

Faculty Position in the Graduate School of Science, Osaka University

Outline	Applications are invited for a tenured associate professor position in the Theoretical Astrophysics group, Department of Earth and Space Science, Graduate School of Science, Osaka University, Japan.
1. Position	Associate Professor
2. Number of Positions	One
3. Affiliation	Graduate School of Science (Department of Earth and Space Science)
4. Work Location	Toyonaka Campus
5. Specialized Field	Theoretical Astrophysics
6. Responsibilities	The successful candidate will: -Conduct theoretical astrophysics research, while paying attention to observational data. -Actively participate in education and fulfill the university duties for both graduate and undergraduate students.
7. Qualifications	Ph.D. or equivalent qualifications at the time of employment.
8. Starting Date	September 1, 2020 (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. Probation Period	6 months
11. Employment Form	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 is applied (deemed working hours: 8 hours a day)
12. Salary and Benefits	Based on “10. Salary Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Staff” 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	(i) CV (ii) List of publications (mark 3-5 major ones). (iii) Research statement that describes the applicant's past research (~3 pages). (iv) Statement of research plans and education (~3 pages). (v) Names and contact information of maximum three professional referees who can provide reference letters. (vi) Reprints of 3-5 major publications marked in (ii).
15. Sending Address and Contact Information	Attn: Chair of the Department, Department of Earth and Space Science, Graduate School of Science, Osaka University 1-1 Machikaneyama, Toyonaka, Osaka, 560-0043, JAPAN Email: koubo[at]ess.sci.osaka-u.ac.jp (change [at] to @ upon sending email.) *Submit above documents both via registered postal mail and by email as a single PDF file (up to 15MB). An email to acknowledge the receipt of your application will be sent. *Submitted application documents will not be returned. *Write ‘Associate Professor in Theoretical Astrophysics’ on the envelope in red ink. *For email, write ‘Associate Professor in Theoretical Astrophysics’ in the subject line. *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. *Inquiries: Prof. Kentaro Nagamine Email: kn@astro-osaka.jp
16. Application Deadline	April 6, 2020 (Japan Standard Time)

17. Selection Process	<p>After documents have been reviewed, only shortlisted candidates will be interviewed. Travel and accommodation fees necessary for interviews are to be covered by the applicant.</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.</p> <p>*We welcome applications from highly motivated female candidates. Osaka University is committed to promoting gender equality and providing various supports 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