Associate Professor, Disaster Prevention Technology and Policy Research

Division of Disaster Management for Safe and Secure Society (DMSSS), Research Group on Integrated Arts and Sciences for Disaster Reduction (IASDR) of the Disaster Prevention Research Institute (DPRI), Kyoto University invites applications for an Associate Professor position at the Disaster Prevention Technology and Policy Research Section.

The appointed associate professor is requested to conduct research related to technologies and decision making processes of disaster risk management and reduction in river basins and urban areas where various water-related hazards and multi-hazard phenomena are taking place, applying advanced technologies such as spatiotemporal modeling, computer intensive analysis and remote sensing.

He/she is also expected to contribute to graduate school education at the Department of Civil and Earth Resources Engineering, Graduate School of Engineering, Kyoto University, as well as at the Inter-Graduate School Program for Sustainable Development and Survivable Societies (GSS), which is under the Leading Graduate Schools Program supported by the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) and the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS).

The successful applicant is expected to have a Ph.D. or its equivalent and to be proficient in Japanese.

Applicants should prepare the following material:

- (1) Curriculum vitae
- (2) List of publications (divided clearly into refereed journal papers and others)
- (3) Copies of five relevant papers
- (4) Brief summary of research and related contributions (up to two A4 pages)
- (5) Statement of research plans (up to two A4 pages, including figures)
- (6) Recommendation letters or names and contact information of two references (include addresses, fax numbers, and e-mail addresses)

The complete application package must arrive by the deadline of September 1, 2014 at the following address:

Selection Committee for DMSSS Associate Professor Disaster Prevention Technology and Policy Research Section, DPRI c/o Administrative Office, Uji Campus Kyoto University Uji, Kyoto 611-0011 JAPAN

For inquiry, send email to apply_staff 'at' dpri.kyoto-u.ac.jp (replace 'at' with @)

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