

## ESO EARLY CAREER SCIENTIFIC VISITOR PROGRAMME IN CHILE

### Application Form

(to be filled in by the visitor, in coordination with the ESO host(s))

#### 1. Personal Information:

(Needed for contractual reasons)

Name :  
E-mail address :  
Nationality :  
Passport Number :  
Date of birth :  
Degrees held :  
Year and granting institution of your PhD<sup>1</sup> :

#### 2. Present affiliation and contact address:

#### 3. Career path to date:

(Please provide here a very brief CV (max. 500 characters))

#### 4. Scientific interests and main recent publications:

(Kindly indicate here the main topics you are working on, highlighting some most important results, and provide a list of your recent publications if available. (max 600 characters))

#### 5. Proposed visit to ESO

##### 5.1 Desired dates and length of the visit:

(Please note that the application needs to be received at least four months before the desired start of the visit. Please indicate the desired dates and possible alternatives. This will help the Office for Science to schedule your visit.)

##### 5.2 ESO staff member(s) or fellow(s) with whom you will collaborate and with whom the visit has been coordinated:

(Please note that *each* of these persons should send a support letter, simultaneously with your application to the Visitor Selection Committee. This support letter should clearly state the importance of the visit for the host and for the ESO scientific life at large.)

##### 5.3 Other ESO staff member(s) or fellow(s) with whom you may interact during your visit:

(Please also indicate if you already contacted them.)

##### 5.4 Purpose of the visit, including work-plan:

(Provide a clear scientific description of your project, putting it into a broad context and why it is relevant, stating clearly the need to come to ESO and the role of hosts and visitor in the project. Provide a detailed work-plan. Recommended length of this section: suggested one A4 page and up to two A4 pages.)

##### 5.5 Specific outcomes of the proposed visit:

(Provide concrete examples of what you expect will come out of the visit, e.g., papers, observing proposals, workshop preparation, scientific results.)

##### 5.6 Meet experts while visiting ESO

(Please indicate if you would be interested in having one or more informal meeting with our staff to discuss any aspect related to the use of ESO facilities - e.g. proposal or observations preparation, data processing, archive research. Please specify which aspect/expertise you would like to be addressed during the meeting. The Office for Science will help you, upon arrival, to identify and meet the expert(s).)

##### 5.7 Other sources of financial support beside your salary at your home institution during your visit:

(For example, additional financial support you secured to cover the airfare of to extend the duration of your visit)

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<sup>1</sup> Expected date in case of students enrolled in a PhD at the time of submitting the application

### 5.8 Accompanying persons:

### 5.9 Please suggest possible formats and topics of talks you will give:

(We expect visitors to interact with the ESO staff by giving talks/lectures, or leading informal discussions. Please indicate if you are willing to give a colloquium or other talk(s) while at ESO, and if so please give a brief summary or title of your proposed talk. Please ensure well ahead of the visit that your host(s) organises your talk(s).)

### 5.10 Have you been a scientific visitor at ESO Chile in the past two years?

(As a rule, a minimum of two years must elapse between visits of a month or more by the same person in order to be allowed a new visit in this scheme, unless special agreements have been made. If you have been a visitor more than 2 years ago, please provide a brief summary of the outcome of your past visit.)

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