

## APPLICATION PROCEDURE FOR DGAPA-UNAM POSTDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS IN ASTROPHYSICS AT IA-UNAM HEADQUARTERS IN MÉXICO CITY OR ENSENADA, BAJA CALIFORNIA

Before applying, candidates should ensure that they meet the minimum requirements - any application not meeting these requirements is automatically rejected. Applicants should:

1. Have received their Ph.D. no more than 5 years before the start date of the fellowship.
2. Have a minimum of one published article in a refereed journal.
3. Present a research project in collaboration with an IA-UNAM researcher.

Any other information contained in the general publication on the DGAPA-UNAM postdoctoral fellowship can be consulted [here](#) (in Spanish).

Also, applicants should contact Dr. Vladimir Avila-Reese ( [convocatorias@astro.unam.mx](mailto:convocatorias@astro.unam.mx) ) in advance of the official deadline mentioned above to be considered and to receive the application form.

Applicants should send by email:

- a) Cover letter.
- b) Abstract of their Ph.D. thesis.
- c) Curriculum Vitae including a full list of publications in peer-reviewed journals.
- d) Application form (requested by email).
- e) Copy of an official identification (passport for foreign applicants).
- f) Curriculum synthesis of the researcher at the IA-UNAM with whom the candidate will work.
- g) Copy of proof of the applicant's Ph. D. diploma or degree exam.
- h) Letter from the researcher at the IA-UNAM with whom the candidate will work expressing his/her opinion on the applicant's work.
- k) A research project, which must be defined with the IA-UNAM researcher with whom the candidate will work.

Additionally, they should arrange for at least two letters of recommendation addressed to Dr. Yair Krongold Herrera, Director of Instituto de Astronomía, UNAM. The signed letters should be submitted as PDF documents by e-mail directly from the signatory to [convocatorias@astro.unam.mx](mailto:convocatorias@astro.unam.mx)

All paperwork and inquiries about this job posting should be e-mailed to Dr. Vladimir Avila-Reese before the deadline (March 17) to the address: [convocatorias@astro.unam.mx](mailto:convocatorias@astro.unam.mx)

If the application is pre-selected by the IA-UNAM's Internal Council, the applicant will be required to submit a copy of his/her birth certificate and complete and sign a letter of commitment.