

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

1. Title and number of position: Assistant Professor, One position
2. Affiliation: Department of Computer Science, Algorithm Engineering Group
3. Work location: Suita Campus (1-5 Yamadaoka, Suita-city, Osaka)
4. Specialized field: Research field of distributed algorithms, especially adaptive distributed algorithms (self-stabilizing distributed algorithms etc.) including their application to practical distributed systems. Required to have experience of system development using programming language C (or C++) and computer network management. Highly desired to have experience of developing distributed systems in industry.
5. Responsibilities:

Conduct advanced, innovative research in the aforementioned research area.

Contribute to education for graduate school: Cosupervise students of Algorithm Engineering Group. Teach courses and conduct exercises on computer science at Graduate School of Information Science.

Contribute to undergraduate education: Cosupervise students of Algorithm Engineering Group. Teach courses and conduct exercises on computer science (in Japanese) at Department of Information and Computer Sciences, Faculty of Engineering Science.

Contribute to activities related to school- and university-wide services.
6. Qualifications:
 - (1) Ph.D. degree or equivalent in related fields is required by the date of employment.
 - (2) Highly evaluated achievements in the aforementioned research area.
 - (3) Japanese language ability sufficient to fulfill one's work duties and to give lectures
7. Starting date: July 1st, 2017 (or as soon as possible thereafter) (Japan time)
8. Term of employment: No fixed term
9. 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 Staff.'

<http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/files/06.pdf>
10. Salary and benefits: Based on the 'Salary Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Staff Subject to Annual Salary System.'

<http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/files/17.pdf>

The separate regulations may apply in case where the previous employment period is included in calculation of the "period of continuous service" defined in the Regulations Pertaining to Retirement Allowance for National University Corporation Osaka University Staff.
11. Insurance: Successful candidate will join National Public Service Personnel Mutual Aid Associations, Employment Insurance and Workers' Accident Compensation Insurance.
12. Application documents

The original copies and a CD-ROM storing PDF files of the following documents should be submitted.

 - (1) Curriculum Vitae (including photo)
 - (2) List of research achievements (classified into journal papers, international conference papers, domestic conference papers, review papers, books, patents, prizes/awards and others).
 - (3) Offprint of 3 major original papers and their abstracts (photocopies acceptable)

- (4) Outline of research and education achievements: up to 2 pages of A4 sheet
 - (5) Research plan and educational aspirations: up to 2 pages of A4 sheet
 - (6) List of social activities such as serving on academic societies, international conference committees, and journal editors
 - (7) Acquired external research funds (information of role of project such as PI or co-PI should be included. Information of their amounts should be included if possible.)
 - (8) Names and contact information of two referees
13. Application deadline: Must arrive no later than April 25, 2017 (Japan Time)
14. Sending address and contact information:
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- *Write “Application for faculty position (assistant professor) in Department of Computer Science” on the envelope in red ink.
 - *Send application documents by registered mail.
 - *Submitted application documents will not be returned.
 - *Submitted application documents will only be used for the purpose of application screening and hiring procedure.
15. Selection Process
- After documents have been reviewed, only shortlisted candidates will be interviewed.
- *Shortlisted candidates will be notified within two weeks from 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.
16. Additional information:
- Please refer to ‘Work Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Staff’ and other regulations for work and other related conditions.
- http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html
- Information in this document is subject to change. Please confirm details at interview.
- Osaka University is promoting gender equality. (Reference: <http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/diversity>) Graduate School of Information Science and Technology enforces independent support. We encourage applications from women.