

To whom it may concern,

Invitation for Applications for Junior Associate Professor Position,
Department of Biological Pharmaceutical Chemistry, Drug Discovery Science Research,
Laboratory for Biomaterials and Bioengineering (LBB), Institute of Integrated
Research.

1. Position

Junior Associate Professor

2. Area of Research

The Department of Biological and Pharmaceutical Chemistry, led by Professor Yukihiro Itoh, conducts research in medicinal chemistry and chemical biology grounded in organic chemistry. Our group focuses on developing innovative methodologies for drug discovery, as well as designing and synthesizing bioactive molecules through these approaches.

We are looking for a researcher with expertise and experience in organic synthesis, a strong interest in the development of bioactive compounds, and the ability to contribute to the aforementioned research projects. The candidate should also be enthusiastic about interdisciplinary collaboration among medicine, dentistry, and engineering, as well as between academia and industry, and be committed to student education. Applicants are expected to hold a Ph.D. in a relevant area or to have obtained their Ph.D. by the time of appointment. Proficiency in the Japanese language is preferred but not required.

3. Conditions of Employment

- Employment Status: Full-time (fixed-term faculty based on the employment regulations of Institute of Science Tokyo)
- Date of appointment: As early as possible after July 1, 2026.
- Term of employment: Within 5 years.

Reappointment may be possible up to 2 times after performance review.

- Probationary period: 6 months from the date of appointment
- Salary: Salary will be determined by the annual salary system outlined by Science Tokyo regulations.
- Work Location : Laboratory for Biomaterials and Bioengineering, Institute of Integrated Research, Institute of Science Tokyo, 2-3-10 Kanda-Surugadai, Chiyoda, Tokyo 101-0062, Japan

- Others: Science Tokyo promotes support for female researchers and expects active application from female researchers. Various efforts are being made to enable all faculty

members to balance their research activities with life events such as childbirth and childcare.

We also welcome applications from non-Japanese researchers, researchers who have obtained their degrees abroad, and researchers who have been involved in education and research in foreign countries.

· Status of measures to prevent second-hand smoke : No smoking on the premises.

4. Application Forms

Documents on the following lists must be prepared in Japanese or English:

- (1) Designated application form (Curriculum Vitae, etc.) (Free form of A4 sheet)
- (2) List of Academic Research Activities (Form No.2) (Word)
- (3) Junior Associate Professor Applicant Information for the Department of Biological Pharmaceutical Chemistry (Summary) (Form No.3) (Excel)
- (4) Reprints of representative publications (one copy per publication, up to 5 papers)
- (5) Summary of previous research contributions (one page of A4 sheet)
- (6) Summary of future research and education plans (one page of A4 sheet)
- (7) Name and contact information of two referees (Free form of A4 sheet)

5. How to Apply and Deadline

All the application documents must be sent to Administration Office, to apply, please enter the following [contents] at zaikensoumu.adm@tmd.ac.jp

Please contact us by e-mail by April 16, 2026 (Thu), Japan Standard Time.

We will send the URL and manual for submission to the university to the "destination email address".

The deadline for all the application documents is April 17, 2026 (Fri), Japan Standard Time.

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- Subject: “Public recruitment of faculty members (Junior Associate Professor) in the Department of Biological Pharmaceutical Chemistry”
 - Text: full name, affiliation, and destination email address/phone number
- All information will be treated with the strictest confidentiality in accordance with pertinent laws and rules.

6. Inquiry

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