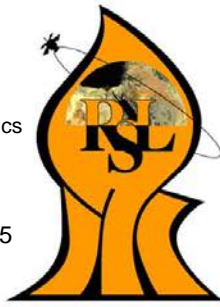


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Science from Above

October 19, 2020

Dear EARSeL members,

The Israeli Council for Higher Education (CHE) offers competitive grants for international Ph.D. students who will come to Ben Gurion University for one year during their studies. Potential candidates must have completed at least one year of studies toward their Ph.D. degree by the time of application.

The grant will sum up to 80K NIS for the year (~ 22K US\$).

Based on our common research interests (e.g., remote sensing), I would like to suggest that we can try and apply if you have a suitable and willing candidate.

A successful application process and shared advising can facilitate and enhance collaboration (students' research and education).

Students may come for periods shorter than one year (and the grant will be reduced accordingly). However, students coming for a whole year will be prioritized.

Scholarships will be offered on a competitive basis to seven students throughout BGU who will come to BGU starting March 2021.

The scholarship criteria are as follows:

- A. The student is enrolled in a doctoral degree program at an accredited institution of higher education overseas. The program will be open to students from all countries and in all academic disciplines.
- B. The student has completed their first year of doctoral studies successfully.
- C. The student is not a citizen or a resident of Israel

Decisions will be published by the end of January 2021, while the expected arrivals of students is March 2021.

Specific information about the Remote Sensing Laboratory at Ben Gurion University can be seen at <https://karnieli-rsl.com/>

If you find this of interest and you have a candidate that we can co-supervise/advise - the submission process will require inputs as follows from the student:

- Applicants CV
- Applicants motivation letter (the reason for wanting to come to BGU)
- Letter of recommendation from the advisor at home university
- Additional relevant letter of recommendation

Wishing you all the best,

Arnon

