

**Faculty Position in the Graduate School of Information Science and Technology,
The University of Osaka**

Outline	<p>The Department of Computer Science at the Graduate School of Information Science and Technology, The University of Osaka, invites applications for a faculty position in the field of distributed computing, with a focus on algorithmic theory. We are seeking a candidate who actively engages in cutting-edge research on topics such as distributed systems, fault tolerance, and self-stabilization. Through advancing these research areas, the successful applicant is expected to contribute to the development of sustainable and highly reliable distributed systems, promoting a broad range of studies from theoretical foundations to practical applications. We welcome applicants who are eager to contribute to the advancement of the field through both research and education, and who demonstrate the potential for international recognition and collaboration. In addition to conducting research, the successful candidate will be responsible for teaching undergraduate and graduate courses, as well as courses in the university-wide liberal arts education program. Inquiries regarding this position are welcome.</p>
1. Position	Professor
2. Number of Positions	1 (One)
3. Affiliation	Graduate School of Information Science and Technology (Department of Computer Science)
4. Work Location	Suita Campus (1-5 Yamadaoka, Suita-City, Osaka, Japan)
5. Specialized Field	Information Science (Algorithmic theory)
6. Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Research in the areas described above. · Educational activities for undergraduate and graduate school students. · Administrative jobs in Graduate School of Information Science and Technology, and The University of Osaka.
7. Qualifications	<p>[Essential] Applicants must have:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (1) A doctoral degree or equivalent professional expertise and/or achievement in the above field/s (2) Excellent research achievements in the related field/s (3) Business level or above Japanese language proficiency (4) Experiences in supervising students at both the undergraduate and graduate levels.
8. Starting Date	1 st October 2025 (or as soon as possible thereafter)
9. Term of Employment	No Fixed Term (Until the end of the fiscal year at 65 years of age)
10. Probationary Period	6 months

11. Employment Form	<p>Based on “6. Regulations Pertaining to Working Hours, Holidays and Leave for National University Corporation the University of Osaka Staff” https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html *The Discretionary Labor System, Special Work Type will be applied with the applicant’s consent. (deemed working hours: 8 hours a day)</p>
12. Salary and Benefits	<p>Based on “18. Salary Regulations for National University Corporation the University of Osaka Staff Subject to New Annual Salary System” https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html</p>
13. Insurance	<p>Medical insurance and employee’s pension insurance of the Federation of National Public Service Personnel Mutual Aid Associations, Employment Insurance and Industrial Accident Compensation Insurance</p>
14. Application Documents	<p>Applications must be written in English or Japanese and include the following</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A Curriculum Vitae *Please use the university form for educational/research positions available at the following website. https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/news/employ/links 2. A list of research achievements (original papers, review papers, books, patents, presentations at international conferences, the number of citations and h-index in the Google Scholar) 3. PDF files of five major original papers 4. A list and an outline of awards and prizes 5. A list of obtaining research grants 6. An outline of research and education achievements (within two A4 pages) 7. A research plan and educational aspirations (within two A4 pages) 8. Name, affiliation, and contact information of two professional references who are willing to be contacted <p>*Personal information in the application documents will only be used for the purpose of screening and hiring procedures, and will not be disclosed to any third party.</p>
15. Sending Address and Contact Information	<p>Please submit by e-mail:</p> <p>Yoshiki Higo <higo@ist.osaka-u.ac.jp></p> <p>*Write “Application for Professor in IST” in the subject line. *Attach the application documents in PDF format (with full security countermeasures).</p>
16. Application Deadline	<p>Must arrive no later than Friday, 6th June 2025 (Japan Standard Time)</p>
17. Selection Process	<p>Document screening will be followed by interviews. Selected applicants will be notified within two weeks after the application deadline. *Travel and accommodation fees necessary for interviews are to be covered by the applicant. For applicants residing overseas, the applicant may request an online interview. *Please note that unsuccessful applicants will not be contacted.</p>
18. Additional Information	<p>Concerning work conditions other than the above-mentioned, please refer to “3. Work Regulations for National University Corporation the University of Osaka Staff” and/or related regulations. https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html Please note the above-mentioned work conditions are as of the day this employment offer is posted, and subject to change. After employment, the affiliation, work location, and responsibilities may be subject to change within the limits set by the University.</p>

	<p>“Deemed exports” related to security export control are based on “Regulations Pertaining to Security Export Control”.</p> <p>We also particularly encourage applications from female candidates. The University of Osaka is committed to promoting gender equality and providing various supports for female academic staff members.</p> <p>https://www.di.osaka-u.ac.jp/</p> <p>*The University of Osaka campuses and related facilities are smoke-free, except for designated areas.</p>
19. Recruiter	National University Corporation The University of Osaka