

Call for Applications for Tenure-Track Positions at Chiba University 2014

We are inviting applications for a tenure-track position (at the rank of associate professor) in the research area for a 5-year term, ending in Japanese academic year 2019.

1. Job title, number of position:

Associate professor (a tenure-track position of a maximum of five years), 1

Tenure review will be held during the five-year term. As a principle, a successful member in the tenure assessment will be promoted to a tenured associate professor at the Department of Chiba University.

2. Research and Education area:

Condensed matter physics (experimental), spectroscopy and quantum transport in nano-structure system.

The graduate school of science is seeking a young scientist as a tenure-track associate professor (in principle as a tenure-track faculty provided by Chiba University Tenure-track System). We are seeking applicants with significant achievements and expertise in research fields of spectroscopy and quantum transport in nano-structure system who can conduct the research in collaboration with the member(s) of quantum optics and quantum transport laboratory of the department of physics. The appointee will be engaged in education and research of the graduate and undergraduate courses, and general education of Chiba University.

3. Starting Date: At the earliest possible date after the selection, no later than April 1, 2015.

4. Qualifications:

Applicants should hold a Ph.D. degree (or a corresponding degree within 10 years after receipt of the degree) and should be highly qualified in the research area specified above. Applicants should hold the Japanese Language Proficiency Test (Level 2 at least), for non-native Japanese speaker.

5. Basic salary:

Basic salary is determined in accordance with regulations of Chiba University and with consideration of qualification, work experience and achievement.

6. Application documents:

- (1) Curriculum vitae (4 cm × 5 cm photo attached)
- (2) List of publications (Description style is arbitrary. List should be written on A4-size paper and be divided into (a) original research articles, (b) review articles, (c) books, (d) patents, (e) conference presentations, (f) scientific research grants, (g) awards)
- (3) Reprints or copies of representative publications, not exceeding five
- (4) Summary of previous research and ambitions for research (A4 size paper approximately 4 pages)
- (5) Teaching experience and ambitions for education
- (6) Name, position, address, phone number and e-mail address of two references
- (7) A copy of certificate of the Japanese Language Proficiency Test, for non-Japanese applicant

Submission of (1) - (7) in both print and electronic (MS word doc or PDF file saved in a CD-ROM) versions is required. All documents should be written in English or Japanese.

7. Application deadline: The application must arrive by August 1st, on 17:00, 2014 (JST).

8. Address for submitting the application:

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The application should be sent by registered mail, with “Application documents for associate professor position in the Department of Physics” written in red on the envelope. Application documents will not be returned. Personal information is protected by the relevant Japanese law and the rules of Chiba University. (Although your application is kept secret, inquiry may be made to the references specified in the Application Form)

9. Other information:

During the selection procedure, those who pass the first step based on the application documents submitted will be called for an interview at Chiba University. Travel expenses will not be paid. The final decision will be made by the Evaluation and Selection Committee for Tenure-Track Positions. Selection result will be notified individually. In case of the equivalent of education and research results, female and/or non-native Japanese speaker and/or person who has some experiences of working in other institution will be given priority. For any inquiry, please contact to Prof. Kenichi Oto, Department of Physics, Graduate School of Science, Chiba University (phone & FAX: +81-43-290-2761; E-mail: oto@physics.s.chiba-u.ac.jp).