

Job Announcement for
Academic Staff(s)
(full time, female and/or foreign nationality)
at
Institute of Space and Astronautical Science,
The Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency

Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency (JAXA) considers diversity to be one of the crucial factors for sustaining vitality in its basic research environment, and thus seeks to recruit one or two full-time female and/or foreign-nationality Academic staff(s). Successful applicant(s) will work as an associate and/or assistant professor at Institute of Space and Astronautical Science (ISAS), as described below;

1. Title and Number of position(s):

One or two in total, associate and/or assistant professor(s), to be selected from female and/or foreign-nationality applicants.

2. Department

In one of the departments listed below:

Department of Space Astronomy and Astrophysics

Department of Solar System Sciences

Department of Interdisciplinary Space Science

Department of Space Flight Systems

Department of Spacecraft Engineering

3. Summary of the Position (Contents of Work and Required Ability):

The mission of ISAS is to advance space science – scientific research conducted in outer space – in Japan, mainly by collaboration with universities, and to contribute to Japan's space development program by carrying-out successfully challenging space science spacecraft projects. ISAS consists of five research departments, namely, Department of Space Astronomy and Astrophysics, Department of Solar System Sciences, Department of Interdisciplinary Space Science, Department of Space Flight Systems and Department of Spacecraft Engineering. The Departments cover various areas whose research activities benefit substantially from accessing outer space. An applicant may either think of enhancing a research theme that is already dealt at ISAS or propose to set-up a new research theme that will expand the research horizon of ISAS. While being productive in academic research, a successful applicant is also expected to participate in space science projects conducted at ISAS and to contribute to maximizing the output from space science program of ISAS.

Based on the understanding that JAXA/ISAS acts as inter-university research system, a successful applicant will conduct research in collaboration with the researchers from other universities. Also, a successful applicant will be engaged in teaching and directing graduate students, and will actively participate in various researches and projects conducted within JAXA.

Please see < <http://global.jaxa.jp/about/employ/index.html> > for further details.