

JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

The Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences at the University of Tsukuba is seeking applicants for an Assistant Professor in the field of Islamic Religion and Thought.

1. Position

Full-time non-tenured assistant professor (Islamic Religion and Thought)

2. Term of Employment

Three-year, plus two additional years based on a renewal assessment (non-tenure track, five years in total)

3. Start of Employment

September 1, 2023 or later

*The annual salary system (年俸制) is applied. Salary is based on age, qualifications, and experience, as per university policy.

4. Field of Study

Islamic Religion and Thought

5. Responsibilities

- (1) Teaching courses on Seminar in Comparative Religions, Lecture in Comparative Religions and others related subjects at the College of Comparative Culture
- (2) Teaching courses on Religious Studies in Philosophy Subprogram in Humanities Program at the Graduate Program of Humanities and Social Sciences
- (3) Teaching other courses and administrative tasks in related College and Graduate School
- (4) Administrative tasks for promoting educational and research collaborations with foreign universities
- (5) Research and administrative tasks for ARENA (Alliance for Research on the Mediterranean and North Africa)
- (6) Other related tasks

6. Qualifications

- (1) A doctoral degree, or a certificate of obtaining a doctoral degree prior to employment
- (2) At least three research achievements in the field of Islamic Religion and Thought (at least one publication in English).
- (3) Arabic language skills
- (4) Japanese language skills required to perform duties of the position

7. Documents for application

- (1) Curriculum vitae (file No. 19, Form No. 3, downloadable), including a detailed description of the applicant's educational background, academic and other professional activities, date of birth, home and office addresses, telephone numbers, and email address

- (2) List of up to five (at least three) main publications (the applicant may include doctoral dissertation and forthcoming publications with certificates) within the last five years (file No. 20, Form No. 4, downloadable)
- (3) List of teaching experience within the last five years (file No. 21, Form No. 5, downloadable)
- (4) An essay on educational and research plan at the University of Tsukuba (within one page) (file No. 22, Form No. 6, downloadable)
- (5) Copies and photocopies of at least three and not more than five main publications listed in (2).
- (6) Summaries of each of the main publications listed in (2) (800 characters in Japanese or 400 words in English) (free format)
- (7) List of all publications and presentations including forthcoming publications with certificates (file No.23, downloadable). (If the applicant has received grants, award, or other type of external research funding, please be sure to include the information)
- (8) Cover letter with the applicant's email address and telephone number (free format)
- (9) Consent to Processing and Extraterritorial Transfer of Personal Data under DGPR (EU General Data Protection Regulation). (Applicants located in the countries that make up the European Economic Area or in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland should submit the consent form. The form is downloadable from the link below.)
- (10) Self-Declaration on Specific Categories (downloadable)
- (11) Two references (free format; name, affiliation, email address, and phone number)

*Files of all the forms are downloadable from the link below:

<https://www.jinsha.tsukuba.ac.jp/jobs/application-documents>

*Please follow the instructions provided in the template files when you fill in the forms.

8. Deadline for Application

March 31 (Friday), 2023 (Japan Time) (Deadline for Receipt)

9. Selection

*Short-listed candidates will be invited for an interview in Japanese and English that may include a presentation on research and a microteaching demonstration. Travel expenses will be borne by the applicant. Interviews for applicants residing abroad will be conducted in an alternative manner. However, interviews might be held online, depending on the state of the coronavirus pandemic.

10. Submission of the Application Documents

The Office of Subprogram in Philosophy, Degree Programs in Humanities and Social Sciences,
University of Tsukuba

1-1-1 Tenno-dai, Tsukuba, Ibaraki 305-8571, Japan

*Write in red "Islam Kyoin Obo" on the package, and send it by registered mail.

*Submitted materials are not returned unless a self-addressed stamped envelope is enclosed.

*Candidates may also submit their application as a PDF document via the JREC-IN Portal website.

11. Contact Information

The Office of Subprogram in Philosophy, Graduate Program of Humanities

Email: senko-jimu#@# logos.tsukuba.ac.jp

*Write "Inquiry regarding Job Opening in Islam Kyoin"

12. Note

(1) "IMAGINE THE FUTURE Assistant Professor System" is applied to this position. See the website below for more information about it.

<https://www.tsukuba.ac.jp/about/jobs-information/pdf/itf-assistantprofessor.pdf>

*An English version is coming soon.

(2) The University of Tsukuba selects personnel in accordance with the spirit of the "Basic Law for a Gender-Equal Society" and the principles and policies of the "University of Tsukuba Basic Principles and Basic Plan for Diversity".

(3) The University of Tsukuba has established "University of Tsukuba Security Export Control Regulations" based on "Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act", and conduct strict examination when employing foreign nationals, persons from foreign universities, companies, government agencies, etc., or persons who fall under a specific category.