

**Faculty Position in the Graduate School of Engineering,  
The University of Osaka**

Outline	<p>The Laboratory of Environmental Management, Division of Sustainable Energy and Environmental Engineering, Graduate School of Engineering, The University of Osaka is responsible for conducting research on systems analysis and planning techniques for the design of social systems that consider the environment, energy, and resources, with the goal of enhancing human sustainability, based on a broad range of knowledge in engineering. Through undergraduate and graduate-level education, the laboratory aims to cultivate innovative talent in related fields.</p> <p>The laboratory is seeking an academic staff member with a flexible attitude who can contribute to developing and enhancing the strength of the laboratory's research and education. The successful applicant will be responsible for both conducting research and teaching, including liberal arts and other subjects at the undergraduate and graduate levels. Inquiries regarding this position are welcome.</p>
1. Position	Professor
2. Number of Positions	1 (One)
3. Affiliation	Graduate School of Engineering (Division of Sustainable Energy and Environmental Engineering)
4. Work Location	Suita Campus (2-1 Yamadaoka, Suita-City, Osaka, Japan)
5. Specialized Field	Environmental Management
6. Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>· Conduct research in the areas mentioned above.</li> <li>· Provide educational and research guidance for undergraduate and graduate students.</li> <li>· Perform administrative duties at the Graduate School of Engineering and The University of Osaka.</li> </ul>
7. Qualifications	<p>[Essential]</p> <p>Applicants must have:</p> <p>(1) A doctoral degree or equivalent professional expertise and/or achievement in the above fields</p> <p>(2) Excellent research achievements in the related fields</p> <p>(3) Proficiency in Japanese and English at a business level or higher</p>
	<p>[Preferred]</p> <p>Applicants with experience supervising students at the undergraduate and graduate levels</p> <p>Applicants with experience in engaging with international organizations</p>
8. Starting Date	October 1st, 2025 (or as soon as possible thereafter)
9. Term of Employment	No Fixed Term (Until the end of the fiscal year at 65 years of age)
10. Probationary Period	6 months
11. Employment Form	<p>Based on "6. Regulations Pertaining to Working Hours, Holidays and Leave for National University Corporation Osaka University Staff"</p> <p><a href="https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html">https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html</a></p> <p>*The Discretionary Labor System, Special Work Type will be applied with the applicant's consent. (deemed working hours: 8 hours a day)</p>

12. Salary and Benefits	Based on “18. Salary Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Staff Subject to New Annual Salary System” <a href="https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html">https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html</a>
13. Insurance	Medical insurance and employee’s pension insurance of the Federation of National Public Service Personnel Mutual Aid Associations, Employment Insurance and Industrial Accident Compensation Insurance
14. Application Documents	<p>Applications must be written in English or Japanese and include the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A Curriculum Vitae *Please use the university form for educational/research positions available at the following website. <a href="https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/employment/links/">https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/employment/links/</a></li> <li>2. A list of research achievements (original papers, international conference papers (full-paper reviewed), review papers, books, patents, main symposium/ workshop/ seminar papers without peer review, social contributions, external fundings)</li> <li>3. Reprints of four major original papers (4 copies should be enclosed if sending by postal mail; photocopies are acceptable)</li> <li>4. A list and an outline of awards and prizes</li> <li>5. An outline of research and education achievements (within two A4 pages)</li> <li>6. A research plan and educational objectives (within two A4 pages)</li> <li>7. Name, affiliation, and contact information of two professional references who are willing to be contacted</li> <li>8. Copies of English proficiency certificate such as TOEFL, IELTS, TOEIC scores, a description of periods of residency outside Japan that demonstrate your English ability, or English-related job experiences</li> </ol> <p>*Personal information in the application documents will only be used for the purpose of screening and hiring procedures and will not be disclosed to any third party. *Submitted application documents will not be returned.</p>
15. Sending Address and Contact Information	<p>Please submit by e-mail:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">see_em_Koubo_2024@see.eng.osaka-u.ac.jp</p> <p>*Write “Application for Professor in Graduate School of Engineering” in the subject line. *Attach the application documents in PDF format (with full security countermeasures).</p> <p>If any difficulty in submitting by e-mail, please submit by postal service:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Attention: Professor Masanobu Kii Graduate School of Engineering, Osaka University 2-1 Yamadaoka, Suita-city, Osaka 565-0871 JAPAN</p> <p>*Please write “Application for Professor in Graduate School of Engineering” on the front of the envelope in red ink. *Applications should be sent by registered mail.</p> <p>Contact Person: Professor Masanobu Kii E-mail: see_em_Koubo_2024@see.eng.osaka-u.ac.jp</p>
16. Application Deadline	May 7, 2025 (Japan Standard Time)
17. Selection Process	<p>Document screening will be followed by interviews. Selected applicants will be notified within one month after the application deadline.</p> <p>*Travel and accommodation fees necessary for interviews are to be covered by the applicant. For applicants residing overseas, the applicant may request an online interview.</p> <p>*Please note that unsuccessful applicants will not be contacted.</p>

18. Additional Information	<p>Concerning work conditions other than the above-mentioned, please refer to “3. Work Regulations for National University Corporation Osaka University Staff” and/or related regulations.</p> <p><a href="https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html">https://www.osaka-u.ac.jp/en/guide/information/joho/kitei_shugyou.html</a></p> <p>Please note the above-mentioned work conditions are as of the day this employment offer is posted, and subject to change.</p> <p>After employment, the affiliation, work location, and responsibilities may be subject to change within the limits set by the University.</p> <p>"Deemed exports" related to security export control are based on the “Regulations Pertaining to Security Export Control.”</p> <p>We also particularly encourage applications from female candidates.</p> <p>The University of Osaka is committed to promoting gender equality and providing various supports for female academic staff members.</p> <p><a href="http://www.di.osaka-u.ac.jp/en_lp/">http://www.di.osaka-u.ac.jp/en_lp/</a></p> <p>*The University of Osaka campuses and related facilities are smoke-free, except for designated areas.</p> <p>*The official English name will be changed to "The University of Osaka" as of April 2025 (former English name: Osaka University).</p>
19. Recruiter	The University of Osaka