

Faculty Position in the Graduate School of Frontier Biosciences, Osaka University

Outline	<p>The reproductive biology laboratory mainly uses <i>Drosophila</i> to study germline cell development and the function of small RNAs. We aim to elucidate the molecular mechanisms of germline stem cell maintenance, the differentiation of stem cells into eggs and sperm, and the function of non-coding RNA in germline cells.</p> <p>The laboratory is seeking an academic staff member who has a flexible attitude and can contribute to developing and harnessing the strength of the laboratory's research. The successful applicant will be responsible for conducting research and teaching liberal arts and other subjects at the undergraduate and graduate levels.</p> <p>Inquiries regarding this position are welcome.</p>
1. Position	Associate Professor
2. Number of Positions	1 (One)
3. Affiliation	Graduate School of Frontier Biosciences (Germline Biology Course, Department of Integrated Biology)
4. Work Location	Suita Campus (1-3 Yamadaoka, Suita-City, Osaka, Japan)
5. Specialized Field	Developmental Biology
6. Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Research in the areas described above. · Educational activities for undergraduate and graduate school students · Administrative work in the Graduate School of Frontier Biosciences and Osaka University.
7. Qualifications	<p>[Essential]</p> <p>Applicants must have:</p> <p>(1) A doctoral degree or equivalent professional expertise and/or achievement(s) in the above field/s</p> <p>(2) Excellent research achievement(s) in the related field/s</p> <p>(3) Business level or above Japanese and English language proficiency</p>
	<p>[Preferred]</p> <p>Applicants with experience supervising students at the undergraduate and graduate levels and obtaining competitive research funds.</p>
8. Starting Date	July 1, 2021
9. Term of Employment	<p>Five years from the starting date.</p> <p>*Following completion of the term, the contract may be extended subject to evaluation (the extension limit is 10 years from the starting date).</p>
10. Probationary Period	6 months
11. Employment Form	<p>Based on "38. Regulations Pertaining to Working Hours, Holidays and Leave for National University Corporation Osaka University Limited Term Staff"</p> <p>https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html</p> <p>*The Discretionary Labor System, Special Work Type will be applied (deemed working hours: 8 hours a day)</p>

12. Salary and Benefits	Based on “47. Salary Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Limited Term Staff Subject to New Annual Salary System” https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html
13. Insurance	Medical insurance and employee’s pension insurance of the Federation of National Public Service Personnel Mutual Aid Associations, Employment Insurance and Industrial Accident Compensation Insurance
14. Application Documents	Applications must be written in English or Japanese and include the following: 1. A Curriculum Vitae *Please use the university form for educational/research positions available at the following website: https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/news/employ 2. A list of research achievements (original papers, review papers, books, patents, presentations at international conferences) 3. Reprints of major original papers (if submitted by post, 4 copies [photocopies acceptable]) 4. An outline of research and education achievements (limited to two A4 pages) 5. A research plan and educational aspirations (limited to two A4 pages) 6. Name, affiliation, and contact information of two professional references who are willing to be contacted regarding the applicant *Personal information in the application documents will only be used for the purpose of screening and hiring procedures and will not be disclosed to any third party.
15. Sending Address and Contact Information	Please submit by e-mail to: toshie_kai[at]fbs.osaka-u.ac.jp [at]=@ *Write “Application for faculty position: Associate Professor at the Graduate School for Frontier Biosciences” in the subject line. *Attach the application documents in PDF format (with full security measures). If there is any difficulty submitting by email, please submit by post to: Attn: Professor Toshie Kai Graduate School of Frontier Biosciences, Osaka University 1-3 Yamadaoka, Suita-city, Osaka 565-0871 JAPAN *Please write “Application for faculty position: Associate Professor at the Graduate School for Frontier Biosciences” on the front of the envelope in red ink. *Applications should be sent by registered mail. *Submitted application documents will not be returned. Contact Person: Professor Toshie Kai Tel: +81-06-6879-7971 email: toshie_kai[at]fbs.osaka-u.ac.jp [at]=@
16. Application Deadline	April 30, 2021 (Japan Standard Time)
17. Selection Process	Document screening will be followed by interviews. Selected applicants will be notified within two weeks after the application deadline. *Travel and accommodation fees necessary for interviews are to be covered by the applicant. For applicants residing overseas, the applicant may request an online interview. *Please note that unsuccessful applicants will not be contacted.

18. Additional Information	<p>Concerning work conditions other than those mentioned above, please refer to “36. Work Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Limited Term Staff” and/or related regulations. https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html Please note the above-mentioned work conditions are as of the day this employment offer is posted and subject to change.</p> <p>Applications from female candidates are strongly encouraged. Osaka University is committed to promoting gender equality and providing support for female academic staff members. http://www.danjo.osaka-u.ac.jp/en_lp/</p> <p>*Osaka University campuses and related facilities are smoke-free, except for designated areas.</p>
19. Recruiter	National University Corporation Osaka University