

Call for applications (Project Research Associate)  
Iwasaki Lab, Department of Integrated Biosciences,  
Graduate School of Frontier Sciences, the University of Tokyo

1. Position Project Research Associate (full-time, non-tenured)  
(Employment as a Postdoctoral Fellow can also be considered based on evaluation)
2. Contract starting date April 1st, 2024
3. Contract period Until March 31st, 2029
4. Renewal of contract Renewable based on performance evaluation (maximum until March 31st, 2031)
5. Probationary period Six months
6. Place of employment Graduate School of Frontier Sciences, the University of Tokyo (5-1-5 Kashiwanoha, Kashiwa, Chiba, Japan)
7. Affiliation Iwasaki Lab, Department of Integrated Biosciences
8. Roles and responsibilities Development of fish mitogenome and environmental DNA databases
9. Working conditions Discretionary labor system for professional work will be applied in accordance with university's regulations.
10. Overtime work Not Applicable
11. Days off Sundays, Saturdays, holidays prescribed in the National Holiday Act, December 29th to January 3rd of the following year, and other days specifically designated as days off
12. Paid leave Provided in accordance with university's regulations
13. Compensation Basic salary is to be calculated according to the candidate's past performance in accordance with the University of Tokyo's Salary Regulation. Transportation allowance to be provided in accordance with the University's regulations
14. Social Insurance Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT) Mutual Society of Health Insurance (*Monbukagakusho - kyosai*) and other labor insurance in accordance with university's regulations.
15. Payday 17<sup>th</sup> day of each month.
16. Qualifications Applicants must have a Ph.D. degree.  
Applicants must have more than five-year research experience in bioinformatics as a post-doc or in industry.  
Applicants must have developed multiple genomic databases.  
Applicants must have developed multiple bioinformatic web tools.  
Applicants must have multiple peer-reviewed first-author publications on genome analysis.  
Applicants must have a peer-reviewed first-author publication on environmental DNA analysis.
17. Application documents \*Interested persons should submit all documents listed:
  - 1) Curriculum Vitae in the University of Tokyo's format, downloadable at <https://www.u-tokyo.ac.jp/en/about/jobs.html>
  - 2) List of publications
  - 3) Research plan (1 page in A4 or Letter size)\* Any application that lacks any of required documents will NOT be considered. All documents submitted will NOT be returned.
18. Application method Send PDF files of 1. 2. and 3. to Prof. Wataru Iwasaki (iwasaki@k.u-tokyo.ac.jp)

19. Closing date                      November 14th, 2023  
Selection will be based on evaluation of the documents and on-line interview. Notification of the results will be sent via an e-mail.
20. Selection result                      Will be notified via email.
21. Inquiries                              Any inquiry regarding this position must be sent by email to Prof. Wataru Iwasaki (iwasaki@k.u-tokyo.ac.jp).

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About Iwasaki Lab: <http://iwasakilab.k.u-tokyo.ac.jp/eindex.html>

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<https://www.u-tokyo.ac.jp/kyodo-sankaku/en/index.html>