

Announcement for Assistant Professor Position

Graduate School of Medicine, Chiba University

1. Job title

An opening position for Assistant professor with tenure-track. The initial appointment is for a five-year term.

This announcement is based on the Leading Initiative for Excellent Young Researchers (LEADER) for Chiba University. After the selection, the successful candidate will be first appointed as a tenure-track assistant professor, which is a fixed five-year term position. Prior to the end of the term, the tenure review will be held. After the tenure review, the successful and suitably qualified candidate will be appointed as a tenured faculty member.

For the details on LEADER, please see the website of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT), Japan.

<http://www.mext.go.jp/a_menu/jinzai/takuetsu/1383035.htm>

2. Salary

The position is subject to the Annual Salary System under the Pay Regulation of Chiba University.

3. Job description

The following academic duties are expected.

- Engaged in the leading education and research of the Faculty of Medicine and Graduate School of Medicine, Chiba University

4. Research field

Basic medicine

(Subfield: Department of Molecular Oncology / Key Words: Cancer, Transcription regulation, Epigenetics)

5. Type of researchers to seek

Department of Molecular Oncology is seeking for a highly motivated candidate with strong experience in study on regulation of genome and/or transcription for a tenure track assistant professor position. The candidate will be expected to design innovative research projects, strongly execute basic and/or translational studies in epigenetics, and be a leader in his/her area of expertise in future acquiring grants. Preference will be given to candidates with experience in the field of cancer epigenetics/epigenomics, but it is not essential. A demonstrated track record applying a unique approach to study molecular mechanism to regulate the genome is required, such as publication of high impact papers as the first or corresponding author and/or acquisition of patents.

6. Documents

Follow the instructions of LEADER of MEXT, Japan
<http://www.mext.go.jp/a_menu/jinzai/takuetsu/index.htm>.

7. Application deadline

Apply between March 21th and April 25th 2017.

8. Commencement date

As soon as possible within the fiscal year 2017.

9. Others

- a) The selection process may include an interview; however, travel expenses will not be provided.
- b) If education and research experiences are equivalent, preference will be given to a female candidate, a non-Japanese, or a person who has experiences of working at reputable and recognized institutions other than Chiba University.
- c) After being selected, graduation certificate, working experience certificate, and a copy of degree must be submitted.

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