

Faculty Recruitment at Faculty of Engineering, Kyushu University

The Faculty of Engineering, Kyushu University, invites applications for the following positions.

Therefore, we kindly request your assistance in disseminating this information and, if possible, recommending suitable candidates who meet our criteria.

1 Summary	The Department of Materials consists of three groups: the Physical Chemistry of Metallurgy, the Materials Science for Structural Materials, and the Functional Materials Science. The assistant professor will belong to the Strong Solids laboratory of the Materials Science for Structural Materials and will be in charge of teaching and research related to deformation and fracture of crystalline materials. He/she will also play a role in promoting academic exchanges with domestic and international universities.
2 Affiliation	Department of Materials
	Metals Science for Structural Materials
3 Position	Assistant professor
4 number of persons to be admitted	one person
5 Duties	(Immediately after hiring) Education and research (Scope of Change) Duties designated by the University
6 Specialties	Deformation and/or fracture of metals
7 Teaching Responsibilities	undergraduate and graduate lectures, Materials Science experiments, and core education courses (university-wide education).
8 Qualifications	(1) Doctoral. or Ph.D. degree (including those who are expected to obtain it by the time of employment), or have equivalent ability. (2) Have ability to supervise research in undergraduate and graduate doctoral programs. (3) Have ability to give lectures and supervise research in English. (4) Have a passion for research and teaching.
9 Start Date	April 1, 2027 (If an earlier appointment becomes possible at Kyushu University, the start date may be moved forward in coordination with the final candidate.)
10 Employment Period	Regular full-time (not fixed-term contract), Trial employment period (Three months)
11 Application Documents	(1) Curriculum vitae (Include a photograph and a statement of education, employment history, and qualifications. Include contact information and e-mail address.) (2) Application Documents

	I Research achievements (Classified into (1) Academic Papers (differentiated by refereeing), (2) Proceedings of International Conferences (differentiated by refereeing), (3) Books/Edited Works, (4) Review Papers/Academic Materials, etc., (5) Lecture Papers (excluding (2)), (6) Inventions, Devices, Patents, etc., and (7) Others (papers and works confirmed for publication, etc.)) II Educational accomplishments (Teaching assistant, including public lectures, in-house education, III Any other relevant information (Academic associations to which you belong and your activities in those associations, awards received, etc.) IV Acquisition of competitive research funds such as Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research, joint research, and funded research (representative portion) (3) Summary of previous research (2,000 words or less) (4) Future research plans (2,000 words or less) (5) Motivation for application and aspirations for education and research (1,000 words or less) (6) Reprints of Major Publications (up to three) (7) Names and Contact Information of one Referees
12 Application Deadline	June 29, 2026 (Monday) must be received
13 Submission Method	(1) Sending the application documents by mail Please send one printed copy of the above documents and a USB flash drive containing the PDF file of the documents in a sealed envelope with "Application for faculty positions" written in red ink, by registered mail to the faculty member indicated in the "Submission address/inquiry" below. (2) Upload the application documents electronically to the designated URL the application documents by the file-sharing system of Kyushu University Please contact the e-mail address below with the subject line "Faculty Application". We will send you the URL for the shared folder, so please upload your application documents. Please upload your documents in a single PDF file. ※Please note that the submitted documents and data will not be returned.
Submission 14 Address and Contact	744 Motooka, Nishi, Fukuoka, 819-0395, Japan Department of Materials Science and Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, Kyushu University Professor Masaki Tanaka TEL +81-92-802-2950 FAX +81-92-802-2990 E-mail tanaka.masaki.760@m.kyushu-u.ac.jp
15 Selection Process	Initial document screening (1st round) followed by interviews (2nd round). The interviews may be conducted online.
16 Working conditions	(1) Place of work (Immediately after hiring) Department of Materials Science and Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, Kyushu University (744 Motooka, Nishi, Fukuoka, 819-0395, Japan) (Scope of Change) Location designated by the University (2) Working hours, break and overtime work

	Based on the agreed-upon discretionary labor system for professional work, it is regarded that working hours are 7 hours and 45 minutes irrespective of how much time the employee actually spends on his/her
	(3) Holidays In addition to *annual leave, Saturdays, Sundays, national holidays and the period from the 29th of December to the 3rd of January
	(4) Salary The annual salary system, which was introduced on 1st of April 2020, will be applied. The annual salary is determined in accordance with the university's pay scale based on experience, etc.
	(5) Insurance Employment insurance, industrial accident compensation insurance, health insurance and employees' pension insurance.
	(6) Status of measures to prevent passive smoking No smoking is permitted on the university premises.
	(1) Candidates may be requested to come to the campus for an interview. The University does not cover travel costs or other expenses relating to interview attendance.
17 Notes	(2) In line with the Basic Act for a Gender-Equal Society (Act No. 78 of 1999), Kyushu University is an equal opportunity employer. https://danjyo.kyushu-u.ac.jp/en/
	(3) Kyushu University is an equal opportunity employer and follows the principle of the Act on Employment Promotion etc. of Persons with Disabilities (Act No. 123 of 1960, revised in 2013) and Act on the Elimination of Discrimination against Persons with Disabilities (Act No. 65 of 2013).
	(4) The accompanying spouse employment system has been implemented at Kyushu University from July 2017.
	(5) If you have been disciplined in the past for sexual violence, including sexual harassment, against students, please be sure to enter the nature of the disciplinary action and the specific reasons for it in your resume or other documents. False statements may result in cancellation of employment or disciplinary action.
	(6) For more information on the Department of Materials, please refer to the following URL https://www.zaiko.kyushu-u.ac.jp/index_e.html

Sincerely,

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