

List of open recruitment for research staff. (tenure-type fixed-term research scientists) (Jan 2024)

No.	Institute	Research Department	Employment terms	Research theme	Research program	Skills or qualifications required by the position
1	Forestry and Forest Products Research Institute	Forest Tree Breeding Center	Tenure-type fixed-term research scientists (3 years) The basic salary ranges from about 330,000 JPY per month based on the Forestry and Forest Products Research Institute regulation. In addition, various allowances are paid if the conditions are fulfilled.	Research for advancement of phenotype evaluation technology towards accelerated breeding	In order to achieve efficient genetic improvement of forest trees' growth performance that is tightly related to forestry profitability or forest carbon sink, to develop growth performance evaluation technology, through developing growth-related traits quantifying techniques and estimating the contribution of those traits.	(1) Applicants must possess a master's degree or a doctoral degree prior to the date of employment. (2) Applicants should have a proven track record of research using statistical analyses to examine variation of phenotypical traits and be willing to engage with forest tree breeding proactively. (3) Applicants who have experiences of physiological, ecological or breeding researches of tree species, especially coniferous species, are more preferable. (4) Initial work location : Forest Tree Breeding Center (Hitachi, Ibaraki, Japan) (5) Applicants should be aware that researchers may be offered a transfer to one of the regional breeding offices located across the country every few or several years to promote breeding researches and projects in those regions.