

Kanazawa Institute of Technology (KIT) in Kanazawa, Japan is urgently looking for **one qualified summer course instructor of Japanese language** to fill in the canceled post to teach U.S. students (novice learners) in the **KIT-Summer Program in Japanese (KIT-SPJ) 2018**. The program will be held from June 13 to July 26 (approx. 6 weeks), and the contract period is **from June 6 to August 2, 2018** (8 weeks). KIT-SPJ is open to engineering or science related major students enrolled in KIT's sister universities in the US.

Qualifications: Applicants must: (1) have a master's degree in Japanese pedagogy or related fields, (2) have at least two years' experience teaching courses at a university or equivalent institution, (3) be able to design a language course curriculum, (4) have an advanced level of English proficiency, and (5) be willing to work in a team. Due to the time restriction, Japanese nationals are preferred.

Duties: The instructor will: (1) design a course of **the zero beginner level**, (2) teach about 30 90-minute classes in total (basically 1 class/day, Mon.-Fri.) (3) assist program activities such as field trips and cultural events, and (4) produce a program course report. He/She may be assigned to help teach a Japanese culture course in addition to a regular language course.

Salary will be determined according to the standard KIT salary scale. **Round trip transportation (economy class airfare)** between the applicant's current location and Kanazawa will be paid. Those who need housing during the program may rent a student apartment near campus. The rent per person is approx. 30,000 yen a month in addition to the utility bills. No key money/deposit required.

NOTE: No guest, even a family member of the program instructor, is allowed to stay overnight in the housing for security reasons.

Send a "rirekisho" in Japanese (in any format, a handmade is acceptable. A bust shot photo is preferable.) including: (1) information on your teaching experience (name of the institution, status, course level, period, responsibilities), ~~(2) a letter of recommendation (in either Japanese or English) from a person who can assess your teaching skills.~~ If the recommendation letter is submitted separately, please specify who will submit it. Applications and/or recommendations may be sent electronically.

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We will continue this search until the position is filled. Inquiries are also welcome.

Information about KIT-SPJ is available at:

URL http://www.kanazawa-it.ac.jp/ekit/exchanges/international_1.html