**Application Form**

Position Applied for: Lecturer (fixed term contract) on the Modern Japanese Studies Program, Research Faculty of Media and Communication, Hokkaido University

**Instructions:** *Please provide the information indicated below. Feel free to format/arrange your application in a way that best reflects your personal profile as an educator and researcher. You may add other items to the application form if you wish, but all the section headings and items listed below must be included.*

**Personal Information**

Name:

Date of Birth:

Sex:

Nationality:

Postal Address:

E-mail:

Skype:

Telephone:

**Employment**

Current position: *Give your title/status, organization/institution, address, period of employment/study.*

Previous work/teaching experience (if applicable): *Give your titles, organizations/institutions, addresses, periods of employment.*

**Education**

Bachelor’s Degree: *Give the university, subject, graduation date, grade/class/GPA.*

Master’s Degree: *Give the university, subject, graduation date, grade/class/GPA.*

PhD: *Give the university, thesis title, (expected) graduation date.*

PhD thesis abstract: ***Maximum 200 words.***

**Research**

Research keywords: *Give up to six keywords that best indicate your research area.*

Academic publications: *List them under the categories a) Books, b) Refereed academic articles, c) Unrefereed academic articles and conference presentations, d) Others (book reviews, research notes etc.)*

Research plans: *Describe your research plans during the period of the contract. Include a concrete plan for a major publication (impact factor journal article or book) that you can achieve in the coming five years.* ***Maximum 200 words.***

**Teaching**

Subject areas: *Rank the following four subject areas within Japanese studies – history, culture, society, political economy – from 1 to 4 in the order that you would feel most comfortable teaching (1 = most comfortable, 4 = least comfortable). Also, give a fifth discipline or area that you could teach in.*

Teaching philosophy: *Concisely* *describe your teaching philosophy.* ***Maximum 50 words.***

Sample curriculum: *Describe a course based on your research that you would like to teach on the Modern Japanese Studies Program. Describe the class content, learning goals and teaching techniques. Assume the following: There is one class (90 minutes) a week for 15 weeks. There are 15 international students (native/near-native English) and 10 Japanese students (high intermediate English) taking the class.* ***Maximum 300 words.***

**Personal Statements**

Motivation for applying: *Explain why you are applying to this job.* ***Maximum 200 words.***

My particular contribution to MJSP: *Explain very concisely the particular contribution you can make to Hokkaido University and the Modern Japanese Studies Program.* ***Maximum 50 words.***

**Referees**

*Supply the names and contact details of three people who can supply an academic reference.*

Referee 1 (PhD supervisor strongly preferred): *Name, position, contact details (make sure the email address is an official university email address).*

Referee 2 (an academic who knows you and your work well strongly preferred): *Name, position, contact details (make sure the email address is an official university email address).*

Referee 3 (an academic or other professional who can testify to your teaching/research capabilities): *Name, position, contact details (include an email address).*