

Project Assistant Professor in the Division of Cell Structure, National Institutes for Physiological Sciences (NIPS), National Institutes of Natural Sciences (NINS),
Okazaki, Japan
Mikio Furuse Lab

1. Job Title

Project Assistant Professor in the Division of Cell Structure (one position)

2. Research Field

The research focus in Furuse lab is to elucidate the molecular mechanisms of epithelial barrier function and paracellular transport in terms of the function of molecules of cell-cell junctions, cytoskeletons, etc. We call for applicants who are willing to promote the above research by combined approaches of cell biology and physiology using cultured epithelial cells and genetically modified mice. Applicants are also required to take part in education for graduate students as a faculty member of SOKENDAI (The Graduate School for Advanced Studies).

Please note that this position is not for a principal investigator, and is equivalent to a research scientist position in the U.S. and Canada.

3. Qualifications

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

4. Appointment period

Contract is renewed every year. The longest appointment period is five years.

5. Required documents;

- 1) Complete CV (in the accompanying form)
- 2) List of publications (with full author lists, titles, Journal names, volumes and page numbers)
- 3) Two sets of reprints of main publications; 3 papers or less
- 4) Research statement (including research interest and future plans; about 600 words)
- 5) Recommendation letter(s) (in the accompanying form)

*The forms can be downloaded from the following URL.

<https://www.nips.ac.jp/eng/recruit/index.html>

Please note that documents will not be returned to applicants.

6. Deadline

March 13, 2020

7. Start of Employment

May 1, 2020 or later

8. Others

(1) Gender Equity

- a) NIPS is promoting a Gender Equity 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.
- b) NIPS gives hiring priority to women when they are recognized as equivalent during performance evaluations.
- c) NIPS includes consideration for periods when researchers did not perform research due to leave for maternity, elderly and child care if applicants specify such periods in their CV.

(2) Handling of personal data

Personal information in the application are handled in strict confidentiality, and will not be utilized for any other purposes. Application documents will not be returned.

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 “Project Assistant Professor Position in the Division of Cell Structure, NIPS” on the envelope.)

Further enquiries should be sent to;

(About the salary and other benefits)

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(About the research)

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