**Title**
【Excellent Young Researchers】Recruitment for Associate Professor Position (Disaster prevention engineering-related field)

**Institution**
Kanazawa University

**URL of institution or department**

**Department**
Faculty of Geosciences and Civil Engineering

**Institution type**
National university

**Content of job information**

*(Job Description)*
The candidate will be screened and employed based on the procedure “Leading Initiative for Excellent Young Researchers (LEADER)” by MEXT.
http://www.mext.go.jp/a_menu/jinzai/takuetsu/index.htm

*(Job details)*
1. Create new research field of earthquake disaster prevention and earthquake engineering.
2. Take an active part in international cooperation of earthquake disaster prevention such as preservation of world cultural heritage in developing countries.
3. Take part in education for undear graduate and master course students of Faculty of Geoscience and Civil Engineering including international students.
4. Take part in research in a research group on “Construction of resilient infrastructures against risks of unexperienced natural disasters” formed in Faculty of Geosciences and Civil Engineering.

*(Address of office)*
Faculty of Geosciences and Civil Engineering, Kanazawa University
Kakuma-machi, Kanazawa, Ishikawa 920-1192, Japan

*(Number of positions)*
One

*(Starting date)*
October 1st, 2019(or the earliest possible date thereafter)

**Research field**
1.Area: Engineering Discipline: Civil Engineering
2.Area Discipline
3.Area Discipline

**Job type**
1.Associate Professor
2.Excellent Young Researchers

**Employment status**
Full-time(Non tenured)

**Work location**
Hokuriku and Koshinetsu district – Ishikawa

**Qualifications**
The candidate who apply for “Leading Initiative for Excellent Young Researchers (LEADER)”
This post requires “Advance notice” for negotiation among the parties.
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**Compensation**
*Tenure-Track Associate Professor (Five year fixed-term contract)
*Salary: Annual salary system of Kanazawa University
For details:
*An incentive grant will be provided for the first and second years.

**Application period**
2019/03/22 - 2019/06/21 Deadline for receipt
The application period for “Leading Initiative for Excellent Young Researchers(LEADER)”is from 2019/3/22 to 2019/4/24

**Application method**
Follow the Application Guideline of “Leading Initiative for Excellent Young Researchers(LEADER),”
Details are specified by the following URL.
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**Selection process (selection method and hiring decision), notification of result**
1. Follow the Application Guidelines of “Leading Initiative for Excellent Young Researchers(LEADER),”
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2. Advance notice for negotiation among the parties
It is necessary to submit the following documents to Kanazawa University by a registered mail to Prof. Junichi Takayama at the address shown below. (Write ‘Application for tenure-track associate professor (MEXT LEADER)’ in red ink on the front of the envelope.)
Application deadline: 2019/06/21
Application documents:
1)curriculum vitae : You can download from the link below
https://www.se.kanazawa-u.ac.jp/en/researchers/ku_curriculum_vitae.doc
2)Offprint of main published papers (maximum number of papers is five, hard copies are acceptable)
3) Two reference researchers (their names, addresses, affiliations and relationships are mentioned.)
Additional materials may be requested later.

**Mailing address:**
Prof. Junichi Takayama  
Faculty of Geosciences and Civil Engineering  
Kanazawa University  
Kakuma-machi, Kanazawa, Ishikawa 920–1192, Japan

**Notes:**
* The above submitted application documents will not be returned.  
* After examination of the submitted documents, selected applicants are asked for an interview. In that case, travel costs (including overseas travel) for the interview will not be covered.

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### Additional information

1. **Outline of the tenure standards**  
   (1) Research achievement (the number of paper, citations, patent, invited talks)  
   (2) Funding achievement  
   (3) Meet the standard of research  
   (4) Achievement of plan  
   (5) Management of research  
   (6) Collaboration with other staff member  
   (7) Education  
   (8) Mentorship of students

2. **Others**  
   (1) Kanazawa University is endeavouring to improve the quality of educational opportunities available in English and of increasing the number of classes and courses taught in English.  
   (2) Kanazawa University actively promotes a gender-equal society.  
   (http://cdl.w3.kanazawa-u.ac.jp/ (in Japanese)).

**Web application**
Not available