

Job Opportunity at Division of Biological Sciences, Graduate School of Science, Nagoya University

1. Open Position: One tenure-track Assistant Professor “Jokyo” (non-PI [principal investigator] assistant professor)

2. Group: Group of Neural Circuit, Graduate School of Science, Nagoya University

3. Field and Mission: The brain is a highly complex information processing system that integrates multiple dimensions of external and internal information into a specific output. The aim of our study is to understand the mechanism behind this processing by using fruit flies. We seek a person who can engage in our research activities.

4. Starting date: January 1, 2019 or later.

5. Term

5 years from the date of taking up employment. Research quality and performance as a faculty member (e.g., teaching, laboratory management, research grant) will be evaluated in the fifth year of employment. If overall performance including research achievement is assessed to be outstanding, the applicant will be tenured. If otherwise, then the appointee will be given the opportunity to be reemployed as a designated assistant professor for a period of not more than one year, dated as of the end of the first term of employment.

6. Eligibility: Applicants must hold a Ph.D. by January 1, 2019. A good command of English and/or Japanese is required. Candidates who have experience in neuroscience using fruitfly or other model animals will be given priority. Candidates who have an expertise in neuroethology, systems neuroscience, and molecular biology will also be given priority.

7. Salary/allowances: Annual salary system (to be decided based upon education/employment history, pursuant to the Nagoya University Pay Rules for Employees Covered under the Annual Salary System).

8. Application materials:

(1) Curriculum Vitae (Please include an e-mail address)

- (2) A list of research achievements (including the number of peer-reviewed original papers)
- (3) A list of research grants
- (4) PDF reprints (or copies) of two key articles of applicants' own research
- (5) An abstract of research activities to date and a brief description of your own research plan in the future (2 page maximum)
- (6) Applicant's policy on education (about 400 words)
- (7) Full name and contact detail (Please include e-mail address) of two references.

9. Deadline: October 5, 2018

10. Please send all of the application materials via e-mail to:

Prof. Azusa Kamikouchi

Division of Biological Science, Graduate School of Science, Nagoya University

E-Mail: kamikouchi@bio.nagoya-u.ac.jp

The subject of the e-mail should be [Application for Assistant Professor].

11. Selection process (selection method and hiring decision), notification of result:

- 1) Screening of applications. Only candidates who are selected for interviews will be contacted by November 30, 2018.
- 2) Interviews of selected candidates.

12. Contact details:

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13. Other notes:

Nagoya University is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer and encourages applications from women.

Information provided by applicants or references will be kept confidential.