

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

תשפ"א – 2020 – 2021 Azrieli Fellowships for Graduate Studies (PhD)

To all participating academic institutions -

The Azrieli Foundation is proud to announce the **14th annual** call for submission of applications to the **Azrieli Fellows Program**, promoting excellence in graduate studies at Israeli universities.

We invite all participating academic institutions to nominate their outstanding graduate students for an Azrieli Fellowship starting in the **2020/21 (תשפ"א)** academic year.

IMPORTANT:

1. Fields:

All fields of Humanities and Social Sciences offered by the universities are eligible. Please make sure the information is made available to **all relevant faculties, departments and schools.**

2. Eligibility Conditions:

Please note that eligibility conditions differ between fields, and are clearly detailed in the Guidelines, on the relevant pages.

IMPORTANT: Please pay special attention to Item #2 on the guideline page of each field. The dates mentioned in this item will be strictly adhered to.

*In the Education/Social Science/Humanities fields, candidates who have submitted a research proposal to the university between **February 1, 2019 and January 31, 2020** are eligible to apply.*

3. Obligations of the Academic Institution (Guidelines, pp. 18 – 19):

Please note item #10 which has been added to this section, relating to Fellows' participation in program-sponsored events. Participation is considered an obligation of the Azrieli Fellow, and it is the responsibility of the university to enable said participation.

4. Architecture & Urban Planning Fellowships:

Guidelines and Application Forms will be provided under separate cover.

Please refer your students to our updated website for information about our fellowships and application process. <https://azrielifoundation.org/fellows/>. We are also sending you the relevant information via email, for distribution within your institution.

Best wishes,

Tal Mordoch
Fellows & Research Coordinator

Cc: Rochelle Avitan, Program Manager

Application Materials to be submitted to the Azrieli Foundation

1. All forms and materials should be submitted **in English**.
2. Handwritten applications will not be accepted.
3. Printed applications should be submitted in **plastic sheet protectors**.
4. Kindly submit the following **for each candidate**:
 - **1 digital PDF version** of the entire application, including the application form, reference letters, transcripts, and other accompanying documents.
Make sure all attachments follow the order requested on the application form.
 - **1 digital PDF version** of Masters theses and / or PhD proposals where relevant.
 - **1 hard (paper) copy** of the entire application, including the application form, reference letters, transcripts, and other accompanying documents.

→ **DO NOT PRINT THE MASTERS THESES OR PHD PROPOSALS**. These should be submitted as digital files only.

→ **PDF FILES**: Make sure that these files are clear and readable. Please do not scan the applications.

5. Digital files may be submitted on USB, Google Drive or any other common digital format, or sent via email to:

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Important Dates

- The Azrieli Fellows Program will consider applications that are received **up to, and no later than February 16th, 2020.**
- The Selection Committees will meet between March and May 2020.
- Short-listed candidates will be called upon to participate in an **interview** in **mid- May 2020**, and may receive advance notice of only a few days. **Please make your candidates aware of this possibility.**
- Winners of Azrieli Fellowships in Graduate Studies i.e.: Sciences, Education, Social Sciences, Humanities, and Architecture will be announced in **June 2020**.

Where to send the applications

Applications should be sent by the universities to the Azrieli Foundation offices at the following address:

The Azrieli Foundation – The Azrieli Fellows Program
85 Medinat Hayehudim St., 14th Floor
Herzliya Pituach 4676672

Telephone: 09-970-5900 (switchboard)
09-970-5907/6 (direct) Tal Mordoch / Rochelle Avitan

Emailed materials should be sent to:

To: tal.m@azrieli.org / rochelle@azrieli.org

Please follow up all emails to ensure they reach their destination.