

International Relations Office
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Reminder for GYAs Call for Membership 2022

Our call for a GYA membership is open until [15 September 2021 \(18:00 UTC\)](#).

We are fast approaching our application deadline for next year's new members!

Please help us spread the word now to allow as many excellent scientists and researchers as possible to find out about this opportunity and still have the time to submit a meaningful application.

Here are a few ideas of how you can help spread the word and disseminate the call:

- Have you forwarded the call to your institute's director or dean, or possibly that person's assistant?
- Have you informed your project leader?
- What about universities in your region or institutions you collaborate with?
- Your private network of all those creative and inspiring minds you came across in your career?

Simply forward the call to them, ask them to support the GYA and to send the call to all those young scientists who should seize this opportunity and apply for 2022 membership.

Application Process

Applications should be completed personally by the candidate and must be accompanied by a letter of support. We can only accept applications in English and submitted through our online form. More information on how to apply and our online application form can be found here:

<http://globalyoungacademy.net/call-for-new-members/>.

You can also check out these videos from GYA members talking about what it means to be a member, and the impact that you can have through GYA membership.

[GYA Executive Committee member Abhijit Majumder \(Indian Institute of Technology, India\)](#) discusses the various academic disciplines, ethnicities, nationalities, and cultures represented in the GYA, and how this diversity helps the GYA thrive.

[GYA Executive Committee member Mohamed Elhadidy \(Zewail City of Science and Technology, Egypt\)](#) describes the impact you can have on the scientific community as a GYA member.

GYA member Lisa Herzog (University of Groningen, Netherlands) on how the GYA fosters a global perspective.

Co-lead of the Women in Science working group Menattallah Elserafy (Zewail City of Science and Technology, Egypt) on the amazing engagement levels of the GYA community.

About the Global Young Academy:

The vision of the GYA is *science for all; science for the future*, and its mission is to give a voice to young scientists and researchers around the world. The GYA, founded in 2010, is an independent science academy of 200 outstanding early- to mid-career researchers from six continents who are selected from across disciplines based on their academic excellence and commitment to engage with society. GYA members serve five-year terms, and the GYA presently counts members and alumni from 94 countries. The GYA administrative Office is publicly funded and hosted at the German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina. The wide array of GYA activities are supported by a range of international public and private funders. Each member is expected to participate in the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the GYA (the 2022 AGM will be **held from 13 June – 17 June 2022** in Japan) and to actively contribute to one or more of the organisation's programmes. This includes participation, e.g., in policy development, promotion of the National Young Academies, or promoting science and education at the international level.

Help us reach outstanding young scientists around the globe: Spread the word and share the call over relevant mailing lists until [15 September 2021](#).