

**DISTINGUISHED WOMEN SCIENTISTS FUND 2025-2026**

**Eligibility:**

Candidates who can apply are: postdocs, up to three years after obtaining a PhD, working in the Netherlands.

 **Extension clause:**

The 3-year term can be extended in the following ways:

* 18 months per child (pregnancy and birth);
* By a term of, at most, 18 months, due to necessary care given to family members, or other relevant family circumstances;
* Other relevant circumstances for extending the 3-year term (such as career breaks, sabbaticals or part time appointments) will be taken into consideration as well.

**Submitting your application:**

Send the application form (pdf) to info@lnvh.nl. Registration ends on **December 15, 2025**. Applications sent after this date, or in any other way than stated above will not be considered. Candidates will be informed of the awarded allocations in **February 2026**.

 **Application form:**

* page 2: candidate's details, nominator (if applicable), discipline
* page 3: purpose of journey, budget, and requested amount
* page 4: curriculum vitae (no more than one A4)
* page 5: short summary (250 words) of most important scientific results and three key publications

**Privacy statement**

LNVH will use your personal information only within the context of your DWSF application. If you are interested in receiving LNVH mailings and newsletters, you can let us know on your application form.

**PLEASE SEND THE COMPLETED FORM (pdf) TO:** **info@lnvh.nl**

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| **Candidate** |
| Name Candidate: |  |
| Date of birth: |  |
| Year of promotion:  |  |
| Extension clause applicable (see p. 1)\*:  | yes/no (if 'yes', please motivate) |
| Position: |  |
| Organisation: |  |
| Address (work):  |  |
| Email (work): |  |
| Phone: |  |
| Would you like to receive LNVH mailings?\* | yes/no |
| Signature: |  |

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| **Nominator details (if applicable)** |
| Position, title, affiliation: |  |
| Signature: |  |

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| **Self-nomination\*** | yes/no |

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| **Scientific discipline**\* | AlphaBetaGamma Medical |

*\* Please circle as applicable*

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| **Purpose of journey and relevance to career and research (max. half an A4 page)** |
| *Invitations (if any) by a foreign scientist, or scientific institution can be submitted as a separate attachment.* |
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| **Budget and requested amount** |
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| **Curriculum Vitae (max. one full A4 page)**  |
| *Education and Titles:* |
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| *Position(s), as/where:* |
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| *National activities:* |
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| *International activities:* |
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| **Summary of most important scientific results (no more than 250 words)** |
| *Highlight the achievements that are most valuable to your scientific career so far and elaborate on why and how this had scientific impact. (max. 100 words per achievement).* |

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