

IMSS17-1 Assistant Professor

Job No.	IMSS17-1
Title	Assistant Professor (Contract until March 31, 2021)
Details	Contract until March 31, 2021 , but after a review and evaluation of the candidate's knowledge, experience, publications, personal evaluation, leadership of the project, achievements and ability in education and outreach activities, and communication capabilities to be held, the candidate may be offered permanent employment as an Assistant or Associate Professor on completion of the contract. The candidate is expected to have provision for the long range future of the IMSS, and to be willing to change his or her scientific field if required.
Number of Job Opening	2-3 Persons
Inst./ Lab.	Synchrotron Radiation Science Division I and II
Term	It can continue by contract until March 31, 2021 in the single year in the term of office.
Start of the term	As early as possible after December 1, 2017 (Starting from April 1, 2018 is feasible)
Appl. Deadline	Application due date (to reach KEK) is 17:00 on Wednesday September 27, 2017 (Japan time).

Job Description

The Institute of Materials Structure Science (IMSS) promotes extensive and crosscut use of four types of quantum beams, synchrotron radiation (SR), neutrons, muons and positrons, in materials and life sciences. **The successful candidates will belong to the Synchrotron Radiation Science Division and will be actively involved in the following programs (either (1) or (2)) for promoting innovative and industrial user research activities at Photon Factory.**
(1) Construction, R&D, maintenance, and user support of a new soft X-ray beamline BL-19.
(2) Consultation, instruction and support for academic and industrial users at existing beamlines.

Qualification

A person who has knowledges and experiences in the research area and ability to conduct research and education. Holding a doctoral degree is **mandatory**.

Method of Selection

Interviews for the selected candidates will be held after the reviewing process of all applications. The details will be informed to the eligible candidates later. The interview date will be **late October, 2017**.

Salary

Salary and various allowances are determined according to the KEK rules. (Annual salary system)

Please submit (A4 size paper (29.5cm x 21cm or similar size))

- 1) Curriculum vitae ([Designated form of KEK](#))
 - * Please be sure to write the job number IMSS17-1, and the possible date you would be able to start the job at the Institute of Materials Structure Science. Please write your birth date as well.)
 - * If you apply for more than one job openings in KEK, please indicate all the job numbers you apply for and your priorities in your CV.
- 2) Research experience
- 3) Publication list
- 4) Research plan at Institute of Materials Structure Science in KEK
- 5) Reprints of major publication (up to 3)
- 6) Other reference materials (list of invited talks, awards, track record of obtaining research grants etc.)
- 7) Recommendation or reference letter(s)
(Recommendation or reference letter(s) must be addressed to Dr. Kazuyoshi Yamada, Director of IMSS attention to Personnel Affairs Unit 1 of KEK.)

Notes

- 1) Application documents
 - * Please submit application documents by using our Web system.
 - * Since we will issue your own password, please send an e-mail to jini1@ml.post.kek.jp.
(Please write "IMSS17-1" in the email subject and write your name, current position and phone number in the body of the email.)
 - * We accept only PDF files.
 - * If you cannot use our web system, please contact us by e-mail.
 - * We cannot accept submissions by e-mail attached with application documents.
- 2) Recommendation or reference letter(s)
 - * We accept PDF file of recommendation or reference letter(s) to jini1@ml.post.kek.jp by email.
(Please write "Recommendation for ***** (IMSS17-1)" to the email subject.)
 - * We accept paper of recommendation or reference letter(s) by post mail as well.
Post mail to: Personnel Affairs Unit 1, KEK
1-1 Oho, Tsukuba, Ibaraki 305-0801, Japan

(Attention) We may not be able to receive your mail from free e-mail account.

If there is no reply within a few days, please try a different email address or apply by post mail.

For more information: please contact

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Others

KEK is promoting gender equality. In accordance with the intent of “Basic Act for Gender Equal Society”, when the finalists for a position comprise both males and females whose qualifications and merit, including experiences, education, research achievements and social contributions, have been deemed equal, preference will be given to the female candidate.

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