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Job No.ICRR2019-06

Associate Professor Position at Kamioka Observatory for Hyper-Kamiokande and SuperK-Gd projects

The Institute for Cosmic Ray Research (ICRR), The University of Tokyo, Japan, invites applications for an Associate Professor position at Kamioka Observatory. The successful applicant should be proficient in Japanese and will conduct research for the Hyper-Kamiokande and the Super-Kamiokande Gadolinium projects.

1. Position: Associate Professor, 1 person.
2. Term: Five years with the possibility for a permanent position after a three-year review period.
3. Start of the term: As soon as possible after an offer is made.
4. Place of work: Kamioka Observatory (Hida-city, Gifu-prefecture, Japan).
5. Job description: The successful applicant shall play a leading role in promoting the Hyper-K project and in conducting the Super-Kamiokande Gadolinium project. This person will also participate in maintenance and operation of Kamioka Observatory.
6. Working Hours: Discretionary labor system, based on 7 hours, 45 minutes per day, or 38 hours 45 minutes per week.
7. Holidays: Saturdays and Sundays; Statutory public holidays of Japan; Year-end and New Year holidays (December 29 through January 3).
8. Salary and Benefits: Determined according to the University Rules, depending on the appointee's experiences etc.
9. Available insurances: The Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology Mutual Aid Association and employment insurance.
10. Application: Applicants shall submit the following documents.

0. Cover page mentioning “Application for the position of Associate Professor for Hyper-K at ICRR, The University of Tokyo”,
1. Curriculum vitae (including your e-mail address),
2. Summary of past research activities (up to three pages),
3. Publication list including a list of oral presentations at conferences and workshops. Please include copies of the applicant’s most important publications (up to three papers) and clearly mark these in the publication list,
4. Possible start date,
5. Research plan (up to three pages),
6. Two letters of reference or recommendation (They should be arranged to be sent directly to the e-mail address given below).

All application materials in either English or Japanese as PDF files (A4 size paper, 29.5cm x 21cm or similar) should be sent via e-mail to

Personnel Section, ICRR, The University of Tokyo: application_at_icrr.u-tokyo.ac.jp
(please replace `_at_` with `@`). Subject of e-mail : “ICRR2019-06”

Once the application documents are received a confirmation e-mail will be sent to the applicant. Applicants should verify they receive this confirmation after submission.

11. Application Deadline: Application materials including letters of reference or recommendation must be received by 12:00 JST on September 2nd, 2019.
12. Selection process: Applicants will be screened on the basis of their application materials and candidates will be invited for interviews. Candidates will be contacted with information concerning the interview process.

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