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NASA Astrobiology Early Career Collaboration Award

Applicant Information

Instructions: Please email this completed application and attachments to HQ-Astrobiology-EC@mail.nasa.gov by **April 15, 2025**.

Applicant Name: _____
Last First

Title of Proposal: _____

Career Stage: _____ Email: _____
(Undergraduate, Graduate or Ph.D. student,
Postdoc, Faculty)

Applicant
Mailing Address: _____
Street Address Apartment/Unit #

City State ZIP Code

Current Institution

Name: _____ City, State: _____

Department: _____

Advisor or
Supervisor _____

From: _____ To: _____

Collaboration Plan

Please attach a brief description of the research you plan to conduct at the hosting laboratory (include, for example, any technique you expect to learn, or equipment you will need to use) and how the collaboration is relevant to your research and astrobiology, tying to the [Decadal Strategy for Planetary Science and Astrobiology](#) or [An Astrobiology Strategy for the Search for Life in the Universe](#), as well as a rationale for the team(s)/researcher(s) you plan to visit and a short statement explaining your research background, interest in astrobiology, and career plan. Limit all text to <1500 words (excluding references and image/table captions in the word count).

Budget and Schedule

Attach a budget breakdown describing what travel funds are required, how they will be used, and the approximate dates of travel.

Letters of Recommendation

Attach letters of recommendation from your academic supervisor (advisor, supervisor or department chair) and a letter of support from the researcher(s) you plan to visit or have them send letters directly to the email address above, indicating support for this collaboration.