Rising Scholars Postdoctoral Fellowship Program
Department of Physics, College and Graduate School of Arts & Sciences, University of Virginia

Review of applications begins April 12, 2021.

Rising Scholar Postdoctoral Fellowships in the Department of Physics

The University of Virginia Department of Physics is pleased to announce its participation in the Rising Scholars Postdoctoral Fellowship Program. The Program is intended to support underrepresented scholars in any field and is sponsored by the College and Graduate School of Arts & Sciences. Its goal is to provide mentored professional development opportunities to train the next generation of scholars for future tenure-track positions at UVA or elsewhere. Postdoctoral Fellows selected under this program will be appointed for two years (subject to annual review) and will carry out research, teaching and professional development activities directed toward securing a tenure-track position.

The UVA Physics Department encourages Rising Scholars Fellowship applications from postdoctoral candidates who have (or will have prior to August 24, 2021) a Ph.D. in Physics or a closely related field, and who are interested in obtaining additional research and teaching experience as well as cultivating a more inclusive department and professional community for those traditionally underrepresented in Physics, for instance women and racial minorities.

Fellowship recipients in Physics will work with one or more faculty in the areas of active research described on the Department’s web page, including: Astrophysics, Gravity and Cosmology; Atomic, Molecular and Optical; Biological and Medical; Condensed Matter; High Energy; Mathematical; Nuclear and Particle; and Quantum Information.

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