



Call for Applications Post-Doctoral Fellowship at Tel Aviv University

The “**Changing Locus of Lifespan Inequality**” research project, directed by [Dr. Isaac Sasson](#) at the [Department of Sociology and Anthropology](#) at Tel Aviv University, invites applications from suitably qualified candidates in the social sciences for a **post-doctoral fellowship**. The position is offered for a period of one to two years, starting in October 2020 (some flexibility is possible), and includes a scholarship of 103,300 ILS (approx. \$30,000) per year.

Deadline for submissions: **May 31st, 2020**.

We are looking for applicants seeking to deepen their understanding of the mechanisms shaping social inequalities in mortality, and how they vary over time and across socio-political contexts.

Applicants should be knowledgeable in theories of health inequalities or social stratification, and experienced in analyzing vital statistics and/or population survey data.

Key skills and qualifications:

- Ph.D. in demography, sociology, economics, or closely related fields.
- A strong background in demographic and statistical research methods (e.g., life tables, event history analysis).
- Comprehensive knowledge of theories and empirical research relating to mortality and health inequalities.
- Ability to work independently and as part of a research team and scholarly community.

Applications should be submitted to **both** the project director, Dr. Isaac Sasson, at isasson@tauex.tau.ac.il, and to the administrative assistant, Ms. Atalia Regev, at ataliaregev@mail.tau.ac.il

Applications should include the following documents:

- A cover letter describing your research interests and the nature and duration of position you seek with us.
- A detailed CV (including list of publications).
- A preliminary research proposal (in English; up to three pages) for a research project you would like to pursue in the field of health/mortality inequalities.
- An academic writing sample (article or dissertation chapter).
- Two letters of recommendation, to be sent directly to ataliaregev@mail.tau.ac.il