

Recruitment Information for Project Researcher (Fixed-Term Project Staff)

The "International Wastewater-based Epidemiology" Corporate Sponsored Research Program promotes research on pathogen detection technology, genome analysis, epidemiological analysis, and risk assessment, as well as the development of technologies for the social implementation of wastewater-based epidemiological surveys, a means of obtaining comprehensive public health information using the sewage infrastructure, and for risk management of pathogenic microorganisms in water, conducting research on demonstration surveys in Japan and overseas.

1. Title and Hiring Numbers: Project researcher, One
2. Term of Employment: As soon as possible after December 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025
3. Renewal of Contract: The contract is renewable on a fiscal year basis (from April 1 to March 31; every year) contingent upon all relevant factors, including funding status, job performance, work record and medical conditions. Contract is until March 31, 2027 at the longest.
4. Probation Period: 14 days from the date of employment
5. Place of Work: School of Engineering, The University of Tokyo
(2-11-16 Yayoi, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo)
*The scope of changes: Place of Work may be changed within School of Engineering subject to necessity of the business, etc.
6. Affiliation: The "International Wastewater-based Epidemiology" Corporate Sponsored Research Program, Research Center for Water Environment Technology, School of Engineering
*Your affiliation may be changed subject to necessity of the business
7. Contents of Work Duties: The "International Wastewater-based Epidemiology" Corporate Sponsored Research Program requires Post doctoral researcher who will conduct research on the development of methods for measuring viruses in water or methods for measuring antibiotic-resistant bacteria and genes.
*The scope of changes: reassignment, dual appointment and secondment may be ordered
8. Working Hours: Discretionary work system for professional work applies and working hours will be deemed as 7 hours and 45 minutes per day.
9. Days off: Saturdays, Sundays, Holidays, and the year-end and New Year holidays (December 29 to January 3)
10. Leave: Annual Paid Leave, Special Leave, etc.
11. Wages, etc.: Annual Salary System applies and monthly paid salary will be range of JPY 320,000 to JPY 420,000 including performance / achievement allowance. (The salary will be decided taking your qualifications, capacity, experience etc. into account).
Commuting Allowance (basically up to JPY 55,000)
No retirement benefits and bonuses.
12. Insurance: You will be automatically enrolled in the insurance from the Mutual Aid Association of MEXT (Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology) and Employment Insurance.
13. Disaster compensation: Work-related accidents and commuting accidents are covered by the Industrial Accident Compensation Insurance Act and the University of Tokyo's Teacher and Staff Act Non-Compliance Accident Compensation Regulations.
14. Qualification Requirements: Those who have a doctoral degree in a field related to the job content, or those who are expected to acquire by the time of arrival.
15. Documents to be Submitted: 1) The University of Tokyo Standard Resume, download from URL below:
<https://www.u-tokyo.ac.jp/en/about/jobs.html>
or Resume in your own format
2) Publication list (journal papers, oral presentations)
3) Major papers (within 3 reports)
4) Research outline so far (about 1 or 2 A4 sheets (including figures))
5) Name and contact address for two references (including e-mail address)
16. Submission Method: Combine the above documents into one electronic file such as a zip file, and upload it to the following JREC-IN Portal site.
<https://jrecin.ist.go.jp/seek/SeekJorDetail?id=D124040116>
17. Application Deadline: Applications must arrive by August 31, 2024 (Sat). However, selection will be conducted at any time even before the deadline.

After screening of application materials, interviews of selected applicants will be conducted.
18. Contact: 7-3-1 Hongo, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo 113-8654
Research Center for Water Environment Technology, School of Engineering
E-mail: sec-recwet@env.t.u-tokyo.ac.jp
19. Name of Recruiter: The University of Tokyo
20. The measures against second-hand smoking: Smoking is not allowed on campus grounds. (only permitted in designated areas outside.)
21. Notice: If you are personally in contract with foreign governmental bodies, corporations or universities, or you are in receipt of a large benefit (financial or any other form) from foreign governmental bodies during the period of your employment, the provisions of the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act (FEFTA) may prohibit or restrict the sharing of technology that are designated as controlled technology possibly making it difficult for you to fulfill your duties as an academic or administrative staff of the university as a result. Therefore, in such cases it is necessary to keep such contracts/benefits within the scope where it does not hinder the sharing of technologies necessary for your duties by the university.
22. Other: Application documents will be used only for the purpose of this application, and personal information will not be disclosed, transferred, or lent to any third party without justifiable reason.
Application documents will not be returned. We will dispose of it responsibly.
We welcome proactive application from women in accordance with "The University of Tokyo, Declaration for Promoting Gender Equality (March 3, 2009)." .