



OPEN JUNIOR RESEARCHER POSITIONS in Automatic Control

The **Department of Automatic Control (DCA)** of the **Centro de Investigación y de Estudios Avanzados del IPN (Cinvestav)**, is a leading public Mexican institution devoted to research, innovation, and graduate education in science and technology. Research at the DCA spans a broad spectrum of topics in Automatic Control theory and its applications.

We invite applications for **two Junior Research Professor positions** from highly motivated, creative, and independent researchers in Automatic Control and related fields. Successful candidates are expected to establish and lead a research group, attract and supervise M.Sc. and Ph.D. students, secure competitive research funding, and publish in high-impact JCR-indexed journals.

Candidate's Profile

Applicants must meet the following requirements:

- Ph.D. degree in Automatic Control or related fields. Postdoctoral experience or prior appointment as junior faculty is highly desirable.
- Demonstrated academic independence and international mobility.
- Open to both theoretical and applied research profiles.
- Excellent research track record, evidenced by publications in high-impact JCR journals, particularly within the Automation & Control Systems category. Experience in securing research funding is an asset.
- Strong commitment to office/laboratory-based work, graduate supervision, and teaching in Automatic Control, in particular, core courses in control theory.
- Basic knowledge of the Spanish language is highly desirable for non-native speakers.

We offer

- A competitive full-time academic position at the DCA, Cinvestav, located in Mexico City.
- A dynamic, collaborative, and intellectually stimulating research environment.
- Access to laboratory and institutional facilities.

Further information on DCA and Cinvestav: www.cinvestav.mx/zacatenco/control-automatiko, www.cinvestav.mx

How to apply?

Applicants should submit a single PDF file named *candidate_surname.pdf*, including:

- 1- Cover letter outlining the applicant's scientific achievements, research interests, and motivation.
- 2- Copy of official identification.
- 3- Research plan (maximum 3 pages) for the next five years, clearly describing how it will strengthen and expand existing DCA research lines and the current course offering.
- 4- Curriculum vitae including ORCID, Web of Science, and SCOPUS IDs, detailing education, professional experience, teaching activities, full publication list, grants, and citation metrics (excluding self-citations).
- 5- Names, positions, and email addresses of three referees.
- 6- List of the five most significant publications.

All supporting evidence, papers excepted, should be included in a file.

Applications must be sent electronically (PDF format only) to:

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Deadline: **June 30th, 2026.**

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