

Division of Materials Science and Chemical Engineering, Yokohama National University (YNU)
Recruitment for a Research Associate

Yokohama National University (YNU) invites applications for one faculty position as a Research Associate in the field of Synthetic Organic Chemistry. The following is an overview of the position, general qualifications and application procedures:

1. The position starts as soon as possible after the decision of the appointee and lasts for five years from the day.
2. The appointee will be expected to teach undergraduate and graduate level courses in the areas of general organic chemistry.
3. The appointee should have research experience in experimental work of synthetic organic chemistry, reaction mechanisms, and the structure determination of organic compounds with the aid of the instrumental analysis.
4. The appointee should hold a doctoral degree at the start of the position. The appointee whose mother tongue is not Japanese should have a working knowledge of Japanese in order to carry out education and research activities.
5. The selection process does not exclude applicants on the basis of nationality, gender or age. YNU welcomes the application of female and non-Japanese researchers.
6. Complete applications received by 16:00 (Japan Standard Time), May 31, 2013, will be assured of consideration. A complete application should consist of the following documents:
 - (1) Application form (Curriculum Vitae, List of Publications, Patents, etc.).
 - (2) Up to 5 representative publications.
 - (3) Summary of research contributions (up to 2 pages including figures).
 - (4) Research plan and your research goals at YNU (up to 2 pages including figures).
 - (5) Contact information and addresses of two references.

Those whose mother tongues are not Japanese may apply in English.

7. The complete application consisting of documents (1) – (5) should be sent as a single PDF file attachment by e-mail to the two addresses listed below. Acknowledgment of receipt will be sent upon acceptance of the application. The subject line of the e-mail should read as follows:

“Application for a Research Associate at YNU (Organic Chemistry)”

If it is difficult to convert the representative publications into PDF files, 4 hard copies of these representative publications should be sent by registered mail (domestic) or airmail (from overseas) to the address below while the rest of the application documents should be sent by e-mail as a single PDF file attachment to the following two addresses:

E-mail addresses kubota@ynu.ac.jp and by C.C. to: m-asami@ynu.ac.jp

Mailing address: Professor Yoshihiro Kubota, Graduate School of Engineering

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8. In principle, the documents submitted will not be returned. All documents and personal information will be used only for the selection process and will be securely erased/discarded after recruitment activities are completed.