

Assistant professors for tenure track system in the field of life and environmental sciences (Shimoda Marine Research Center, University of Tsukuba)

Institution : University of Tsukuba

Department : Shimoda Marine Research Center

Institution type : National university

Outline : The Shimoda Marine Research Center at the University of Tsukuba is seeking candidates for the assistant professor with prominent performance in the fields of life science, ecological sciences, and environmental dynamics/sustainable environmental studies to promote innovative research and educational activities. Successful candidates will be required to perform international collaborative researches under close collaboration with the mentors in the Shimoda Marine Research Center and an institute abroad. For this purpose, selected candidate is obligated to stay at an institute abroad for at least 2 years during her/his employment.

Job description :

- 1) Conduct research in life and environmental sciences and ecological sciences in the ocean
- 2) Teach undergraduate (College of Biological Sciences) and graduate students (Master's/ Doctoral Program in Biological Sciences)
- 3) Program management duties in the School of Life and Environmental Sciences, Graduate School of Life and Environmental Sciences, and the Shimoda Marine Research Center
- 4) International collaborative research at an institute abroad

Research fields. : Life and Environmental Sciences, Ecological Sciences

The assistant professors are obligated to stay at an institute abroad for at least 2 years during their employment and required to perform research activities under supervision of mentor professors at the Shimoda Marine Research Center, University of Tsukuba. Therefore, applicants must discuss a candidate mentor abroad and include the name of the candidate mentor abroad in the

application document.

Rank : Assistant professor level

Job type : Full time with limited term until 31st March, 2023. If pass an examination and evaluation at the end of the tenure track term, the successor will move into a tenured position.)

Work location : **【Tokai District】** Shizuoka Prefecture

Addresses : 5-10-1 Shimoda, Shizuoka 415-0025, Japan

Number of positions: One position

Position : Assistant professor

Qualifications :

- 1) Doctoral Degree or Ph.D. acquired within 10 years
- 2) Outstanding research achievement and professional experience
- 3) Applicants are expected to publish high-level papers in excellent journals with high impact factors during their tenure track period

Employment conditions : Salary and allowances will be provided in accordance with the university guidelines (6,480,000 JPY/year).

Deadline for applications : All application materials should be sent to the following address no later than 18th January 2019

Starting date : Estimated to be from April 1st, 2019 (start date can be negotiated after becoming a final candidate)

Application materials :

- 1) Curriculum Vitae
- 2) List of research activities
- 3) Summary of research activities (less than 300 words)
- 4) Brief statement on future research (less than 200 words)
- 5) Brief statement on education (less than 200 words)

6) Name and contact address of expected mentor abroad, also summary of research activities, list of significant publications or articles of the mentor (any form acceptable, but less than 2 pages A4 or letter size paper)

7) Reprints of your three to five significant publications or articles

Application materials should be sent to:

(1) Via Post: Prof. Yasunori Sasakura

Shimoda Marine Research Center, University of Tsukuba,

Shimoda, Shizuoka, 415-0025, Japan

(2) Via e-mail: pdfs with 1) - 7) each in a single file, pdf(s) of 3-5 selected articles.

All materials should be sent to

sasakura@shimoda.tsukuba.ac.jp (Prof. Yasunori Sasakura)

Selection process : The applicants will be examined by application materials.

Contact professors: Professor Yasunori Sasakura (sasakura@shimoda.tsukuba.ac.jp)

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