## Job Opportunity for Specially Appointed Assistant Professors by the University of Toyama "Employment Support Project for Young Researchers (Women Only, Foreigners Welcome)"

In the 4th Medium–Term Goal, the University of Toyama aims to build a foundation for sustainable creation and development as a base for accumulating knowledge by increasing the diversity of researchers, including young researchers, women, and foreigners. The medium–term plan calls for the strengthening of international networks and the formation of a base for accumulating knowledge through the assignment of foreign faculty members (researchers).

In addition, with the aim of further expanding international joint research and international research projects, as well as raising the level of research capabilities by spreading and expanding to interdisciplinary research, the University will establish the "Center for the Formation of Global Researchers" as a university-wide organization in 2024 and is promoting the development of management functions such as international research exchange.

For these reasons, this project aims to support the employment of young researchers (women only, foreigners are welcome) who can actively contribute to international collaboration activities, etc., and to promote and accelerate research that has the strengths and characteristics of our university.

In this project, we will call for applications for the attached "areas of specialization" from faculties that wish to hire specially appointed assistant professors, and after a university-wide selection, we will hire specially appointed assistant professors.

1. Number of Recruits	Up to 4 people
2. Affiliation, etc.	The specially appointed assistant professors selected for this project belong to one of the following faculties: Humanities, Education, Social Sciences, Science, Engineering, Sustainable Design, Medicine, Pharmaceutical Sciences, or Arts and Design, and will be assigned to the Center for the Formation of Global Researchers. In addition, they shall actively engage in international research activities and engage in education and research activities with independence.
3. Areas of Specialization	As shown in the attachment
Scheduled date of employment and period of employment	Expected Employment Date: As soon as possible after April 1, 2025 Employment period: 5 years from the date of employment
5. Eligibility	<ul> <li>Being a young researcher</li> <li>Must be a female researcher</li> <li>* In accordance with the provisions of Article 8 of the Equal Employment Opportunity Act (Special Provisions on Measures Concerning Female Workers), we will conduct an open recruitment program limited to women as a measure to actively improve the percentage of female researchers.</li> <li>*We welcome active applications from foreign researchers.</li> <li>*Ability to conduct education and research activities in English</li> <li>*Willingness to obtain external funds such as Grants—in—Aid for Scientific Research</li> <li>*Ability to actively contribute to university—wide activities, such as community contribution activities</li> <li>*Those who are willing to contribute to liberal arts education</li> </ul>
	*Eligibility Criteria for each area of specialization is shown in the attachment
6. Documents to be submitted	<ol> <li>(1) Curriculum Vitae (Form 1)</li> <li>(2) Publications (Form 2)</li> <li>(2-1 Books, 2-2 Original Papers, 2-3 Review article, 2-4 Others, 2-5 Conference Presentations)</li> <li>(3) Reprints of major papers (up to 3 papers)</li> <li>(4) Outline of education (including TA and RA) and research (about 2 sheets of A4 paper, format as appropriate)</li> <li>(5) Aspirations for future education and research (about 2 sheets of A4 paper, format as appropriate)</li> <li>(6) List of Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research (Form 3-1) and         List of External Funds (Excluding Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research) (Form 3-2)</li> <li>(7) Other social contributions that you would like to make a special note of (about 1 sheet of A4 paper, as appropriate)</li> </ol>
7. Application Deadline	Thursday, December 12, 2024 17:00 [Japan Standard Time]
8. Selection process	Documents will be screened at the university-wide selection meeting, and interviews (online) will be conducted by executives and others for those who have passed the document screening.
9. How to send application documents	Please contact the person in charge of the university (jinjinin@adm.u-toyama.ac.jp) by e-mail stating that you would like to apply. In doing so, please write "Application for Young Researcher (Specially Appointed Assistant Professor)" in the subject line, and write the following four items in the body: (1) name, (2) contact email address, (3) contact phone number, and (4) "No." of the faculty and area of specialization for which you are applying.  We will contact you by e-mail with the upload address of your application documents, so please upload the complete application documents in PDF format by "No.7 Application Deadline".  *If you do not receive a reply from the upload destination within 2"3 days (excluding weekends and holidays), please be sure to contact us to confirm.
	* It is also possible to apply by sending electronic documents online using the web application function of JREC-IN Portal.

10. Person in charge, Inquiries	Human Resources Division, General Affairs Department, University of Toyama  e-mail jinjinin@adm.u-toyama.ac.jp
11. Working Conditions, etc.	This shall be in accordance with the University's Employee Employment Regulations.
12. Others	(1) If necessary, you may be asked to submit separate materials. (2) The form is posted on the "Faculty and Staff Recruitment Information" on the university's website (http s://www.u-toyama.ac.jp/outline/other-info/employ/) and on the JREC-IN Portal.