

## Call for Recommendations for RIMS Project Fellows

### 1. RIMS Project Fellows

Aiming to foster researchers who will lead the field of mathematics and the mathematical sciences in the future, the chairperson of a RIMS Research Project may, with the agreement of the organizing committee, recommend a young researcher as a RIMS Project Fellow.

With the approval of the Advisory Board and the Director of RIMS, the RIMS Project Fellow will be employed for a maximum of two years within the period from April 1, 2025 to March 31, 2027. The position will be that of Researcher (i.e. part-time) if the desired employment period is between one and two years, while it will be that of Project Specific Researcher (i.e. full-time) if the employment period is no more than one year. When a vacancy occurs, the chairperson of the RIMS Research Project may recommend another researcher as a replacement.

### 2. Required Documents for Recommendation

- (1) A letter of recommendation from the chairperson of the RIMS Research Project

(Form available) [DC1]

- (2) “Curriculum Vitae”, “List of publications”, “Research Plan” (1 page) prepared by the candidate

※If the candidate has not yet obtained his/her PhD at the point of application, a letter from his/her supervisor confirming the candidate’s status is also required.

Please submit the documents as email attachments to the following address:

[400kyodo\(at\)mail2.adm.kyoto-u.ac.jp](mailto:400kyodo(at)mail2.adm.kyoto-u.ac.jp).

Please include “RIMS Project Fellow Recommendation” in the subject line, along with the title of the RIMS Research Project to which it is associated.

### 3. Application deadline (JST)

November 29, 2024 for the academic year 2025 (April 2025-March 2026).

November 28, 2025 for the academic year 2026 (April 2026-March 2027).

### 4. Terms of employment

(Project Specific Researcher)

Affiliation: Research Institute for Mathematical Sciences (RIMS), Kyoto University

Position: Full-time (non-tenure track position)

Location: Kitashirakawa Oiwake-cho, Sakyo-ku, Kyoto

Duties: Research activities in the field of mathematics and the mathematical sciences, and related work for RIMS Research Projects conducted in the International Joint Usage/Research Center

Qualifications: Candidates should hold a PhD or be expected to obtain such a degree before the

contract starts (confirmation required)

Duration of the Appointment: One year (no reappointments)

Working Hours: Discretionary labor system for specific work (Equivalent to 38 hours and 45 minutes per week. In principle, it is not permitted to hold other jobs)

Holidays: Saturdays, Sundays, National Holidays, Summer Holidays (TBA), New Year Holidays (from December 29 to January 3), Anniversary of the Founding of Kyoto University (June 18)

Salary: 300,000 yen per month

Social Insurance: Eligible for MEXT\* mutual aid association membership, welfare pension, employment insurance and workers' compensation insurance

(Researcher)

Affiliation: Research Institute for Mathematical Sciences (RIMS)

Position: Part-time (Hourly employment)

Location: Kitashirakawa-Oiwakecho, Sakyo-ku, Kyoto

Duties: Research activities in the field of mathematics and the mathematical sciences, and related work for RIMS Research Projects conducted in the International Joint Usage/Research Center

Qualifications: Candidates should hold a PhD or be expected to obtain such a degree before the contract starts (confirmation required)

Duration of the Appointment: One year (a reappointment may be considered when the period of the appointment is to end before March 31, 2026)

Working Hours: 19 hours per week (In principle, it is not permitted to hold other jobs)[DC2]

Holidays: Saturdays, Sundays, National Holidays, Summer Holidays (TBA), New Year Holidays (from December 29 to January 3), Anniversary of the Founding of Kyoto University (June 18)

Salary: Approximately 250,000 yen per month

Social Insurance: Eligible for workers' compensation insurance

## 5. Contact information

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