

Faculty of Political Science and Economics, Waseda University
Faculty Recruitment Information
(Tenure-track position)

The Faculty of Political Science and Economics at Waseda University invites applications for a tenure-track faculty position in political science to begin as early as April 1, 2019. The position is open with respect to the field of specialization. The Faculty seeks to appoint a promising junior scholar who demonstrates potential for making significant contribution to the profession in his or her field of expertise with theoretically innovative and methodologically sound research, and excellence in teaching. A successful candidate will have a rigorous training in formal, empirical, or normative methods.

Successful applicant must have a Ph.D. in political science or a cognate discipline by the date of appointment. Proficiency in Japanese is desired but not required. The initial term for the tenure-track appointment is three years, with a possible extension of two years, contingent on an interim review during the second or third year. Tenure may be granted at any time during the probationary period upon a successful tenure review.

Waseda University, founded in 1882, is a leading private research university located in central Tokyo. As part of the University's internationalization initiative, the Faculty of Political Science and Economics has offered English-based degree programs both at the undergraduate and graduate levels since 2010. The programs offer a diverse and dynamic academic community to talented students from all around the world.

Candidates should submit a cover letter, curriculum vitae, research statement, and up to three samples of significant written scholarship electronically via:

https://www.wasedapse.jp/en/fpse1/eng_input.php

1. Submit your cover letter (use Template Form A) in the “(1) Application Form / Cover Letter” field
2. Submit your professional cv (use Template Form B) to the “(2) Curriculum Vitae with a list of academic/professional accomplishments” field
3. Submit your research statement in the “(3) Additional application material 1” field
4. Submit up to three written works in the “(3) Additional application material 2~4” fields

The application deadline is Friday, September 28, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. (JST). Should you wish to submit a hard copy of your work or any other application materials, please send us two copies by registered mail on or before the application deadline. Receipt of applications will be acknowledged by email within 10 days after the deadline.

Candidates should also arrange to have two letters of reference submitted via email, or standard mail to the address indicated below on or before the application deadline. Should your reference send a letter via email, we ask that the letter be emailed from his or her professional affiliation. Reference letters should be sent to:

pse-hr-PolSciTT@list.waseda.jp

Prof. Koichi Suga, Dean

Attn: Application for Tenure-Track positions for Political Science

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Any questions regarding the position or the application procedure should be directed to

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Please note that the recruitment process involves three stages: 1) document screening; 2) campus visit including research presentation and an interview with the search committee; and 3) interview with the dean.

Waseda University is committed to enhancing the diversity of its faculty in order to promote globalization and gender equality on campus. In all matters related to faculty recruitment and promotion, the University prohibits any form of discrimination on the basis of national origin, gender, religion, creed, political affiliation, or disability.