

## Tenure-Track Assistant Professor International Open Recruitment

[ Information Science and Communication Engineering ]

November, 2024

Osaka Metropolitan University

Personnel Committee

Osaka Metropolitan University is seeking applications for a Tenure-Track Lecturer or Assistant Professor. Our tenure-track program offers a career path by which young scientists can accumulate experience in both scientific research and education. They may eventually be acknowledged as a tenured faculty through careful evaluation of performance and accomplishments at the end of a five-year employment period.

If you are interested in applying, please read the following information:

### 1. Number of Positions Available

One Tenure-Track Lecturer or Tenure-Track Assistant Professor

### 2. Affiliation

Department of Core Informatics, Graduate School of Informatics

### 3. Area of Research

Signal Processing, Time-Series Analysis, Machine Learning

### 4. Content of job information (tentative)

#### [Education]

- Undergraduate courses: Information Literacy, Basic Lab in Information Engineering 1,2, Lab in Information Engineering 1,2, Information Theory, Information Security, Undergraduate Thesis Project
- Graduate courses: Advanced Seminar in Core Informatics 1,2, Special Project in Core Informatics 1,2,3,4,5,6, Seminar in Core Informatics, Time Series Analysis and Signal Processing
- Supervision of undergraduate students (Engineering) and graduate students (Informatics)

※ Education and research supervision for students affiliated with Osaka City University and Osaka Prefecture University may be requested

#### [Research]

Develop domestically and internationally leading research programs in areas of, or related to, those listed in 3. above

**[Other than above]**

- Develop and teach courses in English to promote internalization of graduate course curriculum
- Undertake university administrative duties
- Undertake academic societal duties

**[Scope of Change]**

- Within the scope of education, research, and university management and operations

**5. Scheduled Date of Appointment**

April 1, 2025

**6. Terms of Appointment**

Five years.

Tenure-Track Lecturer or Assistant Professor who has shown excellent research achievements and competency in teaching/supervising students will be promoted to Tenured Associate Professor or Lecturer after a final evaluation at the end of the 5<sup>th</sup> year of employment. If the applicant is deemed to have met the criteria for tenure review at or after the interim review in the third year, the timing of the final review may be moved up. A safety-net provision will allow Tenure-Track faculty members to remain employed for up to 3 years in the case they fail to be promoted at the time of the 5-year evaluation.

[Guidelines of Assessment Criteria for Promotion to Tenure]

[https://www.omu.ac.jp/en/assets/Guidelines%20of%20Assessment%20Criteria%20for%20Promotion%20to%20Tenure\\_2.pdf](https://www.omu.ac.jp/en/assets/Guidelines%20of%20Assessment%20Criteria%20for%20Promotion%20to%20Tenure_2.pdf)

[Tenure-Track Program (Outline)]

[https://www.omu.ac.jp/en/assets/Tenure-Track%20Program%20%28Outline%29\\_1.pdf](https://www.omu.ac.jp/en/assets/Tenure-Track%20Program%20%28Outline%29_1.pdf)

**7. Compensation**

Salary and working conditions shall be compliant with the Provisions and Regulations of University Public Corporation Osaka.

<https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/regulation/>

**8. Work location**

Osaka Metropolitan University, Sugimoto or Nakamozu Campus  
(Future relocation to Morinomiya Campus is possible)

**[Scope of Change]**

A workplace designated by a corporation

## **9. Qualifications**

(1) Holds (by the scheduled date of appointment) a Ph.D. in an area related to those listed in 3. above

(2) Proven education record or ability of teaching undergraduate courses (Engineering) and graduate courses (Informatics), and supervising undergraduate and graduate students

(3) Proven research record in areas related to those listed in 3. above

(4) Proven record or ability to promote interdisciplinary and international collaborations

(5) Ability to teach courses and supervise students in English

(6) Ability to undertake university administrative duties

## **10. Application Materials**

(1) Curriculum vitae (Form 1)

(2) Publication and Education Record (Form 2)

(3) Copies of five most important publications

(4) Contribution statements of five most important publications

(5) Summary of research

(6) Future plans of education and research

(7) Future plans of academic/societal contributions and university administrative duties

(8) Contact information of two referees

※All documents should be converted to PDF and in A4 size. Applicant's name should be included in the name of each document.

## **11. Submission Deadline**

All materials should be received by December 18, 2024(Japan Standard Time)

## **12. Selection Process**

The submitted materials will be reviewed in the first screening. Interviews and presentations will be conducted as necessary. Travel and other expenses incurred for the interview and presentation are the responsibility of the applicant and will not be reimbursed.

## **13. Submission of Application Documents**

• Please submit your application documents from the URL below.

<https://logoform.jp/f/ownip>

• Please combine the application documents into one zip file and name the zip file "Info\_TT\_(applicant's full name)". It is not necessary to set a password for the folder.

\* Personal information provided in the submitted documents will be used only as materials for faculty recruitment and selection, and will be handled appropriately in accordance with the Personal Information Protection Law.

#### **14. Inquiries**

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#### **15. Other Information**

This position will be applied as a faculty member working at Osaka Metropolitan University established by University Public Corporation Osaka.

Based on the philosophy of ensuring diversity and internationalization, Osaka Metropolitan University actively recruits female faculty members and foreign faculty members if their fields of specialization match and they are recognized to have equivalent educational and research achievements.

Applications in English will be accepted. The presentation may be conducted in English upon request.