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Call for a Professor Position

Institute for Cosmic Ray Research, The University of Tokyo

The Institute for Cosmic Ray Research (ICRR), The University of Tokyo, Japan, invites applications for a professor position for gamma-ray astronomy and cosmic-ray physics.

1. **Position:** Professor, 1 person
2. **Job description:** The successful candidate will join the High Energy Cosmic Ray Division of ICRR and take a leadership role in the observational research of very-high-energy gamma rays and very-high-energy cosmic rays. The successful candidate will lead in the maintenance, operation, construction, and observational research of the air shower observatory of the Tibet AS gamma experiment and the expansion of the air shower observatory in the southern hemisphere (ALPACA project). The successful candidate is also expected to play a central role in the future planning of the High Energy Cosmic Ray Division.
※Scope of change: The faculty member may be reassigned, concurrently assigned, or transferred to another position. (In principle, such an order will not be issued against his/her will. For details, please refer to Article 4 of the Regulations Concerning the Employment of University of Tokyo Faculty Members.)
3. **Place of work:** ICRR, Kashiwa, Chiba, Japan
※Scope of change: The University will assign the faculty member to work at a designated location. (In principle, the faculty member will not be reassigned or transferred against his/her will. For details, please refer to Article 4 of the Regulations Concerning the Employment of University of Tokyo Faculty Members.)
4. **Application Prerequisites:** Applicants shall have a Ph.D.
5. **Start of term:** As soon as possible after an offer is made.
6. **Compensation:** Basic Salary is defined in the University employment law. The successful candidate will be automatically enrolled in the insurance from the Mutual Aid Association of MEXT and employment insurance.
7. **Term:** unlimited until age 65

8. **Working Hours:** Discretionary labor system, based on 7 hours, 45 minutes per day, or 38 hours 45 minutes per week.
9. **Holidays:** Saturdays, Sundays, Holidays, and the year-end and New Year holidays (the 29th of December to the 3rd of January)
10. **Selection process:** Applicants will be screened on the basis of their application materials, and only short-listed candidates will be invited for interviews. We will inform details of the interview separately.
11. **Application:** Please submit the following documents in either English or Japanese as PDF files (A4 size paper, 29.5cm x 21cm or similar) attached to an e-mail. Once the application documents are received a confirmation email will be sent to the applicant. Applicants should verify they receive this confirmation after submission.
 1. Curriculum vitae
 2. Summary of past research activities (up to 3 pages)
 3. Research plan (up to 3 pages)
 4. Publication list including a list of oral presentations at conferences and workshops, and a list of external funding obtained so far. Please include copies of the applicant's most important publications (up to five papers) and clearly mark these in the publication list,
 5. Possible start date
 6. Declaration regarding past criminal penalties, administrative actions, and disciplinary actions due to sexual harassment and/or sexual violence etc. against students

※For (6), please download the form from the following URL
https://proself.icrr.u-tokyo.ac.jp/public/HvC0AA1Pw0RAQ5sBKYGp0MKkCGIya7_QHnpOqIP9F_iq
12. **Application Deadline:** Application materials must be received by 12:00 noon JST on September 6th, 2024.
13. **Name of recruiter:** The University of Tokyo
14. **Other:**
 - Applications from applicants of all genders, nationalities, and levels of research experience are welcome.
 - The University of Tokyo encourages applications from women in accordance with "The University of Tokyo's Declaration on Gender Equality."
 - Probation period: The first 6 months of employment
 - University employee activities outside University duties should be limited to the extent that they do not interfere with the sharing of research technology at the University. In accordance with the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act, the sharing of research-related technology may be restricted if, a successful applicant of the University maintains or intends to maintain concurrent employment with a foreign organization or receives a large income from a foreign governmental body or other sources.
 - Second-hand smoke free environment: Smoking is prohibited throughout most of the campus of the University of Tokyo. However, there are designated smoking areas outside.

Interested applicants should send applications to the following address by the due date: **application_at_icrr.u-tokyo.ac.jp** (please replace _at_ with @) with the subject line "ICRR2024-02".

For inquiries, please contact Prof. Hidetoshi Kubo at Institute for Cosmic Ray Research, University of Tokyo, by email:

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