



December 2014

**CALL FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS**  
**Azrieli Fellowships for Graduate Studies 2015 - 2016 תשע"ו**

To all participating academic institutions -

The Azrieli Foundation is proud to announce the **9<sup>th</sup> 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 **2015 - 2016 תשע"ו** academic year.

**WE ARE VERY PLEASED TO ANNOUNCE THE EXPANSION OF OUR PROGRAM, TO INCLUDE:**

1. **Additional PhD fellowships in Sciences** - we will offer up to 10 fellowships each year, as opposed to 5 in past years. This will require each university to submit more candidates - we are now asking for up to 6 submissions from each university.
2. **PhD Fellowships in Social Sciences** - we will offer 4 fellowships this year in Social Sciences. The fellowships are for 3 years. Full details are provided in the attached Guidelines, and on our website. We will ask each university to submit 3 candidates to us. All fields of Social Sciences offered by the universities are eligible. We hope to add fellowships for the Humanities in the coming years.
3. **PhD Fellowships in Humanities** - First Call for Applications will come out next year, first fellowships will be awarded for the academic year 2016-2017 תשע"ז.
4. **Azrieli Faculty Fellowships** - Fellowships will be offered to assist and enable absorption of new faculty members into Israel's universities. Information and guidelines will be provided in a separate Call for Applications to come out during the course of December.

Please refer your students to our updated website for information about our fellowships and application process. [www.azrielifoundation.org/fellows](http://www.azrielifoundation.org/fellows).

We are also sending you the relevant information via email, for distribution within your institution.

The following pages will outline important information about how to submit the applications. Kindly read them carefully and do feel free to contact us if you have any questions.

Best wishes,

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### Application Materials to be submitted to the Azrieli Foundation

1. All forms and materials should be submitted **in English** .
2. All forms and materials should be **typewritten** (handwritten applications will not be accepted).
3. Printed applications should be submitted in **plastic sheet protectors (שקיות ניילון)**.
4. Kindly submit **1 PDF version** of each entire application, including the application form, reference letters, transcripts, and other accompanying documents. The PDF should NOT include theses (תזה) or research proposals (הצעת מחקר) – these may be submitted on a separate CD as outlined below.

Field	Requirements - Copies per application
<b>Sciences</b>	<p><b>4</b> hard (paper) copies of application</p> <p><b>4</b> CDs with :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Masters thesis</li> <li>b. PhD Research Proposal where relevant (see #5 on page 9 of application form)</li> </ol> <p><b>1</b> PDF version of entire application + accompanying documents to be submitted on a separate CD <b>or</b> via email to <a href="mailto:rochelle@azrieli.org">rochelle@azrieli.org</a></p>
<b>Education</b>	<p><b>5</b> hard (paper) copies of application</p> <p><b>5</b> CDs with:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Masters thesis</li> <li>b. PhD Research Proposal where relevant (see #5 on page 9 of application form)</li> </ol> <p><b>1</b> PDF version of entire application + accompanying documents to be submitted on a separate CD <b>or</b> via email to <a href="mailto:rochelle@azrieli.org">rochelle@azrieli.org</a></p>
<b>Social Sciences</b>	<p><b>4</b> hard (paper) copies of application</p> <p><b>4</b> CDs with :</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Masters thesis</li> <li>b. PhD Research Proposal where relevant (see #5 on page 9 of application form)</li> </ol> <p><b>1</b> PDF version of entire application + accompanying documents to be submitted on a separate CD <b>or</b> via email to <a href="mailto:rochelle@azrieli.org">rochelle@azrieli.org</a></p>
<b>Architecture &amp; Urban Planning</b>	<p><b>2</b> hard (paper) copies of application</p> <p><b>2</b> hard copies of portfolio</p> <p><b>1</b> PDF version of entire application + accompanying documents</p> <p><b>1</b> PDF version of portfolio</p> <p>To be submitted on CD.</p>

### Important Dates

- The Azrieli Fellows Program will consider applications that are received **up to and no later than February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2015**.
- The Selection Committees will meet between **April 12<sup>th</sup> and May 31<sup>st</sup> 2015**. Short-listed candidates will be called upon to participate in an **interview** during the week of **May 17<sup>th</sup>**, 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 ie: Science, Education, Social Sciences, and Architecture will be announced in **June 2015**.

### 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  
89 Medinat Hayehudim St., 14<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Herzliya Pituach 46140

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09-970-5907 (direct) Tirza Peleg  
09-9705908 (direct) Elinor Tubul

Fax: 09-9705919

Emailed materials should be sent - To: [rochelle@azrieli.org](mailto:rochelle@azrieli.org) , Cc: [elinor@azrieli.org](mailto:elinor@azrieli.org)

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