Job Opening: Researcher for Wako Nuclear Science Center, IPNS, KEK

Title: Researcher Position
Number of Job Opening: one person
Inst/Group: Wako Nuclear Science Center, Institute of Particle and Nuclear Studies (IPNS)
Term: Up to the end of March 2025 with the contract renewed every year.
Start of the term: From April 1, 2023 (the starting date is negotiable).
Appl. Deadline: by February 10, 2023, Japan time

Job Description
The position is under KAKENHI project on “Extended study of the origins of heavy elements via comprehensive mass measurements of short-lived nuclides.”
We seek individuals who mainly conduct nuclear physics experiments via precise mass measurements of short-lived nuclides, including the development of mass spectrographs.

Qualification
Applicant must have a Ph.D. obtained at the time of application, or is sure to get Ph.D. prior to starting the term at KEK.

Method of Selection
Generally, selection is made based on documents submitted.

Salary
Expected salary range is about 300,000 JPY per month.
Salary and various allowances are determined according to the KEK rules. (Annual salary system)

Work Location
Wako Nuclear Science Center of High Energy Accelerator Research Organization at RIKEN Wako Campus

Working Hours
In principle, discretionary work system for professional work is applied and working
hours will be deemed as 7 hours and 45 minutes per day.

Please submit
Following documents should be sent by email in pdf format to the group leader, Michiharu Wada, at the email (michiharu.wada@kek.jp)
1) Curriculum vitae (possible start date should be written)
2) Research statement
3) List of publications
4) Names and contact details for 2 referees who can provide independent assessments of the candidate

For more information: please contact
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Others
1) 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.
2) An option for working at home is available to improve work-life balance or to cope with exceptional working environment.

Private information
Private information obtained from application documents will not be used or provided to any third party for purposes other than the necessary procedures related to personnel affairs, salary, and welfare. Please note that documents submitted for the recruitment process will not be returned to the applicant.