

Researcher Position in the Graduate School of Information Science and Technology, Osaka University

Outline	We invite applications for a Specially Appointed Researcher position (Full-time) as a member of a research group conducted by Prof. Hideyuki Suzuki, Osaka University, for JST CREST Project "System Theory for Harmonized Power System Control Based on Photovoltaic Power Prediction" (Research Director: Prof. Jun-ichi Imura, Tokyo Institute of Technology) in Research Area "Creation of Fundamental Theory and Technology to Establish a Cooperative Distributed Energy Management System and Integration of Technologies Across Broad Disciplines Toward Social Application".
1. Position	Specially Appointed Researcher (Full-time)
2. Number of Positions	One
3. Affiliation	Division of Nonlinear Systems, Modeling and Optimization (Suzuki Laboratory), Department of Information and Physical Sciences, Graduate School of Information Science and Technology
4. Work Location	Suita Campus (1-5 Yamadaoka, Suita-city, Osaka)
5. Specialized Field	Mathematical/Physical Sciences on Nonlinear/Complex Systems
6. Responsibilities	Research activities on nonlinear dynamics in electric power systems as a part of JST CREST HARPS project. <a href="http://harps-crest.jpn.org/en/">http://harps-crest.jpn.org/en/</a>
7. Qualifications	(1) Ph.D. or equivalent is required by the date of employment. (2) Specialized knowledge in mathematical/physical sciences on nonlinear/ complex systems is required. (3) Capable of communicating in Japanese on a daily basis. (4) English language ability sufficient to fulfill one's work duties.
8. Starting Date	On April 1st, 2017 (or as soon as thereafter)
9. The term of Employment	From the starting date to March 31st, 2019 *Contract may be renewed after expiration of the term of contract (N.B. The maximum period of employment shall be until March 31st, 2020.).
10. Employment Form	Discretionary Labor System, Special Work Type *Based on the 'Regulations Pertaining to Working Hours, Holidays and Leave for National University Corporation Osaka University Limited Term Staff.' <a href="http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/files/37.pdf">http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/files/37.pdf</a>
11. Salary and Benefits	*Based on the 'Salary Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Limited Term Staff Subject to Annual Salary System (Specially appointed Staff, etc.).' <a href="http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/files/46.pdf">http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/files/46.pdf</a>  Remuneration: 4,925,700 - 5,387,400 JPY per annum, depending on the job responsibility considering qualifications and experience. (Monthly payments of one-twelfth of an annual salary) Commuting allowance, housing allowance, dependent allowance, retirement allowance and bonus will not be provided.

12. Insurance	Successful candidate will join National Public Service Personnel Mutual Aid Associations, Employment Insurance and Workers' Accident Compensation Insurance.
13. Application Documents	<p>PDF files of the following documents should be e-mailed to the address below.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Curriculum vitae (including a photograph)</li> <li>2. Publication list</li> <li>3. Major original papers (up to three, offprints/photocopies are acceptable)</li> <li>4. Research experiences and research plans (up to two A4-size pages)</li> <li>5. Name and contact information of a reference person</li> </ol>
14. Sending Address and Contact information	<p>Hideyuki Suzuki  Department of Information and Physical Sciences, Graduate School of Information Science and Technology, Osaka University  E-mail: <a href="mailto:hideyuki@ist.osaka-u.ac.jp">hideyuki@ist.osaka-u.ac.jp</a></p> <p>*Write 'Application for CREST researcher position' in the subject line.  *Submitted application documents will only be used for the purpose of application screening and hiring procedure.</p>
15. Application deadline	Must arrive no later than December 9th, 2016 (Friday, Japan time)
16. Selection Process	<p>After documents have been reviewed, only shortlisted candidates will be interviewed.  *Shortlisted candidates will be notified within two weeks after the deadline. Please note that unsuccessful applicants after initial screening will not be contacted.  *Travel and accommodation fees necessary for interviews are to be covered by the applicant.</p>
17. Additional Information	<p>Please refer to 'Work Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Limited Term Staff' and other regulations for work and other related conditions.  <a href="http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html">http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html</a></p> <p>Information in this document is subject to change. Please confirm details at interview.</p> <p>Osaka University is promoting gender equality. (Reference: <a href="http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/diversity">http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/diversity</a>)  Graduate School of Information Science and Technology enforces independent support. We encourage applications from women.</p>