

Application Guidelines for Associate Professor Position
 Department of Biomaterial Sciences (Laboratory of Forest Chemistry),
 Graduate School of Agricultural and Life Sciences, The University of Tokyo

1	Position	Associate Professor
2	Number of Positions	One
3	Starting Date	November 1, 2022 or the earliest possible date thereafter
4	Term of Employment	Non fixed-term
5	Work location	1-1-1, Yayoi, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo (University of Tokyo Yayoi Campus)
6	Affiliation	Laboratory of Forest Chemistry, Department of Biomaterial Sciences, Graduate School of Agricultural and Life Sciences, The University of Tokyo
7	Job Details	<p>1)Research area: Areas related to Forest Chemistry</p> <p>2)Teaching responsibilities: (Graduate School) Advanced Forest Biochemistry I and II, Advanced Wood Conservation, Special Lecture on Biomass Chemistry III, Seminar on Biomass Utilization Research I and II, Special Experiments on Biomaterials Science I and II, Seminar on Biomaterials Science, Special Experiments on Biomaterials Science, Special Seminar on Biomaterials Science, etc. (Undergraduate) Introduction to Biomaterials Chemistry, Forest Biochemistry, Biomass Biotechnology, Biomaterials Chemistry Experiment, Biomaterials Physics Experiment, Biomaterials Biology Experiment, Biomaterials Chemistry Experiment I & II, Biomass Science Laboratory, Biomaterials Chemistry Laboratory, Biomaterials Chemistry Seminar, Graduation Thesis Guidance (Biomaterials Chemistry), and others</p> <p>In addition to the above, the applicant may be required to teach some common subjects of the Graduate School of Agricultural and Life Sciences and some lectures of the first two years of the College of Arts and Sciences.</p>
8	Working Hours	Discretionary labor system: Working hours is deemed as 7 hours and 45 minutes per day
9	Days Off	Saturdays, Sundays, national holidays, and year-end through New Year holidays (from December 29 to January 3 of the following year).
10	Salary	<p>Basic Salary will be decided taking your academic background, professional background, etc. into account. Wage Raise System: Yes</p> <p>Examples: Doctor / from JPY 340,000</p> <p>Various Allowances: Bonus (twice a year), Commuting Allowance (basically up to JPY 55,000), and other allowances decided by the University</p>
11	Insurance	Appointees will be enrolled in the Mutual Aid Association of Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science, and Technology as well as employment insurance.
12	Required Qualifications	<p>1)Ph.D., an equivalent qualification, or evidence that either will be obtained by the starting date.</p> <p>2)The applicant must have outstanding research achievements in the field of forest chemistry, focusing on the biosynthesis and biodegradation of components contained in woody biomass, as well as being able to actively provide teaching and guidance to students.</p> <p>3)The applicant should be able to actively develop and promote basic and applied research on forest chemistry, focusing on the biosynthesis and biodegradation of wood components, using biochemical, bioengineering, and bioinformatics methods for the purpose of effective utilization of woody biomass.</p> <p>4)The applicant should be able to teach the lectures, practicals, etc. listed in 2) of 6 above.</p>
13	Application documents	<p>1)Curriculum vitae (please use The University of Tokyo Standard Resume Form, downloadable from the following link: https://www.u-tokyo.ac.jp/en/about/jobs.html)</p> <p>2)Research achievements (books, original papers, reviews, etc.)</p> <p>3)Educational Achievements</p> <p>4)Social contributions (academic society activities, committee activities, etc.)</p> <p>5)Acquisition situation of competitive funds</p> <p>6)Reprints of major papers, not more than 5</p> <p>7)Summary of research until now (about 1000 characters)</p> <p>8)Research direction after assuming the position (about 1000 characters)</p>

		<p>9)Educational plans and aspirations (about 1000 characters)</p> <p>10)Names, job titles, and contact information for two persons who can act as references for your research and educational background</p>
14	Application Deadline	<p>All documents must be received on or before (Wednesday, August 17, 2022).</p> <p>After screening of the application materials, short-listed candidates will be interviewed.</p>
15	Contact Information	<p>1-1-1, Yayoi, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo, 113-8657 JAPAN Graduate School of Agricultural and Life Sciences, The University of Tokyo Department of Biomaterial Sciences (Attn: INAYAMA Masahiro) TEL: +81(0)3-5841-5253 E-mail: ainayama[at]g.ecc.u-tokyo.ac.jp (Please replace [at] with @.) Please write "Application for Associate Professor, Laboratory of Forest Chemistry" in red on the envelope, and send it by a method that can be traced, i.e. recorded delivery.</p>
16	Probation Period	There will be a six-month probationary period at the beginning of the appointment.
17	Employer	The University of Tokyo
18	Additional Information	<p>Please note that application documents will not be returned.</p> <p>Personal information obtained through this application process will be used only for the screening and the recruiting of the applicants, never for any other purpose.</p> <p>The University of Tokyo promotes gender equality. We encourage applications from female researchers.</p> <p>During the period of employment, sharing controlled technology to you may be prohibited by FEFTA and it may become difficult to achieve your job as a faculty or a staff member of the University if you are under the control of a foreign government, corporation or university by contract, or under the control of a foreign government by economic interests. In such a case, you need to keep the contract or interests within the range that does not incur such restrictions.</p>