

Job Posting for Assistant Professor

Polymer Chemistry Area, Department of Chemical Science and Engineering, School of Materials and Chemical Technology, Tokyo Institute of Technology

Affiliation	Department of Chemical Science and Engineering, School of Materials and Chemical Technology
Position title	Assistant Professor
Number of Openings	1
Area of Specialization	Polymer chemistry area and the related areas including polymer structure, polymer properties, polymer design, and physical chemistry.
Job Description	The successful candidate will be required to carry out research on polymer structures, properties, and design. The successful candidate will be required to engage in research, teaching, and supervising undergraduate and graduate students, in collaboration with Professor Masatoshi Tokita.
Qualifications	Candidates must hold a Ph.D. or are expected to complete a Ph.D. by the end of March 2023. Candidates should have sufficient research experience in one of the above-mentioned specialized fields. Candidates should be able to actively engage in research and education in his/her field of specialization and in teaching related preliminary courses.
Location	Ookayama Campus Nearest station: Ookayama
Working Hours	Defacto working hours* under the discretionary labor system for professional work: 7 hours 45 minutes per day (38 hours 45 minutes per week) *Hours considered as working hours
Term	Fixed-term appointments will be for up to 5 years. Reappointment may be possible for one additional term of up to 5 years. The total term is limited to a maximum of 10 years from the original date of employment.
Probationary Period	6 months
Salary	The successful candidate will be paid under the “Annual Salary System with Lump-Sum Retirement Allowance” pursuant to the Institute’s Regulations on Wage and Salary for Staff under Annual Salary System with Lump-Sum Retirement Allowance. In accordance with the regulations, the amount of annual salary will be determined based on the standard level for the first fiscal year of employment, and will be based on performance evaluations in subsequent years. A retirement allowance will be paid separately at the time of retirement.

	<p>Annual salary examples (The amounts listed below are only examples provided in the regulations and do not relate to this position.)</p> <p>Assistant professor hired immediately after completing a doctoral degree Standard: JPY 5,000,000 Minimum*: JPY 4,800,000 Maximum*: JPY 5,600,000 *The minimum and maximum amounts will vary depending on performance.</p>
Social insurance and other benefits	Employee's pension, Mutual Aid Association short-term benefits (health insurance), employment insurance, worker's compensation Insurance.
Employer	President of National University Corporation Tokyo Institute of Technology
Proposed Start Date	April 1st, 2023 or the earliest possible date thereafter.
Closing Date for Application	Applications must be received by September 30, 2022
Selection Process	Selection will be based on a comprehensive review of applications and interviews. Interviews will be conducted on a face-to-face or hybrid basis (online and face-to-face). Please note that travel expenses for attending in-person interviews will not be reimbursed.
Required Documents	<p>List of required documents</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Curriculum vitae including education from high school onward, and a photo. 2. Accomplishment statement, including: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Original papers published in refereed journals b. Other works including review articles, books, etc. c. Presentations in scientific conferences d. Patents, etc. <p>All the coauthors should appear in the same order as published. For refereed papers in a. and b., include the number of citations, your h-index, and name of database* used.</p> <p>*Google Scholar Citations, Scopus, Web of Science, or Publons</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Summary of major research achievements to date (A4 or letter size, two pages or less) 4. Copy of maximum three significant papers. 5. Brief statement of research and teaching plans (A4 or letter size, one page) 6. Other information, including a list of awards, a list of acquired research grants and external funds. Include names of the funds, project titles, amounts, periods of research, and allocated amounts (if not the principal researcher).

	<p>7. Two references with names, affiliations, and contact details (telephone number and e-mail address)</p> <p>8. The MS-Excel file for the applicant information. The formats are available from the Web page for this job posting in JREC-IN Portal.</p>
How to Submit an Application	<p>Convert the required documents 1 through 7 into the PDF files, combine the PDF files and the MS-Excel file (item 8) into a zip file, and send the zip file via JREC-IN Portal.</p> <p>JREC-IN Portal</p> <p>https://jrecin.jst.go.jp/seek/SeekJorDetail?fn=1&ln=1&id=D122080452&ln_jor=1</p>
Contacts	<p>Masatoshi Tokita</p> <p>Professor</p> <p>Department of Chemical Science and Engineering, School of Materials and Chemical Technology</p> <p>Email: tokita.m.aa@m.titech.ac.jp</p>
Other	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The personal information provided in the submitted documents will be used solely for recruitment and not for any other purpose, pursuant to the Institute's applicable rules and regulations. 2. Tokyo Institute of Technology, in order to ensure a diverse workforce, guarantees equal opportunities for all individuals regardless of nationality or gender. 3. Smoking is prohibited on campus (excluding designated outdoor smoking areas). 4. For more information, please refer to the following link. http://www.hyoka.koho.titech.ac.jp/eprd/recently/koubo/koubo.php?lang=en