

Professor of the Dept. of Cell Growth and Differentiation, CiRA, Kyoto Univ.

Position	One (1) professor
Work location	Dept. of Cell Growth and Differentiation, Center for iPS Cell Research and Application, Kyoto Univ. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kawahara-cho 53, Shogo-in, Sakyo-ku, Kyoto• 5-min walk from Jingu-marutamachi Station of Keihan Electric Railway
Job description	<p>In order to drive forward medical application of the iPS cell technology, he/she should work as a principal investigator to conduct research in the field of intractable diseases of organs such as kidney, pancreas, liver, etc. not just to elucidate their pathologies but to develop methods for predicting and diagnosing pathology and pathological changes, and effective therapies and drugs by using derived iPS cells and organ cells differentiated from iPS cells.</p> <p>Please visit our homepage (http://www.cira.kyoto-u.ac.jp) for the profile of the Center for iPS Cell Research and Application.</p>
Job requirements	<p>He/she should have the doctoral degree of medicine, dentistry, pharmacology, science or technology, adequate research achievements, and clear vision for research and development in the fields related to derivation of iPS cells, differentiation to organ cells from iPS cells, elucidation of the pathology of organ diseases, diagnosis of their pathologic conditions, and development of their therapies and drugs.</p> <p>【A desired person】</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• He/she has internationally outstanding research achievements in the research fields related to the job responsibility.• He/she has a medical license and experiences in diagnosing and treating diseases of organs such as kidney, pancreas, liver, etc.• He/she works on research in constructive stance with the sufficient flexibility to lead a research team and conduct research in collaboration with researchers from home and abroad in the related fields.• He/she has a good command of English.
Contract period	10 years from the earliest time as possible on and after October 1, 2014 (Contract is renewable)
Working conditions	<p>Professor of Kyoto University (full-time, fixed term system)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Salaries are determined based on the Kyoto Univ. standards, depending on capabilities and backgrounds.• Holidays: national holidays, summer break, year-end and new-year break, the anniversary of foundation holiday, and paid vacation days• MEXT Mutual Association of Health Insurance and employment insurance• Discretionary work system (38 hours and 45 minutes/week)
Deadline for application	No later than Friday, July 18, 2014
Documents to be submitted	<p>Please submit the following documents:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Curriculum vitae (Form 1) <p>Email address and telephone number by which we can contact you without fail must be written in the curriculum vitae.</p>

	<p>2. List of research achievements or business achievements (papers, research publications, acquired funds, patents, business in your charge, etc.) (Form 2)</p> <p>3. Outline of research progress, research results or business in your charge in the past (Form 3)</p> <p>4. Research plan (Form 4)</p> <p>5. Essay on the theme of “Issues and solutions concerning the promotion of iPS cell research and its clinical application” in about 1000 words in any style</p> <p>6. Recommendation (up to 2 persons) in any format</p> <p>※ Additional information might be required in the process of selection.</p> <p>※ Please use the Forms 1-4 for the documents of 1-4. If you cannot find appropriate items in the Forms, please add items you need. You can download those Forms at: http://www.cira.kyoto-u.ac.jp/j/images/pdf/Application_Form_121225.zip</p>
Contact	<p>Please send the documents above to the following address by postal mail.</p> <p>General Affairs Group, Administrative Office Center for iPS Cell Research and Application, Kyoto University Kawahara-cho 53, Shogo-in, Sakyo-ku, Kyoto 606-8507 JAPAN E-mail : ips-soumu*cira.kyoto-u.ac.jp (Please change “*” to “@”.) TEL: 075-366-7000</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please be sure to write in red “Recruitment documents of Professor of the Dept. of Cell Growth and Differentiation enclosed” on the front of the envelope. <p>If you make an inquiry, please contact us via e-mail, mentioning in the subject line “Re: Recruitment of Professor of the Dept. of Cell Growth and Differentiation.”</p>
Selection method	<p>An interview will follow the screening of application documents. Those who have passed the screening will be informed of the date and time of the interview, and sometimes will be requested to give a lecture on the research plan at the interview. (Interviewees should bear their transportation and accommodation expenses for the interview.)</p> <p>Results will be informed via e-mail or postal mail as soon as the decision is made.</p>
Gender equality	<p>Kyoto Univ. is promoting the gender equality. Woman researchers are encouraged to apply.</p>
Others	<p>Submitted documents shall be used just for the screening, and never be disclosed, transferred, or lent to the third party without due reasons.</p> <p>Please be advised that submitted documents shall not be returned.</p>
<p>We are looking forward to your application.</p>	