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Job Information	2007D 117
Subject No.	2025R-117
Job Title	Fixed Term Researcher
Department	Universal Communication Research Institute / Advanced Speech Translation Research and Development Promotion Center, Advanced Translation Technology Laboratory
Work Contents (Research theme)	Research and Development of Large-Scale Language Models for Integrating Multimodal Data
Detail of Work Contents	With the development of large-scale language models, traditional language processing tasks that focus on text processing, such as translating and summarizing, have been integrated. Multimodal processing, which further integrates audio / video and text processing, is expected to be an important research direction in the future. This study addresses the design and construction of large-scale language models that can integrate multimodal data for the task of generating text from audio / video.
	The Article 15(2) of the Act on the activation of Science, Technology and Innovation will be applied to this work content.
	Employees to be hired through this recruitment may apply for external competitive research fundings such as Grant-in-Aid for Scientific Research (KAKENHI) and NICT's internal research fundings.
Application requirement	Applicants must have a doctoral degree, and the research topic of the thesis must be related to natural language processing. Applicants must have publications related to research on natural language processing.
Recruiting (Number of people)	1
Contract period	hiring date \sim March 31,2026 N.B. Contract could be renewed.
The employment period in case of fully renewing	Up to 5 years if certain conditions are fulfilled
Salary (basic salary)	¥515,000 ~ ¥534,000/month Basic salary shall be determined by taking into account each employee's experience and task to be engaged in. However, as a basic salary is compliant with government employees' wages, it shall be changed when a basic salary is changed after labor union and the like of NICT agreed under a revision to the government employees' wages.
Work Place	Universal Communication Research Institute (Seika-cho, Soraku-gun, Kyoto)
Working frequency	5days/week (7.5hours/day)
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^{*}Scope of change in work and workplace: No changes are expected in general.