

Ryukoku University invites applications for a full-time position in the Materials Chemistry Course in the Faculty of Advanced Science and Technology (to be renamed as the Faculty of Science and Technology in April 2027).

1. Job Description

Position: Tenured Lecturer, or Tenured Associate Professor, or Tenured Professor

Number of positions: 1

Field of Specialization: Organic Chemistry, Polymer Chemistry, Organic Materials Chemistry

Main Classes to be taught: Lectures and Experiments in Organic and Organic Materials Chemistry, etc.

Starting date of Employment: April 1, 2027

Workplace: Yokotani 1-5, SetaOe-cho, Otsu-shi, Shiga, 520-2194, Japan

2. Qualifications

Applicants must fulfill the following qualifications:

- ① Having a PhD/Doctor or receiving it before the starting date
- ② Being able to teach courses and deal with duties in Japanese
- ③ Being passionate about university education and instruction for undergraduate and graduate students
- ④ Having sufficient research achievements in the field of expertise and being willing to explore new research fields
- ⑤ Being able to enthusiastically engage in administrative duties of the department/faculty in Japanese
- ⑥ Respecting the founding spirit of Ryukoku University

Visit the following for the founding spirit of Ryukoku University and university policies

<https://www.ryukoku.ac.jp/about/outline/spirit.html>

<https://www.ryukoku.ac.jp/about/outline/organaization/policy.html>

3. Compensation

In accordance with the Employment Regulations of Ryukoku University and other university regulations

4. Application, Submission, Selection, Notification of Results, and Contact Information

【Application documents】

- (1) Academic C.V. adding a photo (Form 1)
- (2) Record of educational experiences and work accomplishments (Form 2)
- (3) List of publications (List your books, papers, etc. by category.) (Form 3)
- (4) Five pdf files or scans of selected papers listed in (Form 3) above.
- (5) Other achievements (Status of acquisition of competitive funds, status of acquisition of intellectual

property, record of activities such as social collaboration, industry-government-academia collaboration, etc.) (Form 4)

(6) Outline of research to date and research plan after arrival (approximately 2,000 characters in Japanese with research field keywords listed at the beginning) (Form5)

(7) Aspirations for education and research at our university after arrival (approximately 1,000 characters in Japanese) (Form 6)

(8) Reliable contact information for current address or workplace (Phone number, e-mail and address)

※Please download the forms from Job Posting URL.

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

【Documents submission dead line】

August 31, 2026

【Selection Process】

After screening the submitted materials, interviews will be conducted for short-listed candidates.

Interviews are scheduled for late September to early October 2026.

【How to Submit Application Documents】

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※Applications should be sent by registered mail. Please write “Organic Materials Chemistry faculty position materials” in red ink on the outside of the envelope and make certain that all necessary materials have been included.

※Personal information submitted when applying will be managed appropriately in accordance with university regulations and will not be used for purposes other than selection and recruitment. We will dispose of all of documents responsibly.