



# SUMMER FELLOWSHIPS

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## About ICIQ

The Institute of Chemical Research of Catalonia is a dynamic and innovative research institution. It is governed by the ICIQ Foundation, financially supported by the autonomous government of Catalonia and sponsored by a group of chemical/petrochemical companies. ICIQ has the mission of contributing to a significant improvement of the scientific level of chemical research in Catalonia and the rest of Spain and of strengthening, by means of innovation and technological upgrade, competitiveness of the chemical and pharmaceutical industries in its influence area.

Located in the town of Tarragona, 100 km South from Barcelona, nearby one of the most important chemical/petrochemical complexes in Southern Europe, the Institute is based on a 8,000 square metres building in the scientific campus of the Universitat Rovira i Virgili (URV). The Institute includes modern and functional laboratories and is equipped with state-of-the-art scientific instrumentation.

## ICIQ's Summer Fellowships

ICIQ offers fellowships to outstanding students with a background in Chemistry or related studies, for a period of 3 months (July, August and September 2008). The number of fellowships for 2008 is 8. Interested candidates should be in the last year of their undergraduate studies (or last year of their Master study) and be a European resident. The total amount of each fellowship is 2,000 euros.

Selected candidates will have an opportunity to work in one of the laboratories of the ICIQ for a period of 3 months. Research at ICIQ is centered on the areas of catalysis, supramolecular chemistry, and renewable energies, with special focus on sustainability problems and on nanotechnology. For more details about scientific activities, visit the Institute's web page: [www.iciq.es](http://www.iciq.es)

ICIQ's summer fellowships constitute a unique window not only to have an insight on our activities and to enjoy our state-of-the-art facilities, but also to be in an optimal situation to apply for a future PhD position.

Applicants should send a letter of application accompanied by their curriculum vitae and academic credentials to:

[summerfellowships@iciq.es](mailto:summerfellowships@iciq.es)

Only applications received before March 31, 2008 will be considered. A decision will be announced by the end of April 2008.