

Application Guidelines for Assistant Professor Position
 Department of Agricultural and Environmental Biology (Laboratory of Plant Pathology) ,
 Graduate School of Agricultural and Life Sciences, The University of Tokyo

1	Position	Assistant Professor
2	Number of Positions	One
3	Starting Date	April 1, 2024 or the earliest possible date thereafter
4	Term of Employment	5 years. The appointment may be renewed once only for 5 years or less.
5	Work location	1-1-1, Yayoi, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo (The University of Tokyo Yayoi Campus)
6	Affiliation	Laboratory of Plant Pathology, Department of Agricultural and Environmental Biology, Graduate School of Agricultural and Life Sciences, The University of Tokyo
7	Job Details	1) Research Field: Plant Pathology 2) Lectures, Experiments, and Exercises: (Undergraduate) Basic Experiments in Applied Biology I & II, Experiments in Applied Biology, Research Exercises in Applied Biology, Basic Field Agronomy Training, Applied Field Agronomy Training (Graduate school) Special Lectures on Plant Pathology, Special Lectures on Plant Bacteriology, Special Lectures on Plant Mycology, Special Lectures on Plant Virology, Special Lectures on Production and Environmental Biology
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	Basic Salary will be decided taking your academic background, professional background, etc. into account. Wage Raise System: Yes Examples: Doctor / from JPY 340,000 Various Allowances: Bonus (twice a year), Commuting Allowance (basically up to JPY 55,000), and other allowances decided by the University
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	1) Ph.D., an equivalent qualification, or evidence that either will be obtained by the starting date. 2) Have outstanding research achievements in plant pathology and ability to develop original and high-level research during tenure 3) Those who can actively promote education and research in cooperation with faculty members in the same research field. 4) Those who can teach lectures, experiments, and exercises described in 7 2)
13	Application documents	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) 2) Research achievements (dissertations, original papers, books, reviews, patents, etc.) 3) Educational achievements (subjects to be taught, part-time lecturers, etc.) 4) Social contributions (academic society activities, committee activities, etc.) 5) Up to 5 reprints of major papers (photocopies acceptable) 6) Status of competitive funding (for the past 5 years) 7) Summary of research to date (about 750 words) 8) Future research plans and ambitions (about 750 words) 9) Educational plans and aspirations (about 500 characters) 10) Names, job titles, and contact information for two persons who can evaluate your research and educational background 11) Please send a single PDF file (all in one file with a password set) via e-mail. The method of password communication is left to the discretion of the applicant.
14	Application Deadline	All documents must be received on or before (Thursday, January 4, 2024) . After screening of the application materials, short-listed candidates will be interviewed.
15	Application method	Application documents should be submitted as email attachments in pdf format with the subject line "Assistant Professor Application documents". If there is anything unclear, please contact the below e-mail address before sending the documents.
16	Contact Information	1-1-1, Yayoi, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo, 113-8657 JAPAN Graduate School of Agricultural and Life Sciences, The University of Tokyo Department of Agricultural and Environmental Biology (Susumu Katsuma) TEL: +81(0)3-5841-8994 E-mail: skatsuma[at]g.ecc.u-tokyo.ac.jp (Please replace [at] with @.)
17	Probation Period	There will be a six-month probationary period at the beginning of the appointment.
18	Employer	The University of Tokyo
19	Additional Information	Please note that application documents will not be returned. 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. The University of Tokyo promotes gender equality. We encourage applications from female researchers. Status of measures to prevent second-hand smoke: No smoking on the premises (There is a smoking area outdoors) 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. We'll take your English language skills into account.