

Tenure-track Associate Professor
Research Center for Systems Immunology
Medical Institute of Bioregulation, Kyushu University

Number of Positions Offered: One Tenure-track Associate Professor (Principal Investigator)

Division: Division of Allergy and Immunology or Division of Cancer Immunology

Application deadline: August 31, 2019

Overview

The Medical Institute of Bioregulation, Kyushu University, aims to enhance our understanding of the Host-Defense System, an essential regulatory mechanism involved in human biology, at the cellular and molecular levels. With the long-term goal of curing diseases, the Institute has become one of the most active and productive research institutes in Japan, and has established itself as a world-renowned research institute for basic medical science. Our current goal is to establish a center of excellence for the Host-Defense System, focusing on multi-scale and transomics medicine.

In April 2018, the Research Center for Systems Immunology was newly established with two divisions: the Division of Bioinformatics and Division of Mucosal Immunology. We are now going to establish two more divisions: namely, the Division of Allergy and Immunology and Division of Cancer Immunology by 2021.

(For more information, visit http://www.bioreg.kyushu-u.ac.jp/index_e.html)

This time, we are recruiting a promising young researcher specializing in allergy or cancer immunology as an independent Tenure-track Associate Professor.

Regarding this employment, our Institute will provide financial support for a start-up and one postdoctoral position.

Qualifications:

Candidates must have a Ph.D. degree and have an outstanding research record regarding such fields as allergy and immunology or cancer immunology and have at least 5 original articles, including 3 or more first-author articles in authoritative international academic journals. All candidates are expected to have a strong background in cellular and molecular biology, and to be interested in actively participating in multi-omics analyses in the field of allergy or cancer immunology for the development of novel therapeutics.

Employment Duration:

5 years tenure-track

After completion of the initial 5-year period, the opportunity to obtain tenure is possible.

In addition, for outstanding researchers, it will be possible over time to be promoted to professor in this post.

Required Documentation

- 1) Recommendation letter (free format)
- 2) Curriculum vitae

- 3) A signed oath regarding the contents of the Curriculum vitae
- 4) A list of research achievements (including peer-reviewed papers, conference, reviews, books, patents)
- 5) Prints of three important publications
- 6) A list of research grants (for the previous 5 years)
- 7) A list of Journal Impact Factor data
- 8) A summary of the applicant's research activities and future research plan (A4, free format)

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Shortlisted candidates may be invited for a seminar and interview.

Submit all PDF documents on either a USB memory stick or a CD-ROM, together with the hardcopy.

Application documents will not be returned.

Starting date of employment

From January 1st, 2020 until March 31st, 2020 at the latest.

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