

● Assistant Professor Position at Center for Experimental Research in Social Sciences, Hokkaido University, Japan

Job Descriptions

Center for Experimental Research in Social Sciences (CERSS), Hokkaido University, invites applications for a position at the rank of assistant professor. CERSS was established in 2007 at Hokkaido University to provide infrastructure for research activities in social sciences. The aims of CERSS are to advance experiments in social sciences, promote young social scientists and expand our research activities internationally and collaborative relationships with leading international centers including Center for Evolutionary Psychology at UCSB. We are seeking an enthusiastic assistant professor who has a solid record of research, peer reviewed publications and teaching experience in at least one research area in social and behavioral sciences including psychology, neuroscience, economics, sociology, anthropology, political science, and cognitive science.

The assistant professor is expected to perform the following duties:

- To assist and involve in a variety of research projects of the faculty
- To assist and involve in a variety of research projects of the members of CERSS
- To coordinate and manage various research and education in CERSS
- To perform and develop research projects related to the Global COE program “Center for the Sociality of Mind” (<http://lynx.let.hokudai.ac.jp/CSM/english/index.html>).
- To teach a graduate-level course, titled “Introduction to Experiments in Social Sciences”

QUALIFICATIONS:

Ph.D. or equivalent doctorate degree in social and behavioral sciences including psychology, neuroscience, economics, sociology, anthropology, political science, and cognitive science.

SALARY:

Salary will be determined according to the Rule for Salary in Hokkaido University. The minimum base rate for a candidate who has held no professional position since he/she earned Ph.D. is 283,200 yen per month including tax. Actual monthly salary will be determined based on the candidate’s job experience. In addition, a fixed amount of annual bonus and social security will be provided. These are **not** negotiable.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Applicants should send the following materials to Dr. Susumu Ohnuma: (1) curriculum vita, (2) an overview of applicant's previous academic activities, (3) reprints or preprints of 3 representative publications, and (4) the names and contact information for three referees.

COMMENTS RELATED TO END DATE

16-month position, not renewable.

For information about the CERSS, please visit the website:

<http://lynx.let.hokudai.ac.jp/cerss/english/index.html>;

For information about the Global COE program, "Center for the Sociality of Mind," please visit the website: <http://lynx.let.hokudai.ac.jp/CSM/english/index.html>

Closing date: October 19th, 2009.

CONTACT:

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