 'For Goodness' Sake' for new show in Los Angeles](#)
- The Boca Raton Tribune – [Nearly 1,000 people of all faiths volunteer, gather in solidarity against hate during MLK Day](#)
- Pittsburgh Jewish Chronicle – [Second cohort of Honeymoon Israel excited by new connections](#)

GLOBAL JEWISH NEWS

Renowned actor Kirk Douglas, who died yesterday at 103. New Jersey leaders praise the removal of an anti-Semitic page by Facebook. For the fourth consecutive year, anti-Semitic attacks in the UK rise to record levels.

JFNA Notes

LOOKING TO LEARN ABOUT THE FUTURE OF FINANCE, TECHNOLOGY, AND HUMAN RESOURCES? Federation professionals working in these areas are encouraged to register for the annual FTPI conference, taking place Sept. 13-16 in Dallas. [Learn more.](#)

IN CASE YOU MISSED IT...

LEARN ABOUT ADVOCACY AND ELECTION BEST PRACTICES FOR NONPROFITS during an upcoming webinar on Wednesday, Feb. 26, at 1PM. [Register now](#) and [view related resources.](#)

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[INVESTMENT INSTITUTE](#)

MARCH 24-26, 2020
PALM BEACH GARDENS, FL

[GA 2020](#)

OCTOBER 25-27, 2020
CHICAGO, IL

- JTA – [Kirk Douglas, iconic movie star who reconnected to Judaism later in life, dies at 103](#)
- JTA – [Facebook takes down New Jersey page accused of anti-Semitism](#)
- Jerusalem Post – [Record high anti-Semitic incidents recorded in UK in 2019](#)

ISRAEL AND THE REGION

[A lone soldier from San Diego is among those injured](#) as violence escalates in Israel. A top U.S. official comments on President Trump's proposed Peace to Prosperity plan.

- The New York Times – [Violence surges in wake of Trump's Mideast plan](#)
- JTA – [Two-state solution may be now or never because of rising anti-Semitism, U.S. national security adviser says](#)



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