

Project & Role	Research Institute for Humanity and Nature, Research Department, Human-Environmental Security in Asia-Pacific Ring of Fire: Water-Energy-Food Nexus (WEFN) Project Project researcher (contract employee)
Number of openings	1 person
Location	Research Institute for Humanity and Nature (RIHN) (457-4 Motoyama, Kamigamo, Kita-ku, Kyoto 603-8047, Japan)
Job content	As a part of Group 5 (the interdisciplinary team) of the WEFN project, the researcher will develop qualitative and quantitative methods including integrated index, integrated model, integrated map, ontology engineering, benefit-cost analysis, and optimization management model. Project Research will work closely with stakeholder groups at sites in Japan, the Philippines, Indonesia, US and Canada to conduct questionnaire surveys and organize/coordinate a series of participatory workshops for selected stakeholders on the WEFN.
Application requirements	Minimum requirement: MA or equivalent in a relevant research field. Ph.D. preferred. (1) Ability to conduct original research in collaboration with other project members (2) Ability to work closely with the project leader and other project members to manage this project
Duration	From April 1, 2016 to March 31, 2017. (The appointment may be renewed but only until March 2018.)
Work Week	Based on the general working hours of Mon.-Fri.8:30-17:00 (excluding the 12:15-13:00 lunch break), with discretionary employment system of professional work. Holidays: Japanese national holidays and December 29-January 3.
Compensation	¥15,000/day for project researcher.
Benefits	Based on provisional criterion stipulated by the RIHN: communiting allowance, housing allowance, overtime pay (no additional benefits, bonuses, or retirement allowance)
Insurance	Health insurance, pension insurance, unemployment insurance
To apply	Required documents: (1) Resume (with photo, format optional) (2) List of research achievements (for jointly authored articles and other publications, include names of all contributors; any format) (3) Output (submit 3 journal articles, and/or other publications) (4) Previous research experience and achievements related to this position (Include all items to satisfy the application requirements above. If in English, no more than 2 A4 pages; any format.) (5) Job-related ambitions (If in English, no more than 2 A4 pages; any format) (6) Names and contact information for two references (telephone, fax, and email address). *Each of these documents should be submitted separately on A4 paper. Be sure that your name is on each of the documents submitted. Submitted documents will not be returned. The one exception is the output samples (theses, publications). If you wish to have these returned, please add a statement to that effect to the end of document (2), the list of research achievements. If instructed to, we will return these items. *Submitted documents will be seen only by members of the selection committee and will not be used in any other way.
Application deadline	Applications must be received by 5:00 p.m. on 18 <sup>th</sup> of January, 2016
Selection procedure	All submissions will be reviewed by a selection committee. Applicants that pass the review will be asked to interview. Interviews are tentatively scheduled at the beginning of February, 2016. Please be aware that travel costs to and from the interview will not be covered.
Send applications or queries to	Mail or E-mail your Application Materials to: Prof. Makoto Taniguchi Human-Environmental Security in Asia-Pacific Ring of Fire: Water-Energy-Food Nexus Project (Room 11), Research Institute for Humanity and Nature 457-4 Motoyama, Kamigamo, Kita-ku, Kyoto 603-8047, Japan TEL: +81-75-707-2255 E-mail : makoto[a]chikyuu.ac.jp ([a] should be substituted by @ when in use). *Please write "Project researcher application materials" in red ink on the envelope.
Other	For the description of the project, see below: <a href="http://www.chikyuu.ac.jp/rihn_e/project/R-08.html">http://www.chikyuu.ac.jp/rihn_e/project/R-08.html</a>