

■ Job Information

Subject No.	2026R-64
Job Title	Fixed Term Researcher
Department	Radio Research Institute / Radio Propagation Research Center, Space Environment Laboratory
Work Contents (Research theme)	Operation and research development of space weather forecast
Detail of Work Contents	In collaboration with NICT researchers, conduct operational space weather forecasting services while also undertaking research, development, and initiatives that contribute to the smooth operation and advancement of space weather forecasting. Space weather forecasting operations include tasks related to observation equipment and the operation of information systems supporting space weather forecasting services. 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	• Hold a doctoral degree in geophysics, astronomy, or a related field, or be expected to obtain one by the time of employment. • Demonstrate a strong desire to actively engage in space weather forecasting, the development and operation of necessary observation equipment, and fieldwork. Experience in these areas is desirable. • Be able to travel domestically and internationally. • Be able to communicate effectively in both English and Japanese to collaborate with domestic and international research institutions and industry partners.
Recruiting (Number of people)	1
Contract period	hiring date ~ March 31,2027 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	Headquarters (Koganei-shi, Tokyo)
Working frequency	5days/week (7.5hours/day)

* Scope of change in work and workplace : No changes are expected in general

* The expressions used in "Work Contents (Research theme)" and "Detail of Work Contents" and the names of "Department" and "Work Place" may be subject to change due to organizational restructuring or other reasons.

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