

Faculty Position
Faculty of Agriculture, Kyushu University

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Kyushu University runs the English-taught undergraduate programs as well as graduate programs to accelerate globalization on campus, which should motivate international students and many international researchers. The International Education Unit, Center for Promotion of International Education and Research, Faculty of Agriculture, Kyushu University, welcomes international applicants who eager to develop his/her career in education and educational management at the English Courses of Undergraduate School of Agriculture Kyushu University, Japan and hold distinguished research and teaching records in the field of mathematics, physics, and information sciences.

1. Position and Affiliation

An associate professor position at International Education Unit, Center for Promotion of International Education and Research, Faculty of Agriculture, Kyushu University

2. Job Descriptions

1) Education

A successful applicant will teach subjects as follows:

1.1) Undergraduate Program

Physical Mathematics and Practices, Information Processing and Practices, Technical Communication 3, and Bioresource and Bioenvironment Experiments and Practice

1.2) Arts and Science Program for freshman students

Basic Laboratory Experiments in Natural Science

1.3) There may be a few more courses dependent on some circumstances

2) Management of educational programs

A successful applicant will support for international affairs and international-students-related projects and coordination. The applicant will also develop short-term exchange programs with international partner universities.

3) Research

A research environment for the applicant is arranged depending on the specialty.

* Please note that 70% of its job is for work as a full-time associate professor of international education unit and 30% for his/her own research.

3. Appointment starting date

From May 2018

4. Qualifications

- 1) An applicant is expected to be a native English speaker or a fluent English speaker to teach subjects on mathematics, physics, and information sciences in English-taught undergraduate programs.
- 2) An applicant must have a Ph.D.
- 3) An applicant is expected to have distinguished research and teaching records of research in mathematics, physics, and/or information sciences related to bioresource and bioenvironmental science
- 4) An applicant must have a nationality other than Japanese

5. Term

- 1) This is a tenured position.
- 2) Kyushu University sets retirement system at the age of 65.

6. Application

Applicants should send the application documents listed below by email. All the documents must be sent as PDF formatted files. We do not accept applications by Postal mail or by facsimile. All application documents must be received by 17:00 (Japanese Standard Time) on March 5 (Mon), 2018.

【Application documents】

Applicants are requested to submit documents as follows:

- 1) The resume/CV (Please use the form downloaded from the following link.)
https://share.iii.kyushu-u.ac.jp/public/VgaIQArJkENApp8B2Mhhewdm2yhh2Ph8qHIVmD_2TMky
- 2) The official Ph.D. degree certificate
- 3) List of academic publications (Please use the form downloaded from the following link.)
<https://share.iii.kyushu-u.ac.jp/public/XgYkQAeJCsNAdE4BsWVh1kVmXCvhuZn8xH8mWDQGiPLY>
- 4) Summary of the applicant's teaching and research experiences (About 500 words)
- 5) The applicant's possible contribution and plan on teaching and research at Kyushu Univ. (About 500 words)
- 6) Two letters of recommendation (in English or Japanese). Each letter must be directly sent to kyushu@agr.kyushu-u.ac.jp from the recommender's email account.
- 7) List of the recommenders

【E-mail address】

Please send all the documents to kyushu@agr.kyushu-u.ac.jp by E-mail.

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7. Salary

The actual amount will be determined in accordance with the University's regulations, the successful applicant's past accomplishment and other factors. A relocation allowance will be provided based on the regulations of Kyushu University. For details please visit the following university websites (in Japanese):

<http://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/ja/university/information/rule/rulebook/pdf/616/1/2004syuki014.pdf>

<https://www.kyushu-u.ac.jp/ja/university/information/rule/rulebook/pdf/617/1/2011syuki006.pdf>

For further information, please contact the administrative office, School of Agriculture, Kyushu University (TEL: 092-642-2802)

8. Additional information

- 1) Candidates may be invited for interview held at Hakozaki Campus or via remote conference system. Any costs for transportation and accommodation for the interview are to be borne by the applicant.
- 2) For information for our programs, see the URL.
<http://www.agr.kyushu-u.ac.jp/english/international>
- 3) Application documents must be written in English except the letters of recommendation.
- 4) Personal information in the received documents will be used only for the selection process.
- 5) Kyushu University is an equal opportunity employer and follows the principle of the Basic Act for Gender Equal Society (Act. No.78 of 1999).
- 6) Kyushu University is an equal opportunity employer and follows the principle of the Act on Employment Promotion etc. of Persons with Disabilities (Act No. 123 of 1960, revised in 2013) and Act on the Elimination of Discrimination against Persons with Disabilities (Act No. 65 of 2013).
- 7) Kyushu University has been relocating to the new campus, Ito campus. Faculty of Agriculture, School of Agriculture, Graduate school of Bioresource and Bioenvironmental Sciences will start research and education at Ito campus in October, 2018

9. Contact information:

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