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Job Vacancy Announcement

Institution: Primate Research Institute, Kyoto University
Department: Neuroscience
Section: Cognitive Neuroscience
Job Title: Program-Specific Associate Professor
Opening Date: October 15th, 2020
Closing Date: December 4th, 2020
Formal Hiring Date: Around April 1st, 2021
Job Term: For 3 years until March 31st, 2024: Possible to extend the term
Salary Range: Subject to the applicant's previous research career (non-negotiable)

1. Job description

Primate Research Institute, Kyoto University (KUPRI) is seeking to appoint a suitable candidate to the position of Program-Specific Associate Professor for the Department of Neuroscience. The Cognitive Neuroscience Section conducts research to establish nonhuman primate models for human psychiatric disorders without gene modification elucidating its brain dysfunction (Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (A)). The Department endeavors to establish such models using macaque monkeys and common marmosets. A person who has knowledge and experience of studies of social behavior including communicative behavior in macaques and marmosets is preferable. The successful candidate is exempt from any administrative responsibilities.

2. Application procedure

Candidates are requested to submit the following documents in triplicate (copies are acceptable). English or Japanese is acceptable.

- (1) CV with detailed account of academic activity and research grant record.
- (2) List of academic publications and reprints.
- (3) List of non-academic/popular publications and reprints of those most representative of your research.
- (4) Summary of research that the candidate has conducted (about 1000 words).
- (5) Summary of research that the candidate intends to carry out at KUPRI (about 1000 words).

All documents must arrive by the the deadline (December 4th, 2020), and should be sent to the following address:

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《Job application : "Scientific Research (A)"》

3. Selection procedure and feedback to candidates

A committee will be set up at KUPRI to evaluate all candidates, based on the documents submitted. The final decision will be made by all faculty members. Each candidate will be informed of the final decision pertaining to him/herself only.

4. Gender equality

In accordance with the promotion of gender equality policy at Kyoto University, all else being equal, women will be given priority in the selection process based on Article 8 of the "Act on Securing Equal Opportunity and Treatment for Men and Women in the Workplace"

KUPRI is composed of the following research units: Department of Evolution and Phylogeny, Department of Ecology and Social Behavior, Department of Cognitive Science, Department of Neuroscience, Department of Cellular and Molecular Biology, the Center for Human Evolution Modeling Research, the Center for International Collaboration and Advanced Studies in Primatology, the Corporate Sponsored Department of Chimpanzee Research (funded by Hayashibara Co. Ltd.), and the Corporate Sponsored Department of Wildlife Science (funded by Nagoya Railroad Co. Ltd.). Graduate level education is conducted within the Division of Biological Science in the Graduate School of Science, Kyoto University. Detailed information is available at the following web site:
<http://www.pri.kyoto-u.ac.jp>.

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