

Job Opening: Center for the Study of Co* Design, Osaka University

Overview of the post	Center for the Study of Co* Design, Osaka University was established in July 2016 to meet the demand for the university to serve society by applying its specialized knowledge to provide solutions to societal problems. The Center aims to develop students' abilities to communicate and innovate, and skills of designing and implementation. Applications are invited for an appointment as Specially Appointed Professor/Associate Professor in this area, who will be responsible for teaching, research, and student supervision in this center.
1. Position	Specially Appointed Professor (full time) / Specially Appointed Associate Professor (full time)
2. Number of Positions	1
3. Affiliation	Center for the Study of Co* Design, Osaka University
4. Work Location	Toyonaka Campus (1-32, Machikaneyama-cho, Toyonaka, Osaka, Japan)
5. Specialized Field	1) Teaching and research in advanced liberal arts (including advanced transferable skills) 2) Practice and theory of design and/or innovation
6. Responsibilities	1) Teaching and education programs development of PBL, Societal Innovation and other related subjects 2) Lectures, practicum, and student supervision in design and /or innovation from an international perspective 3) Planning and managing international cooperation in research and education
7. Qualifications	The successful candidate will demonstrate the following: Essential: 1) have a doctorate or equivalent research achievements 2) the ability to teach in English 3) the ability to deliver lectures, teach practicum, and supervise students design and/or innovation from an international perspective 4) the ability to plan and manage international cooperation in research and education Desirable: 1) more than 5 years' experiences in teaching and research outside of Japan 2) all nationalities welcome
8. Starting Date	On October 1, 2017 or as soon as possible thereafter
9. The term of Employment	From the date of appointment to March 31, 2019 (no re-appointment)
10. Employment Form	Based on the "Regulations Pertaining to Working Hours, Holidays and Leave for National University Corporation Osaka University Limited Term Staff": http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/files/37.pdf (English) *Discretionary Labor System, Special Work Type
11. Salary and Benefits	Based on the "Salary Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Limited Term Staff Subject to Annual Salary System": http://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/files/46.pdf Specially Appointed Associate Professor (full time): from 7,316,100 to 8,060,100 yen, Specially Appointed Professor (full time) : from 8,990,100 to 11,284,200 yen (One twelfth of the total will be paid each month.) Bonuses and allowances for commuting, housing, dependency, and retirement are included in the above-mentioned annual salary and will not be paid separately.
12. Insurance	Medical insurance of the Federation of National Public Service Personnel Mutual Aid Associations; Employment Insurance; Industrial Accident Compensation Insurance

13. Application Documents	A detailed CV, including academic background, employment history, and achievements in teaching, research, society-university collaboration, etc. Two letters of references, to be sent directly from the referees by email to fujita-ta@cscd.osaka-u.ac.jp Copies of two of papers or books to be examined Application documents must be written in English or Japanese.
14. Sending Address and Contact information	Mailing address: Director Hisakazu Matsushige Center for the Study of Co* Design, Osaka University 1-16, Machikaneyama-cho, Toyonaka, Osaka 560-0043, Japan *Write "Application for the faculty post in Design Innovation" on the envelope in red ink. *Send application documents via registered mail. *Submitted documents will not be returned. *Personal information in the application documents will only be used for the purpose of screening and hiring procedures, and will not be disclosed to any third party. Contact Information: Director Hisakazu Matsushige Center for the Study of Co* Design, Osaka University matusige@osipp.osaka-u.ac.jp *E-mail title: "Application for the faculty post in Design or Innovation"
15. Application deadline	Friday September 1, 2017 (Japan Standard Time) *The vacancy may close early if a suitable volume of applications has been received.
16. Selection Process	After document screening, the applicant may be invited for an interview. *Travel and accommodation fees necessary for the interview are to be covered by the applicant.
17. Additional Information	Please refer to 'Work Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Limited Term 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 about details when necessary (at the interview, etc.).