

**Recruitment Guidelines for Full-time Faculty Members, Osaka Metropolitan University
[Organic Chemistry Field, Graduate School of Science]**

May 19, 2026
Osaka Metropolitan University
Personnel Committee

Osaka Metropolitan University is now accepting applications for a Professor position in the Department of Chemistry/School of Chemistry. If you are interested in applying, please refer to the details below.

1. Number of Positions

One Professor

2. Affiliation

Laboratory of Organic Chemistry Field, Department of Chemistry, Graduate School of Science/School of Science, Osaka Metropolitan University

3. Research Field

Organic chemistry

4. Job Description (Tentative)

[Education]

Planned subjects:

- Undergraduate: Organic Chemistry
- Graduate: Advanced Organic Chemistry, Research Planning Seminar, Special Chemistry Research, Chemistry Special Exercises

Other teaching responsibilities include specialized subjects and general education at both undergraduate and graduate levels.

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

[Research]

- To conduct original research from a long-term perspective in order to advance next-generation organic chemistry, and to pioneer new research fields, including interdisciplinary research.

[Other Duties]

- Administrative duties related to the management of the division and department, including entrance examination affairs
- Duties related to social contribution and community engagement
- Duties related to university administration

[Scope of Change]

Within the scope of education, research, and university administration.

5. Starting Date

April 1st, 2027

6. Employment Type

Full-time (tenured; no fixed term)

7. Salary

The regulations and systems of the University Public Corporation Osaka shall apply:
<https://www.upc-osaka.ac.jp/regulation/> (Japanese only)

8. Work Location

Sugimoto Campus, Osaka Metropolitan University

[Scope of Change]

Any location designated by the University Public Corporation Osaka.

9. Qualifications

- Applicants must have particularly outstanding achievements in research and education in a field related to organic chemistry and satisfy the following requirements:
- Hold a doctoral degree (including an equivalent degree awarded by a foreign institution).
- Have educational and research experience as a Professor or Associate Professor in the field of chemistry at a university or research institution in Japan or abroad, or possess equivalent distinguished academic and research experience.
- Be recognized as having the educational ability appropriate for teaching in the Department of Chemistry and the Graduate School of Chemistry.
- Be recognized as having the ability to manage a laboratory and lead the development of highly skilled chemistry professionals in accordance with the educational objectives of the Graduate School of Chemistry.
- Have an outstanding record of acquiring competitive research funding, including Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research (KAKENHI).
- Be recognized as having the ability to conduct original research from a long-term perspective and to pioneer new research fields, including interdisciplinary research.
- Be cooperative in university administration and recognized as having the ability to take a leading role in the management of the department and graduate school.
- Have the ability and motivation necessary for university management and administration.
- Must not fall under any of the disqualifications specified in Article 9 of the School Education Act.

10. Application Documents

- Curriculum Vitae (use Form1)*
- Documents demonstrating educational and research achievements (use Form2)*
- Up to three reprints of major publications (copies acceptable)
- Other research activities [conference presentations; record of research funding acquisition (funding category, project period, project title, role as principal investigator or co-investigator, etc.)], awards, and related achievements.
- Summary of past research and future research plans (approximately two A4 pages including figures and tables)
- Teaching experience and aspirations regarding education (approximately 300 words)
- Data on two recommenders (name, affiliation, position, postal address, telephone number, E-mail address)

*CV and documents demonstrating educational and research achievements must use the format (Forms 1 and 2) prescribed by Osaka Metropolitan University.

11. Application Deadline

Must arrive by August 31, 2026 (Japan Standard Time)

12. Selection Process

First screening: Document screening

Second screening: Interview and other assessments, as necessary

*Applicants are responsible for travel and other expenses related to interviews.

13. Submission Method

Application should be submitted electronically.

Electronic submission

- Submit application documents via the following URL: <https://logofom.jp/f/k9dJX>

- PDF file of every item above should be combined into a single ZIP file, and named "260800-003+Name."

*No password protection is required.

*Personal information will be used solely for faculty recruitment and handled appropriately in accordance with relevant laws.

14. Inquiries

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15. Other Information

This recruitment is conducted by the University Public Corporation Osaka for faculty positions at Osaka Metropolitan University. In line with its commitment to diversity and internationalization, Osaka Metropolitan University actively promotes the recruitment of female and international faculty members who possess equivalent academic and research achievements.