

Job Information: Associate Professor or Lecturer

Employer: Yokohama National University

The Division of Natural Environment and Information Research in the Graduate School of Environment and Information Sciences, Yokohama National University, invites applications for one faculty position as an associate professor or lecturer in the field of avian or mammalian ecology and/or sciences in sustainable system with human society and ecosystem.

1. Job title

Associate Professor or Lecturer

2. Affiliation

Division of Natural Environment and Information Research, Graduate School of Environment and Information Sciences

3. Position start date

January 1, 2016, or earliest date thereafter

4. Term of employment

Tenured position, retirement age is 65

5. Salary

Follows regulations of Yokohama National University (minimum 319 000 Japanese yen per month as gross salary before deducing taxes and insurances)

6. Academic fields

Avian or mammalian ecology and/or sciences in sustainable system with human society and ecosystem

Fields in Japan Research Career Information Network (JST JREC-IN)

<https://jrecin.jst.go.jp/seek/fields.html>

[Environmental science] - [Sustainable and environmental system development]

[Biology] - [Basic biology]

[Agricultural science] - [Boundary agriculture]

7. Job description

(1) Teaching classes

Graduate classes in the Master's Course and Doctoral Course of the Graduate School of Environment and Information Sciences

<http://www.eis.ynu.ac.jp/english/>

Undergraduate classes in the Ecology, Earth, and Environmental Sciences Program, College of Engineering Science

<http://www.es.ynu.ac.jp/english/education/dep/dep3.html>

Other lectures: An omnibus lecture as general education for Yokohama National University students

(2) Supervising graduate study, master's and doctoral thesis

(3) Conducting own academic research

(4) Working with university administration and admissions and making social contributions as a member of the Yokohama National University community

8. Qualification requirements

(1) Applicants are required to have a doctoral degree related to the above research fields.

(2) Applicants should have sufficient academic ability for the job described above.

(3) Applicants whose native language is not Japanese should have sufficient language skills for the jobs described above (administrative meetings and business documents). Classes and academic discussions can be conducted in English.

9. Selection process

Selection will be made by document screening and interviews. The travel expenses for the interview will be covered by applicants.

10. Application materials

(1) Curriculum vitae (including photo, academic record, and job history)

(2) A document describing research experiences (including explanations of the importance of the research and the original contribution made by the applicant), education experiences (including improvement of teaching methods by the applicant, if such exists), and activities in scientific and other societies (less than two A4 or letter size pages)

(3) List of bibliographic information of scientific papers and books written by the applicant. Co-authored materials can be included.

(4) PDF files of selected important papers in the list above

- (5) Short descriptions of five important papers in the list above (maximum 800 characters including spaces and punctuation for each paper)
- (6) List of projects financially supported by grant funding (provide name of the funding agency, first and last year of support, title of the research project, whether the applicant was the principal investigator or a co-investigator, and the amount of research funding provided)
- (7) A document describing the applicant's plan for future research developments at Yokohama National University (one A4 or letter size page) and the educational plan for classes at Yokohama National University (one A4 or letter size page)
- (8) A copy of a document(s) certifying the applicant's ability to communicate effectively in the Japanese language if the native language is not Japanese
- (9) Names of two references familiar with the scientific activities of the applicant (name, affiliation, phone number, and e-mail address)
- (10) A copy of doctoral diploma
- (11) Applicants may be required to submit some additional materials during the selection process.

11. Submitting application materials

Combine application materials into a single PDF file (except for very large scientific papers) and send to: ees-post@ynu.ac.jp

12. Deadline of application

17:00 Japan Standard Time on June 30, 2015

13. Contact and inquiries

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Graduate School of Environment and Information Sciences, 79-7 Tokiwadi,
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14. Japanese document for the same job offer

<http://www.ynu.ac.jp/hus/envk/13275/detail.html>

Note: All information provided will be used solely for this recruitment and not for any other purposes. Yokohama National University aims for diversity in gender and ethnic groups among the university community. Applicants will not be discriminated against due to their gender or ethnic group.