

Call for Applications: Assistant Professor Position (Full-time)
Department of Computer Science,
Graduate School of Information Science and Technology, The University of Tokyo
(Natural Language Processing Field)

Title and Number:	One full-time Assistant Professor Position
Starting Date:	As early as possible on or after December 1, 2025 (negotiable)
Term of Appointment:	Five years
Renewal:	Renewal may be allowed once only, with the renewed term set at five years. The decision on renewal shall be made based on a comprehensive evaluation of factors including the progress of the work in which the employee is engaged, job performance, work attitude, health condition, budgetary status, and the volume of work at the end of the contract period.
Trial Period:	Fourteen days from the date of appointment
Work Location:	Hongo Campus, The University of Tokyo (Hongo 7-3-1, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo) Note: The work location may be changed as specified by the University of Tokyo. As a general rule, assignments or transfers will not be made without the individual's consent, in accordance with Article 4 of the University of Tokyo Employment Regulations for Faculty Members.
Job Description:	The successful candidate will engage in research and education in the field of artificial intelligence including natural language processing, and also may engage in teaching for experiment and/or exercise courses at the Department of Computer Science, Graduate School of Information Science and Technology and the Department of Information Science, Faculty of Science. Note: Reassignments or concurrent duties may be ordered, but in principle not against the individual's will, as per Article 4 of the University of Tokyo's Employment Regulations for Faculty Members.
Working Hours:	The position is subject to the discretionary labor system for professional work, and the appointee is deemed to have worked 7 hours and 45 minutes per day.
Holidays:	Saturdays, Sundays, national holidays, and Year-end and New Year holidays (December 29 – January 3)
Leave:	Annual paid leave, special leave, etc.
Salary:	Determined based on academic background and work experience. A salary increase system is available. Allowances include biannual bonuses, a commuting allowance (up to JPY 55,000 per month, subject to conditions), and other allowances as specified by the University.
Social Insurance:	Enrollment in the Mutual Aid Association of the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology, as well as employment and workers' compensation insurance in accordance with legal requirements.
Qualifications:	1. Applicants must hold a doctoral degree by the time of appointment. 2. Applicants must have a proven track record in natural language processing. 3. Applicants must have sufficient proficiency in Japanese and English to conduct lectures, supervise students, and fulfill administrative responsibilities.
Application Documents:	1. Standard CV form of The University of Tokyo https://www.u-tokyo.ac.jp/en/about/jobs.html 2. Research experience and publication list (within one A4 page) 3. Summary of previous research (within one A4 page) 4. Research plan (within one A4 page) 5. Names and contact details of two professors who can provide references
Application Method:	Zip the abovementioned files in one file and upload it via the following URL. https://univtokyo-my.sharepoint.com/:f:/g/personal/9169319256_utac_u-tokyo_ac_jp/EmXSmlcHfo9Lk81IzyW0HVMBZid3Tk4hMsXXArTZNHNZZA
Application Deadline:	Send an inquiry to the Contact when you do not receive a notification within a few days. Sunday, August 31, 2025 (JST) Applicants will be screened based on submitted documents, and selected candidates will be invited for an interview. The position may be closed as soon as a suitable candidate is selected.
Contact:	Department of Computer Science, Graduate School of Information Science and Technology, The University of Tokyo 7-3-1 Hongo, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo 113-0033 Contact: Prof. Issei Sato Phone: +81-3-5841-4124 Email: head[at]is.s.u-tokyo.ac.jp (Replace [at] with @)
Recruiting Institution:	National University Corporation The University of Tokyo
Smoking Policy:	Smoking is prohibited on campus, except in designated outdoor areas.
Notes:	- Personal information obtained will be used solely for the purpose of personnel selection. - In accordance with the "Declaration on Gender Equality Acceleration at the University of Tokyo" (March 3, 2009), we welcome proactive applications from women. - In the case of maternity/childcare/long-term care leave, the contract period may be extended accordingly (based on Article 3 of the University's Regulations on Term of Appointment for Faculty). Details are negotiable. - If you are personally in contract with foreign governmental bodies, corporations or universities, or you are in receipt of a large benefit (financial or any other form) from foreign governmental bodies during the period of your employment, the provisions of the Foreign Exchange and Foreign Trade Act (FEFTA) may prohibit or restrict the sharing of technology that are designated as controlled technology possibly making it difficult for you to fulfill your duties as an academic or administrative staff of the university as a result. Therefore, in such cases it is necessary to keep such contracts/benefits within the scope where it does not hinder the sharing of technologies necessary for your duties by the university.