



## Call for Applications for the Rector's travel scholarship for women's combined postdoc 2023-2024

Tel Aviv University wishes to assist outstanding post-doctorate students, who have the potential to be accepted as faculty members, to undertake post-doctoral studying at Tel Aviv University, which will combine joint guidance with researchers from leading universities abroad and research trips to these universities.

As part of the program, five travel scholarships of up to \$15,000 each, will be awarded in 2023-2024, for research travel needs during the entire period of studying.

These scholarships are intended to help women who cannot leave the country for an extended period to carry out research in universities abroad as part of their academic studying, aiming to help them integrate as Senior Faculty in the future.

The selection of winners will consider academic excellence, publications in major journals, receiving awards and obtaining research grants.

### Program requirements:

- The travel scholarships will be for those whose studies at Tel Aviv University have been academically approved by the Committee for Post-Doctoral fellows headed by the Vice Rector.
- Post-Doctorates who are in their first year of studying will be able to submit applications, out of the desire of allowing the recipient a significant studying period in which research travels abroad will be integrated.
- The travel scholarship will be granted in addition to the studying scholarship and will be dedicated to research travel needs.
- During the studying, the beneficiary will be required to stay abroad for at least two months a year, one of which is consecutive. The length of stay at Tel Aviv University will be at least three months during the year of studying.
- Payment of the scholarship will be made against receipts for the doctoral student only and in accordance with the university's guidelines and the defined rates up to a ceiling of \$15,000.
- Post-doctoral fellows who carry out their research with the doctoral supervisor will not be eligible to submit their application for the scholarship.

### The manner of submitting candidacy:

- Documents can be submitted in Hebrew or English. The application must include:
  1. Personal background letter (Cover Letter); in reference to the issues that the candidate deems appropriate to mention and which are not part of the other documents.

2. Approval of Tel Aviv University's Committee for Post-Doctoral fellows.
3. Letters from Tel Aviv University and the university abroad supervisors, detailing the format of conducting the joint research, including details about the host institution and the expected length of stay abroad.
4. Two letters of recommendation, at least one of which is from the PhD supervisor.
5. Resume` and list of publications.

The application, **together with all the required documents**, must be submitted as follows:

1. By means of a personal information form found at the above link. Please upload all required documents, scanned and in one document.
2. Dispatch of one copy, to Ms. Michal Boneh-Mizrahi, at the Equity, Diversity, and Community Commission office, room no. 220, The Senate Building.
3. Letters of recommendation must be sent to the following e-mail:  
[bonehmizrahi@taux.tau.ac.il](mailto:bonehmizrahi@taux.tau.ac.il)

**Tel Aviv University expects that upon completion of the post-doctorate studies, the winner will apply to Tel Aviv University to join as a faculty member.**

**Deadline to apply for the scholarship is February 20, 2024**