

Faculty Position at the Osaka School of International Public Policy, Osaka University

Outline	Osaka School of International Public Policy, Osaka University invites applications for a tenure-track or tenured faculty position in the field of conflict and peace studies to begin in the summer or fall of 2022.
1. Position	Assistant, Associate, or Full Professor (Tenure-track or tenured. The title and responsibilities will be commensurate with the applicant's experience and qualifications)
2. Number of Positions	1 (One)
3. Affiliation	Osaka School of International Public Policy (OSIPP)
4. Work Location	Toyonaka Campus
5. Specialized Field	Conflict and peace studies (Open to all specializations, but we are particularly interested in applicants with quantitative research skills)
6. Responsibilities	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Conduct research and pursue external grants, including the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science's Grants-in-Aid 2. Teach on average three courses (graduate and undergraduate) per semester (each consisting of one 90-minute session per week for 15 weeks) 3. Perform administrative duties as assigned
7. Qualifications	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A doctoral degree must be obtained by the start date of the appointment 2. Proficiency in English 3. A working knowledge of Japanese is required for tenure (The first language of communication at Osaka University is Japanese)
8. Starting Date	August 1, 2022 (negotiable)
9. Term of Employment	No fixed term for a tenured position (until the end of the fiscal year at the age of 65). For a tenure-track position, the term of employment is four years. A tenure evaluation will be conducted by the end of the term of employment, and if the applicant passes the evaluation, the applicant becomes an employee with no fixed term of employment. If the applicant is unsuccessful, the term of employment may be renewed for up to three years (as a general rule, only once). If the applicant passes the evaluation by the end of the new term of employment, the applicant becomes an employee with no fixed term of employment.
10. Probationary Period	6 months
11. Employment Form	<p>For a tenured position, see “6. Regulations Pertaining to Working Hours, Holidays and Leave for National University Corporation Osaka University Staff” https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html</p> <p>For a tenure-track position, see “38. Regulations Pertaining to Working Hours, Holidays and Leave for National University Corporation Osaka University Limited Term Staff” https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html</p> <p>*The Discretionary Labor System, Special Work Type applies (deemed working hours: 8 hours a day)</p>
12. Salary and Benefits	<p>For a tenured position, see “18. Salary Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Staff Subject to New Annual Salary System” https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html</p> <p>For a tenure-track position, see “47. Salary Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Limited Term Staff Subject to New Annual Salary System” https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html</p>
13. Insurance	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

14. Application Documents	<p>(All documents must be in English or Japanese)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Curriculum Vitae 2. A list of research achievements (books, articles, chapters, working papers, conference presentations, etc.) 3. Writing samples (Up to three published or unpublished works. If the work is under revision or in production, please attach evidence such as email correspondence. Contact us if digital copies are not available) 4. We may request other documents after the initial screening. <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 email your application or address your inquiries to: faculty_search@osipp.osaka-u.ac.jp (A confirmation email will be generated). Send all documents in separate PDF files. Documents in other formats are not accepted. Use “[name of applicant]: Conflict and Peace Studies” as the subject. If the attachments exceed 5MB, divide them into separate e-mails. We are unable to accept compressed files (ZIP, LHA, CAB, TGZ, TBZ, TAR, or RAR).</p> <p>*Please be sure to use appropriate security precautions when attaching files.</p>
16. Application Deadline	March 10, 2022 (Japan Standard Time)
17. Selection Process	<p>After the initial screening, finalists will be invited to an online job talk.</p> <p>*Please note that unsuccessful applicants will not be contacted.</p>
18. Additional Information	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. OSIPP offers start-up research grants and teaching load reduction to new faculty. 2. Osaka University is committed to diversity and inclusion among the faculty, staff and students. We encourage applications from all potential candidates, but particularly female, LGBTQ, and non-Japanese scholars. Osaka University is committed to promoting gender equality and providing various supports for its female employees. http://www.danjo.osaka-u.ac.jp/en_lp/ 3. Regarding work conditions other than the above-mentioned, please refer to “3. Work Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Staff” and related regulations. Please note that these work conditions are as of the day this announcement is posted, and subject to change. https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html <p>*Osaka University campuses and related facilities are smoke-free, except for designated areas.</p>
19. Recruiter	National University Corporation Osaka University