

# Now Accepting Applications for Editor In Chief, *JGR: Planets*

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- **Act as an ambassador to the author/editor/reviewer/scientist community.**
- **Set the strategy for the journal.**
- **Lead the editor selection process.**
- **Assign and balance review workload.**
- **Make decisions on ethical issues.**
- **Review and contribute to periodic monitoring reports.**
- **Conduct and attend meetings.**

AGU strongly encourages candidates from outside the US to apply.

Information about about [JGR: Planets scope](#), as well as [additional information about the position](#) can be found on our website.

If you would like to be considered for this position, please send your **curriculum vitae** and your **letter of interest** to [pubmatters@agu.org](mailto:pubmatters@agu.org).

Please specify “**JGR: Planets**” in the subject line of the email.

While the search process takes several months to complete, the review of applications will begin immediately. The position begins 1 January 2024.

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