Announcement of Job Opening for Project Assistant Professor in Division of Endocrinology and Metabolism, Department of Homeostatic Regulation, National Institute for Physiological Sciences (NIPS), National Institutes of Natural Sciences (NINS), Okazaki, Japan

1. Positions Available

National Institute for Physiological Sciences invites applications for the following academic positions: Project Assistant Professor in Division of Endocrinology and Metabolism, Department of Homeostatic Regulation, NIPS

2. Job description and research area

National Institute for Physiological Sciences aims to understand the function of human body and brain. Professor Yasuhiko Minokoshi, a head of Division of Endocrinology and Metabolism, is studying the hypothalamic control of food intake, tissue metabolism and the role of AMP kinase in energy metabolism (Nature 2002, Nature 2004, Cell Metabolism 2009, Diabetes 2009, 2013, 2107, Cell Reports 2017, etc). Applicants are primarily expected to have expertise in the field of neuroscience, endocrinology and metabolism, and to perform researches together with Professor Minokoshi.

3. Application qualification

Applicants should have a Ph.D. degree or an equivalent scientific career.

4. Conditions of employment

Contract is renewed every year. The longest appointment period is five years. (http://www.nips.ac.jp/eng/recruit/index.html)

5. Application and required documents;

- 1) Complete CV
- List of publications (with full author lists, titles, Journal names, volumes and page numbers using the separate sheet)
- 3) List of funding and grant
- 4) Research statement (including research interest and future plans; about 700 words)
- 5) Two sets of reprints of main publications; 3 papers or less
- 6) Recommendation letter(s)

6. Deadline February23, 2018

7. Day of arrival at the post

The earlier appointment is preferred.

8. Gender equality

NIPS, NINS is promoting a Gender Equality Program by taking various measures to create a workspace where both men and women are able to give full rein to their talents and abilities (http://www.nins.jp/english/gender_equality/index.php).

9. Contact details

Please send the application by mail to the address below; The Personnel section, Okazaki Administration Center, NINS Nishigonaka 38, Myodaiji, Okazaki, Aichi 444-8585, JAPAN (Please indicate "This mail contains the application form for the Project Assistant Professor Position in the Division of Endocrinology and Metabolism, National Institute for Physiological Sciences" on the envelope.)

Further enquiries should be made to;

(About the salary and other benefits) The personnel section, Okazaki Administration Center, NINS Nishigonaka 38, Myodaiji, Okazaki, Aichi 444-8585, JAPAN Phone; +81-564-55-7113 E-mail; r7113@orion.ac.jp

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10. Handling of Personal Data;

All the private data in application for employment is handled in strict confidentiality, and such data is not utilized for any other purpose. Application documents will not be returned.