

## Recruitment of Project Researcher

- Place of Work: International Platform for Dryland Research and Education,  
Tottori University  
1390 Hamasaka, Tottori City, Tottori Prefecture (on Arid Land  
Research Center campus)
- Position: Project Researcher (Fixed-term contract)
- Term of reference:  
Applications are called for a Project Researcher position to support research activities of a  
Science and Technology Research Partnership for Sustainable Development (SATREPS)  
project titled “Development of Innovative Climate Resilient Technologies for Monitoring and  
Controlling of Water Use Efficiency and Impact of Salinization on Crop Productivity and  
Livelihood in Aral Sea Region”.  
Specific duties include the following:
  - Investigation and data analysis of salt tolerance, water demand, and water productivity  
of halophytes by conducting pot experiments and greenhouse cultivation experiments.
  - Collaborate with Prof. Toderich and Prof. Fujimaki in compilation of research outputs  
and manuscript writing.
- Position available: 1 position
- Date of appointment: October 1, 2022
- Period of employment: From October 1, 2022 to March 31, 2023
  - ※ Contract may be renewable.
  - ※ Period of employment upon renewal: until March 31, 2024
  - ※ Period of employment maybe extended again in case of  
extension of the consignment contract between TU and JST  
takes place. (Maximum until March 31, 2026)
- Working hours: Monday through Friday, 5 days a week  
(6 hours a day on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays; 5  
hours a day on Thursdays and Fridays)
  - ※ Start and closing time can be negotiated between 8:30 am  
and 5:15 pm
- Holidays: Saturdays, Sundays, national holidays, year-end and New Year  
holidays, June 1 (TU foundation anniversary)

- Insurance: Health and Welfare, Health, Employment, Workers' Compensation
- Paid leaves: Annual paid leave (granted after 6 months of employment)
- Qualifications: Applicants must hold a doctoral degree in a related field or be expected to obtain a doctoral degree by the expected date of employment.
- Hourly wage: 1,600 yen
- Allowances: Commuting allowance (2 km or more one-way - paid according to distance)
- Application documents:
  - (1) Resume (free format, with photo of applicant and contact information)
  - (2) List of research achievements/performances (Free format; list article publications, conference presentations and others by category)
  - (3) Summary of track record in research and objectives of future research activities (about 1 page on A4 size paper)
- Selection method: Screening based on application documents. Interview might be held in case deemed necessary.
- Application deadline: August 17, 2022, 12:00 pm (GMT+9) (Application via email welcome)
  - ※ Application documents will not be used for any purposes other than selection for announced position.
  - ※ Application documents will not be returned to applicants.
- Inquiry and Submission: International Platform for Dryland Research and Education, Tottori University  
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