UNIVERSITY OF SAINT JOSEPH’S DIRECTOR OF THE AUTORINO CENTER FOR THE ARTS AND HUMANITIES SELECTED FOR ELITE CHIEF EXECUTIVE PROGRAM

WEST HARTFORD, Conn. (Oct. 26, 2016) – Steven Raider-Ginsburg, Director of the Autorino Center for the Arts and Humanities at the University of Saint Joseph (USJ), was selected as one of 50 CEOs to take part in the National Arts Strategies annual Chief Executive Program: Community and Culture.

The yearlong program brings together a cohort of executives from around the globe who seek to lead change in their organizations, communities, and in the cultural field. The selected participants, who all maintain deep roots within their communities, come from a variety of institutions that span a range of sizes and disciplines.

Over the course of the program, executives will learn different approaches from outside their sector and numerous analytical frameworks while building a network of allies and collaborators from different disciplines and countries. Meetings at the Harvard Business School and the University of Michigan, Ross School of Business will teach participants the tools needed to bring their innovative ideas to life.

“It’s an honor and a privilege to be with a select group of arts leaders and gather over the next 15 months to discuss and plan a vibrant cultural future,” said Raider-Ginsburg. “Thank
you to the National Arts Strategies for creating such a comprehensive training. I look forward to bringing new ideas and connections back to USJ and Hartford."

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