Professor, National Institute for Physiological Sciences (NIPS), National Institutes of Natural Sciences (NINS), Okazaki, Japan

1. Job title

Professor (One Position)

2. Research field

The National Institute for Physiological Sciences aims to understand the function of the human body and brain. In line with this broad theme, we call for applicants who will actively undertake research to understand the relationship between the activity of individual neurons, microcircuits and the local brain regions, and how this activity relates to higher brain functions such as cognitive and social behaviors. The successful applicants will be expected to employ cutting edge or novel strategies to address these questions. Approaches that undertake large scale analysis of neural information processing and/or incorporate computational modelling or approaches would be seen favorably. The successful applicant is also required to supervise and educate graduate students as a Faculty Member of SOKENDAI (The Graduate School for Advanced Studies).

3. Appointment period

Five years. Reappointment may be possible.

4. Application and required documents;

- 1. Recommendation letter(s) (in the accompanied form)
- 2. Complete CV (in the accompanied form)
- 3. List of publications (using the separate sheet 1)
- 4. Two sets of reprints of main publications; 10 papers or less
- 5. Research statement (including research interest and future plans; about 600 words)
- 6. Other information (such as those listed in separate sheet 2)
- * Please note that documents will not be returned to applicants.

5. Deadline December 20, 2016

6. Start of Employment

The earlier, the better

7. 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).

8. 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 Professor Position in the Division of Behavioral Development, 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 Nishigo-naka 38, Myodaiji, Okazaki, Aichi 444-8585, JAPAN Phone; +81-564-55-7113 E-mail; r7113@orion.ac.jp

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Handling 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.