

Faculty Position in the Graduate School of Science, The University of Osaka

Outline	Department of Physics, Graduate School of Science, is currently accepting applications for a full-time professor in the discipline of theoretical condensed matter physics.
1. Position	Professor
2. Number of Positions	1 (One)
3. Affiliation	Graduate School of Science (Quantum Physics, Department of Physics)
4. Work Location	Toyonaka Campus (1-1 Machikaneyama-cho, Toyonaka-city, Osaka, Japan)
5. Specialized Field	Theoretical condensed matter physics
6. Responsibilities	The successful applicant will be expected to lead a research group and - conduct research on theoretical condensed matter physics, - actively participate in education for graduate and undergraduate students, and perform other university-related duties.
7. Qualifications	[Essential] Applicants must have: (1) Ph.D. (2) Business level or above Japanese language proficiency
8. Starting Date	April 1, 2027 (or as soon as possible thereafter)
9. Term of Employment	No Fixed Term (Until the end of the fiscal year at 65 years of age)
10. Probationary Period	6 months
11. Employment Type	Based on “6. Regulations Pertaining to Working Hours, Holidays and Leave for National University Corporation Osaka University Staff” https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html *The Discretionary Labor System, Special Work Type will be applied with the applicant’s consent. (deemed working hours: 8 hours a day)
12. Salary and Benefits	Based on “18. Salary Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University 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 submitted in either English or Japanese and include the following information: 1. A Curriculum Vitae (with a photograph attached, indicating your possible start date at the University of Osaka); 2. A list of research achievements with major ones marked; 3. An outline of research achievements (approximately two A4 pages); 4. A statement outlining research plans and educational aspiration (approximately two A4 pages); 5. Major papers (5 papers); 6. A list of recently acquired external research grants, fellowships and competitive funds; 7. Name, affiliation, and contact information of three professional referees who are willing to be contacted (at least one must be a researcher outside of Japan).

	<p>*Personal information in the application documents will be used solely for the purpose of screening and hiring procedures, and will not be disclosed to any third party.</p>
15. Sending Address and Contact Information	<p>Applicant should combine documents 1–7 into a PDF file and email them to: E-mail: prof_cmt_koubo[at]phys.sci.osaka-u.ac.jp (replace [at] with @) Attention: Professor Jobu Matsuno; Chair, Department of Physics; Graduate School of Science; The University of Osaka</p> <p>* Attach the application documents in a PDF format (with full security countermeasures). * Please include the subject line “Application for faculty position (CMT professor)” in your email. If you do not receive any acknowledgement of the receipt within a few days, please inquire the contact person.</p> <p>Contact Person: Professor Kazuhiko Kuroki Tel: +81-6-6850-5738 E-mail: kuroki[at]presto.phys.sci.osaka-u.ac.jp (replace [at] with @)</p>
16. Application Deadline	<p>Must arrive no later than Tuesday, June 30, 2026 (Japan Standard Time)</p>
17. Selection Process	<p>After documents have been reviewed, only shortlisted candidates will be interviewed. *Travel and accommodation expenses 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</p>
18. Additional Information	<p>Concerning work conditions other than the above-mentioned, please refer to “3. Work Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University 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. After employment, the affiliation, work location, and responsibilities may be subject to change within the limits set by the University.</p> <p>“Deemed exports” related to security export control are based on “Regulations Pertaining to Security Export Control”. Rules and Regulations – The University of Osaka</p> <p>We also particularly encourage applications from female candidates. The University of Osaka is committed to promoting gender equality and providing various supports for female academic staff members. https://www.di.osaka-u.ac.jp/</p> <p>* The University of Osaka campuses and related facilities are smoke-free, except for designated areas.</p>
19. Recruiter	<p>The University of Osaka</p>