

**Position Open: Non-tenured Associate Professor, Faculty of
Humanities and Human Sciences, Hokkaido University**

Hokkaido University invites applications for a five-year research and teaching position with an anticipated start date of April 1st, 2021. The successful applicant will be appointed as a faculty member at the rank of Non-tenured Associate Professor in the Faculty of Humanities and Human Sciences.

1. Position

Non-tenured Associate Professor

2. Department

Faculty of Humanities and Human Sciences, Division of Humanities, Research group of Philosophy and Religious Studies, Philosophy and Ethics

3. Research Field

Philosophy

4. Duties

Teaching Duties

7 courses per week, including:

- 3 philosophy courses (in English or German)
- 2 seminars in German (intermediate level)
- 2 German language courses for undergraduate students.

Academic Research in the field of philosophy

5. Qualifications

- (1) Native-level German language proficiency
- (2) Ph.D. at the time of appointment
- (3) Outstanding achievements and publications in the research area
- (4) Ability to teach graduate and undergraduate students (in German and English)

6. Desired Start Date

April 1, 2021

7. Contract Period

The term of the contract is five years. The contract can be renewed based on the evaluation of teaching, research, and other work performance during the contract period. The term of the renewed contract is five years and the maximum term is ten years.

8. Probation Period

One month

9. Salary

Approximately 8.4 million yen per year.

10. Working Form

Discretionary labor system for professional work

*The working hours per day is deemed as 7 hours and 45 minutes.

11. Health Insurance

The Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology Mutual Aid Association, Employees' Pension, Workers' Accident Compensation Insurance and Employment Insurance

12. Name of Recruiting Institution

Hokkaido University

13. Application Materials

Use common fonts such as Times New Roman in black and size 12 points.

(1) Curriculum Vitae

*Free format with academic history, degrees, qualifications, record of awards, and employment history

*Applicants who have been employed by Hokkaido University after April 1, 2013 (any position, including Part-time Lecturer, TA, TF, RA, Short-term Support Assistant, etc.) should provide full details of their employment history.

(2) Publication list

(3) Summary of past and current research (1-2 pages)

(4) Brief statement of research and teaching interests (1-2 pages)

(5) Two references (names and contact details)

(6) Three most important publications

14. Application Deadline

November 30, 2020 (JST)

15. Selection Process

(1) Document screening

(2) Interview with short-listed applicants (online or face to face: Travel expenses are not covered by the department.)

16. Submission Method

Submit each publication (6) in a separate PDF file. **Compile all the rest (1-5) in a single PDF file.** This makes four PDF files in total, which **must then be compiled in a single ZIP file.**

Submit all the materials via e-mail at

jobs[AT]let.hokudai.ac.jp

*Change [AT] into @.

You will receive a confirmation email shortly after making a submission. Please contact us immediately if you did not receive one within 3 business days.

17. Inquiries

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18. Additional information

- (1) The successful applicant can, if desired, also conduct research in collaboration with the Center for Human Nature, Artificial Intelligence, and Neuroscience (CHAIN: <https://www.chain.hokudai.ac.jp/en/>) and/or the Center for Applied Ethics and Philosophy (CAEP: <http://caep-hu.sakura.ne.jp/en/>).
- (2) The successful applicant may be required to participate in an educational program that promotes further internationalization of the Faculty of Humanities and Human Sciences.
- (3) Women and members of other underrepresented groups are particularly encouraged to apply.
- (4) Hokkaido University has a policy against passive smoking. Smoking is only allowed in designated areas.