



COULD AN ACADEMIC BOYCOTT PUT A CHILD'S LIFE AT RISK?

Life science and healthcare academics engage in life saving research that drives medical breakthroughs. But today, they face a challenge which could become a problem for all of us.

Detractors of Israel have sought to turn American colleges and universities into the latest battlefield of the Israeli-Palestinian conflict by advocating for an academic boycott of the Jewish State. Our universities, our students, and you deserve better. Academic boycotts inspired by the Boycott, Divestment, Sanctions (BDS) movement undermine the free exchange of ideas—the beating heart of medical progress and research. They are dangerous, anti-democratic, and deceptive.

Now, more than 100 prominent life science and healthcare academics have signed a letter calling attention to this ill-conceived and cynical maneuver. They are resisting this assault on academic progress. Will you?

Read the letter.

See who signed it.

Learn more.

Speak out.

STOP ACADEMIC BOYCOTTS

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Signers include some of the world's leading life science and healthcare academics:

- **1** Nobel Prize winner
- **17** members of the National Academy of Sciences
- **4** current and former Deans or Chancellors of Medical and Dental Schools
- **4** current and former CEOs or Presidents of Hospitals
- **3** former University Presidents or Provosts
- **3** Winners of the Albert Lasker Award for Basic Medical Research
- **4** Winners of the Breakthrough Prize in Life Sciences
- **6** Howard Hughes Medical Institute Investigators
- **9** current and former Presidents and Vice Presidents of academic and life science institutions and associations