

**Tenure-Track Assistant Professor International Open Recruitment**  
**[Department of Marine System Engineering, Graduate School of Engineering]**

**September 2025**  
**Osaka Metropolitan University**  
**Personnel Committee**

Osaka Metropolitan University is seeking applications for a Tenure-Track Assistant Professor. Our tenure-track program offers a career path by which young scientists can accumulate experience in both scientific research and education. They may eventually be acknowledged as a tenured faculty through careful evaluation of performance and accomplishments at the end of a five-year employment period.

If you are interested in applying, please read the following information:

**1. Number of Positions Available**

One Tenure-Track Assistant Professor

**2. Affiliation**

Department of Marine System Engineering, Graduate School of Engineering

Department of Marine System Engineering, School of Engineering Osaka Metropolitan University

**3. Area of Research**

Hydrodynamics and motion dynamics of Naval architecture and Marine Engineering (The field of international education and research that encompasses the study on numerical hydrodynamics and motion dynamics related to ships, submarines, offshore structures and deep-sea work vehicles etc.)

**4. Content of job information (tentative)**

**[Education]**

<Faculty of Engineering >

Marine System Engineering Laboratory

Science and Technology English for Marine System Engineering

Programming Exercises for Marine System Engineering

Comprehensive Exercises in Marine System Engineering

Project 1 ,2 and 3 in Naval and Marine Engineering

Graduation Research A & B of Marine System Engineering, etc.

<Graduate School of Engineering>

Advanced Seminar 1&2 in Marine System Engineering

Special Research Project 1&2 in Marine System Engineering

\*Also responsible for providing corresponding education to any students of Osaka City University or Osaka Prefectural University if enrolled.

**[Research]**

Promotion of international research project, and international dissemination of research results, in the above-mentioned area of research.

**[Other than above]**

Social contribution and management operation of the university

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- Assignment on university operations

**5. Scheduled Date of Appointment**

April 1st, 2026, or the earliest possible date thereafter

**6. Terms of Appointment**

Five years

Tenure-track assistant professors who have shown excellent research achievements and competency in teaching/supervising students may be promoted to tenured Associate Professor after a final evaluation at the end of the 5<sup>th</sup> year of employment. A safety-net provision will allow Tenure-Track faculty members to remain employed for up to 3 years in the case they fail to be promoted at the time of the 5-year evaluation.

[Guidelines of Assessment Criteria for Promotion to Tenure]

[https://www.omu.ac.jp/en/assets/Guidelines%20of%20Assessment%20Criteria%20for%20Promotion%20to%20Tenure\\_0903.pdf](https://www.omu.ac.jp/en/assets/Guidelines%20of%20Assessment%20Criteria%20for%20Promotion%20to%20Tenure_0903.pdf)

[Tenure-Track Program (Outline)]

[https://www.omu.ac.jp/en/assets/Tenure-Track%20Program%20%28Outline%29\\_0903.pdf](https://www.omu.ac.jp/en/assets/Tenure-Track%20Program%20%28Outline%29_0903.pdf)

**7. Compensation**

Salary and working conditions shall be compliant with the Provisions and Regulations of University Public Corporation Osaka.

<https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/regulation/>

## **8. Work location**

Osaka Metropolitan University Nakamozu Campus

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A workplace designated by a corporation

## **9. Qualifications**

All applicants must meet the following criteria:

- (1) Those who have a doctoral degree or those who are expected to obtain a doctoral degree by the time of their appointment
- (2) Those who have completed their degree within 10 years as of April 1, 2026
- (3) Those who are capable of specialized and basic education in the field of applied Hydrodynamics and motion dynamics of Naval architecture and Marine Engineering at graduate schools and undergraduate schools, and who can provide research guidance.
- (4) Those who are able to give lectures and research guidance in English.
- (5) Those who have the ability and enthusiasm for university management.
- (6) Those who do not fall under the disqualifications stipulated in Article 9 of the School Education Act.

## **10. Application Materials**

- (1) Curriculum vitae (Form 1)
- (2) Education and Research Achievement. (Form 2)
- (3) One copy each of 3 major publications (photocopies are acceptable.)
- (4) A summary of the submitted publications (Within one A4/letter-size page all together, no format required.)
- (5) Research summary (Within two A4/letter-size page, no format required.)
- (6) Post-employment aspirations regarding education and research (Within one A4/letter-size page all together, no format required.)
- (7) Applicant's self introduction and qualities in one page (Within one A4/letter-size page all together, no format required.)
- (8) Names and contact information of two reference person.

## **11. Submission Deadline**

All materials should be received by October 1st, 2025 (Japan Standard Time.)

## **12. Selection Process**

- (1) First round selection (Screening of documents)
- (2) Second round selection (Interviews, etc. to be conducted as necessary)

\*Travel and other expenses incurred for the interview are the responsibility of the applicant and will not be reimbursed.

### 13. Submission of Application Documents

- Please submit your application documents from the URL below.

<https://logoform.jp/f/i7jO6>

- Please combine the application documents into one zip file and name the zip file " 250900-015+ Your Name .zip.". It is not necessary to set a password.

\* Personal information provided in the submitted documents will be used only as materials for faculty recruitment and selection and will be handled appropriately in accordance with the Personal Information Protection Law.

### 14. Inquiries

#### Inquiries about open recruitment:

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\*Please change [at] to @.

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### 15. Other Information

This position will be applied as a faculty member working at Osaka Metropolitan University established by University Public Corporation Osaka.

Based on the philosophy of ensuring diversity and internationalization, Osaka Metropolitan University actively recruits female faculty members and foreign faculty members if their fields of specialization match and they are recognized to have equivalent educational and research achievements.