For over 30 years, the Hecht Museum has been the only archeological museum in Israel situated at a university campus. It offers a rich and unique collection of archeological artifacts and an exclusive art collection. The museum’s exhibitions enhance research and academic study. The museum now offers a specially designed PIL Intelligent Museum Guide for visitors, developed through a collaborative partnership between the University of Haifa and the Italian Institute for Scientific and Technological Research.

The comprehensive five-year plan, currently underway, will bring about a change in the complexion of the University by 2022, on the occasion of our 50th anniversary. The University of Haifa’s ‘Multiversity’ encompasses academic entry points or portals across Haifa, the Galilee region and as far as China. The portals will offer world-class education in the humanities and social sciences, health and biomedical sciences, marine and natural sciences, biotechnology and healthcare, law, management and education, as well as emerging interdisciplinary fields such as artificial intelligence and engineering, bioinformatics and behavioral economics.

As the first academic institution in Israel to operate in such a format, the University of Haifa is forging its status as a leading multidisciplinary research institution and serving as a catalyst for its economic development and for strengthening Israel in general, and the North in particular.

The Mount Carmel campus will continue to serve as the main portal and administrative center. The Multiversity will include six additional portals:

- The Marine Sciences Portal (Israel Oceanographic and Limnological Research Institute, Kibbutz Sdot Yam, Ashdod and Acre)
- The Biotechnology & Healthcare Portal, Rambam Health Care Campus
- The Engineering Portal, Karmiel
- The Industrial Design Portal, Downtown Haifa
- The Computer and Information Sciences Portal at the Downtown Campus
- The China Portal
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