June 30, 2014

Job Opening for Full Professor at Kyoto University

The Department of Systems Science, Graduate School of Informatics, Kyoto University, is seeking an outstanding candidate for a permanent position of full Professor.

This position belongs to the System Synthesis Division (Mathematical System Theory Group). The successful candidate should have a Ph.D. degree and an outstanding record in his/her research in the field related to mathematical system theory such as signal processing, probability theory and statistics from the viewpoint of both theoretical research and applied research. In addition, the candidate is expected to develop pioneering research in the new field and also conduct the education at the Department of Systems Science and the Undergraduate School of Informatics and Mathematical Science. Furthermore, Japanese language ability might be required for administration work.

Affiliation and Place:

　　System Synthesis Division (Mathematical System Theory Group),

　　Department of Systems Science, Graduate School of Informatics, Kyoto University

　　Yoshida-honmachi, Sakyo-ku, Kyoto 606-8501, Japan

Job specifications:

　　Education, research, and administration work at Department of Systems Science and the Undergraduate School of Informatics and Mathematical Science.

Employment:

　　The starting date is negotiable and can be as soon as April 1st, 2015.

　　Determined in accordance with the existing employment regulations of Kyoto University.

Employment status:

　　Discretionary labor system (38 hours 45 minutes per week under the flexible-hours system).

　　Days off: Saturdays, Sundays, public holidays, Year-end and New Year holidays, Foundation Day, and summer recess.

Salary:

　　Salary based on qualifications and experience is determined in accordance with the existing employment regulations of Kyoto University.

Perquisite:

　　Determined in accordance with the existing employment regulations of Kyoto University.

Insurance:

　　Eligible for MEXT* mutual aid association membership, employment insurance, and workers' compensation insurance.

　　*Japan's Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology

Applicants should prepare the following materials (1) – (8) in English or in Japanese.

1) Complete curriculum vitae including the following items: photo, date of birth, present address, phone number, e-mail address, education, academic/employment carrier.

2) List of research publications divided into "journal articles," "conference proceedings," "books," and others.

3) Reprints or photocopies of at most five major publications.

4) Summary of three most important research papers (two or three A4-sized pages).

5) List of educational experience such as teaching records, development of materials/textbooks, commitment to curriculum development (one or two A4-sized pages).

6) Matters of special note including awards and academic activities (within two A4-sized pages).

7) Summary of the candidate's proposed activities in both research and education (within two A4-sized pages).

8) Names and contact information (at least e-mail addresses) of two or three persons who can give us information about the applicant. (At least one person should be a foreign researcher.)

All the materials should be prepared in the PDF format and saved in a CD/DVD or an USB memory, in addition to a set of printed documents. Application forms must reach <u>no later than September 5, 2014</u> at the following address:

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"Application for Professorship" should be written in red ink on the envelope. Applications by postal mail using EMS, registered mail, or courier are only acceptable. Once received, all documents will not be returned.

For enquiry, send e-mail to manabu*human.sys.i.kyoto-u.ac.jp (replace the * with @).
For more information about the department, see http://www.sys.i.kyoto-u.ac.jp/en/index.html
Kyoto University supports a gender-equal society. Women researchers are strongly encouraged to apply.

(NOTE: This is an English translation of a Japanese original, which supersedes the translation in case of any inconsistencies.)