

Announcement of Tenured English Language Education Position
Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences
Iwate University

The Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, Iwate University, invites applications for a tenured faculty position as associate professor.

[1] Date of Announcement: 2015 /09/07

[2] Title: Tenured Associate Professor (English language education)

[3] Institution: Iwate University

[4] Department: Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences

[5] Institution type: National university

[6] Content of job:

(a)Teaching approximately five classes of 90 minutes per week

- One English language communication class in the general education course
- Teaching “Basic seminar for the first-year students” is required every four years.
- Three classes of English communication for English majors
- One lecture on Anglo- American culture

(b)Teaching a graduate level course (MA) might be required.

(c) Administrative duties (Attendance at faculty meetings, etc.)

[7] Number of positions: One

[8] Starting date: 2016 /04/01

[9]Job type: Associate professor

[10] Rank: Full-time (tenured)

[11] Work area: Morioka City, Iwate Prefecture

[12] Qualifications:

- (1) Native speaker of English
- (2) A Master's degree regarding TESOL or English communication, or equivalent qualifications in terms of teaching and research background
- (3) Five academic publications or more
- (4) Sufficient knowledge about Anglo-American culture
- (5) Fluency in Japanese
- (6) The successful candidate is required to reside in Morioka or in its surrounding areas during employment.
 - * Having a Ph D. is preferred.
 - * Applicants having engaged in study-abroad programs are preferred.

[13] Application Period: 2015/09/07-2015/11/04 (Deadline for receipt)

[14] Application materials

- (1) A Curriculum Vitae with your photo, e-mail address, and phone number (in English or Japanese)
- (2) A list of publications divided into the following categories: "Book," "Academic article," "Oral presentation," etc.
- (3) Three major publications (five copies for each academic article; two copies for each published book). Photocopies are acceptable.
- (4) An approximately 200-word English abstract for each of the academic articles. An approximately 2000-word English abstract for each of the published books
- (5) A list of the major courses the applicant has taught in the past (in English or Japanese)
- (6) The applicant's research plans (approximately 500 words in English)
- (7) The applicant's education plans and teaching philosophy (approximately 500 words in English)
- (8) Approximately 400-word self-assessment on the applicant's Japanese proficiency (in Japanese)
- (9) A report on the applicant's previous commitments to study-abroad programs (in English or Japanese)
- (10) A list of the Grants-in-Aids for Scientific Research [Kagaku-kenkyu-hi] you have acquired, or other grants.

(11) The names and information (phone number or e-mail address) of two persons we will be able to contact after the first screening

* Please use A4-sized sheets for each application material.

* The applicant may be required to submit additional documents.

* In principle, application materials submitted will not be returned.

[15] Selection Process

Following the initial screening, selected applicants will be required to come to Iwate University to have an interview in Japanese and give a teaching demonstration in English.

[16] Mailing Address

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* Please send your application by registered mail and write in red
“Application for English Language Teaching Position Enclosed” on the
envelope.

* Applicants’ travel expenses will not be reimbursed.

[17] Contact information

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