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NASA Postdoctoral Fellowship

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Stipends start at \$53,500 per year, with supplements for high cost-of-living areas and for certain academic specialties. Financial assistance is available for relocation as well as subsidized health insurance, and \$8,000 per year is provided for professional and programmatic travel.

Applications are accepted three times each year:

- **March 1**
- **July 1**
- **November 1**

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