Job Posting (for Assistant Professor)

Affiliation	Laboratory for Materials and Structures, Institute of Innovative Research		
Position title	Assistant Professor		
Number of Openings	1		
Area of Specialization	Design and development of novel solid catalyst materials and reactions.		
Job Description	 The successful candidate will be required to conduct following works and activities. Conduct the research described in 'Area of Specialization'. Supervise undergraduate and graduate students for their research. Engage in the education at Graduate Major in Materials Science and Engineering, Department of Materials Science and Engineering, School of Materials and Chemical Technology. Give classes, exercises, and experiments for undergraduate and graduate students. 		
Qualifications	 Applicants are required to have a Ph.D. or doctoral degree in related fields. Applicants should be highly motivated to conduct the research in 'Area of Specialization' focusing on the structure-performance relationship of complex nanomaterials. Applicants must have achievements in research fields related to catalytic chemistry (not limited to heterogeneous or homogeneous catalysis) and/or synthetic chemistry in a broad sense. Applicants should be able to supervise and teach students in English or Japanese. 		
Location	Suzukakedai Campus Nearest station: Suzukakedai		
Working Hours	De facto working hours* under the discretionary labor system for professional work: 7 hours 45 minutes per day (38 hours 45 minutes per week) *Hours considered as working hours		
Term	Fixed-term appointments will be for up to 5 years. Reappointment may be possible for one additional term of up to 5 years.		
Probationary Period	6 months		

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Salary	 The successful candidate will be paid under the "Annual Salary System with Lump-Sum Retirement Allowance" pursuant to the Institute's Regulations on Wage and Salary for Staff under Annual Salary System with Lump-Sum Retirement Allowance. In accordance with the regulations, the amount of annual salary will be determined based on the standard level for the first fiscal year of employment, and will be based on performance evaluations in subsequent years. A retirement allowance will be paid separately at the time of retirement. Annual salary examples (The amounts listed below are only examples provided in the regulations and do not relate to this position. Moreover, if the requirements are met, various allowances will be paid separately.) Assistant Professor hired immediately after completing a doctoral degree. Standard: JPY 5,000,000 Minimum*: JPY 4,800,000 *The minimum and maximum amounts will vary depending on performance. 		
Social insurance and			
other benefits	Employee's pension, Mutual Aid Association short-term benefits (health insurance),		
	employment insurance, worker's compensation Insurance.		
Employer Proposed Start Date	President of National University Corporation Tokyo Institute of Technology		
	December 1st, 2023 or the earliest possible date thereafter		
Closing Date for Application	Applications must be received by July 11th 12:00 (JST), 2023.		
	Selection will be based on a comprehensive review of applications and interviews.		
	Selected applicants may be asked to have an interview and/or give a presentation		
Selection Process	on campus or by online meeting.		
	Please note that travel expenses for attending in-person interviews will not be		
	reimbursed.		
Required Documents	1) Curriculum vitae (education after high school, professional career, prizes or		
	awards and a photograph. Researcher ID and the registered name in Google Scholar profile).		
	2) Research achievements ((i) a list of peer-reviewed papers, (ii) review papers &		
	commentaries, (iii) books, (iv) patents, (v) invited talks & lectures, and (vi) other		
	remarks. All the author names are listed in each article and in the sequence of publication from new to old with serial numbers assigned. The name of		
	application from new to old with serial numbers assigned. The name of applicant should be marked with an underline. Impact factor and the number of		
	citations given by Researcher ID are added.		
	 3) PDF files of up to three representative papers. 		

	 4) List of research funding (All the funds are classified by the funding system. Name of research funding and organization, title of the research project, research period, name of principal investigator, total budget, and budget provided for the applicant are listed clearly). 5) Summary of past research activities (up to A4 two pages). 6) Future plan of research and education (up to A4 one page). 7) List of awards received and social activity records including activities in academic societies. 8) List of one reference with his/her names, affiliations, positions, telephone numbers, and e-mail addresses. 9) An Excel file downloaded from http://www.msl.titech.ac.jp/assets/files/employment/ApplicationForm e_Name.xlsx and filled with required information. Insert your name into the file name by replacing "Name" after the underscore. 		
How to Submit an Application	The required documents from #1 to #8 must be converted to PDF files, and archived to a ZIP compressed file with the Excel file #9. Other digital formats are not accepted. The total size of the ZIP file should be smaller than 20MB. Please submit the ZIP file by one of the following methods: 1) Please send the ZIP file by email as an attached file with the subject "Application for IIR Assistant Professor" to the email address below. The documents should be password-protected, if necessary. 2) Please submit the ZIP file as one file through JREC-IN portal Web (https://jrecin.jst.go.jp/seek/SeekJorDetail?fn=3&dt=1&id=D123050575&In_jor=1). A reply will be sent back to the applicant within three working days after submission. If no reply, refer to Prof. Hara		
Where to Submit	Prof. Michikazu Hara, Chair of Selection Committee, Head of Laboratory for Materials and Structures, Institute of Innovative Research, Tokyo Institute of Technology E-mail: <u>selection2023@msl.titech.ac.jp</u>		
Contacts	Prof. Michikazu Hara Professor of Laboratory for Materials and Structures, Institute of Innovative Research, Tokyo Institute of Technology E-mail: <u>mhara@msl.titech.ac.jp</u>		

	1.	Application documents will not be returned. The personal information
		provided in the submitted documents will be used solely for recruitment and
		not for any other purpose, pursuant to the Institute's applicable rules and
		regulations.
	2.	Tokyo Institute of Technology, in order to ensure a diverse workforce,
		guarantees equal opportunities for all individuals regardless of nationality or
		gender.
Other	3.	Smoking is prohibited on campus (excluding designated outdoor smoking
		areas).
	4.	Questions regarding the applicability of the "Specific Categories" under the
		Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act may be asked during the selection
		process.
	5.	For more information, please refer to the following link.
		https://www.hyoka.koho.titech.ac.jp/eprd/recently/koubo/koubo.php?lang=e
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