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Job Vacancy Announcement

December 11, 2017

Institution:	Institute for Integrated Cell-Material Sciences (iCeMS), Kyoto University Institute for Advanced Study (KUIAS)
Job Title:	Associate Professor
Number of Positions:	One (1)
Closing Date:	January 10, 2018, 5:00 p.m. JST (Japan Standard Time)
Employment Date:	April 1, 2018(at the earliest)
Term Limit:	None (tenure position)
Required Degree:	Ph.D.
Place of Work:	Institute for Integrated Cell-Material Sciences (iCeMS), Kyoto University Institute for Advanced Study (KUIAS), Kyoto, Japan
Salary and Benefits:	To be determined in accordance with the Kyoto University Regulations
Social Insurance:	Eligible for MEXT* mutual aid association membership, employees' pension, employment insurance, and workers' accident compensation insurance *MEXT: Japan's Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology
Working Hours:	Discretionary labor system, based on 7 hours, 45 minutes (8:30–17:15 work schedule with a one-hour break) per day, 38 hours 45 minutes per week
Holidays:	Saturdays and Sundays; Statutory public holidays of Japan; Year-end and New Year holidays (December 29 through January 3); Kyoto University's Foundation Day (June 18); Summer holidays (three consecutive days in mid-August)

1. Job Description

The Institute for Integrated Cell-Material Sciences (iCeMS) of Kyoto University Institute for Advanced Study (KUIAS) is seeking a suitable candidate for the position of Associate Professor. The successful candidate will be expected to develop a new field of stem cell engineering, on the basis of micro- and nano-scale engineering, through research on artificial reproduction of vital function to better understand its structure. In connection with this, the successful candidate will also be required to secure significant growth of the integrated field of materials science, micro- and nano-scale engineering and bioscience (e.g. cell biology, biophysics, chemical biology), aiming at implementation of research achievements and contribution to education, in such areas as regenerative medicine and iPS cell drug discovery, as well as at creation of innovations.

2. Application Procedure

Candidates are requested to submit the documents listed below via e-mail, putting them in the same order as in the list into a single PDF file titled "Application for Associate Professor Position (Nano-Scale Stem Cell Engineering)." Applications are acceptable in either Japanese or English.

- (1) Curriculum vitae
- (2) List of academic publications, and reprints of up to three (3) key research papers
- (3) List of printed publications other than research papers
- (4) Detailed record of academic activities (affiliated societies), as well as research grants (e.g. "KAKENHI" Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research) and awards received
- (5) Summary of research conducted up to present (in about 1 page of A4 paper)
- (6) Outline of research intended by the candidate at KUIAS, when accepted (in about 1 page of A4 paper)
- (7) Personal goals for advancement of the integrated field of materials science and bioscience (in about 1 page of A4 paper)
- (8) Names and e-mail addresses of two (2) personal references

All documents must arrive at KUIAS by the deadline (January 10, 2018, 5:00 p.m. JST) via e-mail at: 2017kobo_KUIAS[at]mail2.adm.kyoto-u.ac.jp (Note: Replace "[at]" with "@".)

3. Miscellaneous

- * Selection will be done through screening of documents, along with interviews where necessary.
- * All submitted documents and personal information of candidates contained therein will be used solely for the purpose of screening and will not be disclosed, transferred or lent to any third party without justifiable grounds.
- * Kyoto University promotes gender equality. Responses and applications from female researchers are highly welcomed.

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