Call for Applications: Assistant Professor Positions

1. Position and Qualification
   1-1. Position: Assistant Professor
   1-2. Number of open positions: one
   1-4. Role: The Assistant Professor is obliged to vigorously promote inter-, cross-, and multi-disciplinary researches.
   1-5. Type of employment: Full-time
   1-6. Term of office: until March 31st, 2024. (Employment is renewed every fiscal year)
   Position and salary are commensurate with the candidate’s academic and employment experiences.

2. Research area
   The object of the Metabolism and Nutrition research unit is to elucidate the homeostatic regulation of hepatic metabolism of the nutrients and the mechanism of how its dysregulation causes metabolic diseases, including diabetes, dyslipidemia, hypertension, NAFLD, and cancers. We aim to find effectors of hepatic nutritional regulation and biomarkers of the metabolic diseases, to establish novel therapies and prevention methods of these diseases. The task of the new assistant professor would be the investigation of the physiological and pathological regulation of hepatic glucose/lipid metabolism.

3. Arrival time at the post
   At the earliest possible date on or after November 1st, 2021

4. Qualifications
   (1) Applicant must be an excellent researcher who has research achievement in the research area described above and have the ability to drive his/her research project as Assistant Professor.
   (2) Applicant must have a Ph.D. degree, or applicant must have research career comparable to a Ph.D. researcher.

5. Documents for application (documents must be written in Japanese or English)
   (i) Curriculum vitae
   (ii) Publication list (original papers, review articles, etc)
   (iii) Reprint(s) of main original papers [up to 2 papers] (copy is permitted)
   (iv) Outline of past research
   (v) Research aim and project after arrival to this position
   (about 1,200 characters in Japanese or 500 words in English)
(vi) List of external research funds acquired by applicant  1 set
(vii) Name and address of two researchers whom one can inquire of about applicant

* E-mail address and contact address must be provided in the curriculum vitae.
* Submit hard copies to the mailing address provided below. Electric data of these documents also must be submitted.
* After the documentary examination, shortlisted candidates will be requested to come to Kanazawa University for presentation and interview. In that case, travel expenses (including overseas travel from a foreign country to Japan) will not be covered.
* Documents such as the submitted resume will not be returned.

6. Deadline for application
   August 27th, 2021 Time: 17:00 Japan Time (must be received no later than this time)

7. Others
   (1) The regulations for salary and term of office are described in the attachment in URL below.
   (2) Kanazawa University promotes gender equality. Please see the URL below for detail.
      http://cdl.w3.kanazawa-u.ac.jp/index.html (in Japanese)

8. Mailing address
   Send all the documents by registered mail with “Application Enclosed” marked on an envelope to Professor and Director General Shin-ichi NAKAMURA at Institute for Frontier Science Initiative, Kanazawa University
   Kakuma-machi, Kanazawa 920-1192, Japan

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