

International Recruitment for a Tenure-Track Assistant Professor Position Graduate School of Science and Engineering, Yamagata University, Japan

1. Institution Graduate School of Science and Engineering, Yamagata University

2. Research field Electrical and Electronic Engineering

Specialized field : Electric Power and Energy Conversion, Optical and Electromagnetic
Wave Sensing, and Quantum Device Engineering

3. Qualification requirements

Applicants must hold a Ph.D. degree acquired within the past 10 years and the excellent research achievements in the fields mentioned above.

According to the “Action Plan of Yamagata University”, female or foreign assistant professors will be recruited preferentially in this program.

4. Working conditions

(1) Position : Assistant Professor (Tenure-track)

(2) Salary : Approximately 7,000,000 yen

(3) Period for Tenure-track : From Oct 1st, 2012 to March 31st, 2017

(4) Working style : Full-time

(5) Place of work : Graduate School of Science and Engineering, Yamagata University
Yonezawa city, Yamagata 992-8510

(6) Promotion : The tenure-track assistant professor hired through this recruitment program has a possibility to be promoted to associate professor with permanent position of Yamagata University through an evaluation of the achievements. At least two years of experience in this program is necessary before applying for this evaluation.

(7) Research support: The fund approximately 6,000,000 yen / year in the first and the second year, and research space will be provided. Research can be conducted either independently or collaboratively with other professors.

5. Expected day of appointment : Oct 1st, 2012

6. Application documents

(1) Curriculum vitae (education after high school, working experiences, and photograph).

(2) List of research achievements for the following items: peer-reviewed papers, articles presented at international conferences, books, reviews, patents, awards, and competitive research funds. Please make the list separately for each item.

(3) Future education plan (at most one page).

(4) Summary of research accomplishment and future research plans (at most one page).

(5) Copies of major papers (within 10 papers).

(6) List of two reference persons with contact addresses and e-mail.

7. Submission deadline : June 30th, 2012 at 12p.m. (Japan time)

8. Submission of applicant documents

Make one PDF file including all application documents (1) through (6) mentioned above and attach as one file (less than 10MB) to an e-mail sent to the address below.

Evaluation and Selection Committee for Assistant Professor Positions at Yamagata University

e-mail : yu-recruit@yz.yamagata-u.ac.jp

Please set the title of the e-mail to “Application for assistant professor (Electrical and electronic engineering)”. All the documents must be written in English or Japanese. Personal information is used only for the selection process, which is protected by Personal Information Protection Policy of Yamagata University (<http://www.yamagata-u.ac.jp/html/info/e-pipp.html>). If you will not receive notice of receipt within 7 days after submission, please notify us at the contact address below.

9. Selection process

Submitted documents will be examined in terms of research area, research ability, and educational ability at the first selection process. The second selection process will include an interview and a presentation by the applicant.

10. Contact address for inquiries

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