

Assistant Professor Position (Tenure Track) at Graduate School of Science, Nagoya University

Graduate School of Science, Nagoya University is seeking an Assistant Professor with a strong background in Organic Chemistry.

1. Job title (number of positions)

Assistant Professor (one Tenure Track position)

2. Affiliation

Graduate School of Science, Nagoya University

3. Research field

Organic Synthetic Chemistry, Molecular Catalysis, Semiconductor Catalysis

Job description

(Immediately after being hired): Working in close collaboration with Prof. Susumu Saito, the successful candidate will pioneer research in non-classical catalytic organic synthesis and creating new functional materials from the perspectives of synthesis, structure, and energy. The successful candidate will also contribute to education including teaching, research and administrative activities at the Department of Chemistry, Graduate School of Science and School of Science.

(Scope of change): Operations designated by Tokai National Higher Education and Research System.

4. Work location

(Immediately after being hired) Chikusa, Nagoya, Aichi

(Scope of change) Work location designated by Tokai National Higher Education and Research System.

5. Employment conditions

As stipulated in the rules of employment of Tokai National Higher Education and Research System.

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First 6 months from the date of employment will be trial period.

Salary: annual salary system as stipulated in the salary regulations for faculty members covered by the annual salary system of Tokai National Higher Education and Research System

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Employment status: Full-time (Tenure-track) , discretionary work system (Deemed working hours: 7 hours 45 minutes/day).

Term: 5 years. Tenure will be granted after review in 5 years (in accordance with the Nagoya University Tenure Track System Regulations)

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Holidays: Saturdays, Sundays, national holidays and year-end holidays (December 29 - January 3)

Leave: Paid annual leave, sick leave, and special leave

Social insurance: Mutual Aid Association (health insurance), welfare pension, employment insurance and workers' compensation insurance

Eligibility

Applicants must hold a Ph.D. degree by the time of appointment and have a strong enthusiasm for pioneering new research areas in organic chemistry at the interface with other disciplines.

Starting date

As soon as possible from April 1, 2027.

Application documents written in English

Resume (attach photograph)
List of achievements (including invited lectures and research grants)
Research summary (2 pages on A4)
Future research and education plan (2 pages on A4)
Your views on diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) (0.5 to 1 page on A4)
Name and contact address of two referees
Applicable Specific Category Determination Form (See item 15)
Main article reprints (maximum of 3 papers)

Submission of application documents

Combine the above application documents into one PDF file and send them as an attachment to the following address. Enter "The Noyori Laboratory Assistant Professor Application (Name)" as the subject/title. After submission, confirm the reply mail of receipt.

Address to submit document: jinji-chem@chem.nagoya-u.ac.jp

If electronic submission is difficult, send the documentation via postal mail to the address below. In this case, specify "The Noyori Laboratory Assistant Professor Application Documents" on the envelope and send by simple registered mail.

Deadline for submission

October 16, 2026

Selection method

Interview after document review

Submission of applications

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6. Application inquiries

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7. Other notes

Applicant should be responsible for all travel expenses incurred for the interview.
Submitted application materials will not be returned to the applicant.
All personal information is handled in strict confidentiality and is not utilized for any other purpose or disclosed to any third party.
Nagoya university has passive smoking prevention measures: Smoking is basically prohibited on campus.

Nagoya university actively supports diversity promotion and work-life balance. For more information, please see the following URL.

<Center for Gender Diversity, Nagoya University>

<https://www.kyodo-sankaku.provost.nagoya-u.ac.jp/en/>

<THERS Declaration for the Promotion of Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Belonging (DEIB Declaration)>

<https://www.thers.ac.jp/about/declaration/deib/index.html>

Our university will actively recruit women if they are recognized as equal in the evaluation of performance (including research, education, social contributions and character.)

If you had to interrupt or delay your research activities in the past for reasons such as childbirth, childcare, nursing care, or illness, you can mention this in your resume. You will not receive an unfair evaluation for stating this.

In November 2021, with the clarification of the scope of control of "deemed exports" under the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act ("FEFTA"), a portion of the provision of confidential information must comply with FEFTA. Technology provided by universities and research institutions to faculty and staff is FEFTA is subject to control. As a result of this change, faculty applications will also be subject to FEFTA controls. When applying for this solicitation, you will be required to submit an Applicable Specific Category Determination Form in accordance with the Applicable Specific Category Determination Flowchart. Please download the form below and submit it.

<https://nuss.nagoya-u.ac.jp/s/YwGp4H6zjmJkXQe>

In addition, faculty members are required to submit a "Confirmation Form" at the time of employment.

The contents herein are originally created in Japanese. If any discrepancies do exist, the original Japanese version shall prevail.

8. Name of recruiting organization

National University Corporation Tokai National Higher Education and Research System (THERS)