

## Prize for outstanding Ph.D. graduates in their transition to postdoctoral training in Science Education abroad

# Call for applications

The Department of Science Teaching at the Weizmann Institute of Science (WIS) will award this academic year a prize of \$5,000 to an outstanding Ph.D. student whose research is in science or science education, who is in transition to start postdoctoral training in science education abroad. A special committee of WIS scientists will review the nominations and select the winner. The CALL is open to the nomination of candidates from all the universities in Israel.

### Goal

To support the international training of the next cadre of leaders in Science Education research in Israel.

### Deadline

**March 31, 2026**

### Threshold requirements

- Full-time Ph.D. students or Ph.D. graduates (whose degree was approved after June 2024).
- Proven excellence in studies and research in science or science education.
- Scheduled to start their postdoctoral training abroad in science education in 2026.
- Mother-tongue level fluency in Hebrew or Arabic and a high level of English proficiency.

### Required documents

1. CV (including academic prizes and list of publications).
2. A one-page summary of the candidate's postdoc research proposal.
3. A confirmation of acceptance to a postdoctoral training program in science education abroad starting in 2026.

### How to apply

1. Click the <https://stwis.org/i5r8j2>.
2. Upload the relevant documents.
3. List the names of the scientists that will be providing letters of recommendation (one of them must be your Ph.D. thesis advisor).

### Notes

1. The committee will not review incomplete application files.
2. For questions, please contact Maayan Bar-Natan at [maayan.bar-natan@weizmann.ac.il](mailto:maayan.bar-natan@weizmann.ac.il)