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Faculty Recruitment Announcement

The Faculty of Agriculture, Ryukoku University, invites applications for one full-time, tenured position. The Faculty would appreciate your sharing this announcement with interested parties.

1.Department/Program:

Department of Agri-Food System, Faculty of Agriculture

2.Location:

Ryukoku University, Seta Campus, 1-5 Yokotani, Oe-cho, Otsu-shi, Shiga Prefecture

3.Field of Specialization: Applied Nutrition

4.Main Responsibilities: "Applied Nutrition"

※In addition to the main responsibilities, the candidate is expected to teach "Applied Nutrition Practicum" and other related courses.

5.Anticipated Position: Special Appointed Associate Professor or Lecturer

6.Number of Positions: 1

7. Qualifications:

Candidates must meet the following requirements:

- (1) Respect for the university's founding principles.
- (2) A registered dietitian license
- (3) A doctoral degree, or research achievements and practical experience equivalent to or exceeding this level.
- (4) Publication of peer-reviewed articles in reputable domestic and international academic journals.
- (5) Strong motivation and passion for engaging in education, research, community service, and university management.
- (6) Those who can perform work in Japanese.

8. Application Documents:

- (1) Curriculum Vitae with photo (Ryukoku University Form 1) - 1 copy
- (2) Educational and Professional Achievement Record (Ryukoku University Form 2) - 1 copy
- (3) Research Achievement Record (Ryukoku University Form 3) - 1 copy
 - Specify solo and collaborative works, including titles, article names, publishers, journal names, publication dates, and whether they were peer-reviewed.
 - Provide a brief summary (approximately 200 words) for each research achievement.
 - Mark three major research achievements with a checkmark.
- (4) Copies of the three major research achievements (photocopies allowed) - 3 copies each
 - Include works from the past five years.
- (5) Other Achievements Record (Ryukoku University Form 4) - 1 copy
- (6) Statement of Intent for Education and Research (Ryukoku University Form 5) - 1 copy
- (7) Syllabus (Ryukoku University Form 6) - 1 copy
 - Create a syllabus for the "Main Responsibilities" subject.
- (8) Names and contact information of two referees

Note:

Submitted documents will not be returned.

All forms should be A4 size, printed on one side, and clipped together (do not staple).

The required forms can be downloaded from the Ryukoku University website.

<https://www.ryukoku.ac.jp/employment/index.html>

9. Application Deadline: July 15th, 2025 (Tuesday) [Must be received by this date]

10.Submission Address:

Ryukoku University, Faculty of Agriculture, Educational Affairs Department
1-5 Yokotani, Oe-cho, Seta, Otsu-shi, Shiga 520-2194, Japan

11.Submission Method:

Send the documents by registered mail with the label "Application Documents for Faculty Position in the Department of Agri-Food System, Faculty of Agriculture, Ryukoku University." <No electronic files>

12.Anticipated Start Date: April 1, 2026

13.Remuneration:

- (1) Employment Type: Full-time appointment with a 3-year term (renewable once for a period of up to 2 years)
- (2) Salary: As per Ryukoku University's salary regulations
- (3) Retirement Age: 65 years old (for associate professors and lectures)

14.Contact Information:

Ryukoku University, Faculty of Agriculture, Educational Affairs Department
Contact Person: Tanaka
Tel: 077-599-5601 / Fax: 077-599-5608
Email: agr@ad.ryukoku.ac.jp

15.Selection Process:

- (1) First Selection (Document Screening): Qualified applicants will be notified separately.
- (2) Second Selection (Interview, etc.): Scheduled for late August 2025. Details will be provided later.
- (3) Travel and accommodation expenses for the selection process will not be provided.
- (4) Applicants will be notified of the results of the selection process once decisions are made.

16.Other Information:

Personal information provided during the recruitment process will be managed in accordance with university regulations and used only for the purposes of selection and recruitment.