NEW SPRING GX Urgent call for D2&D3 students

The University of Tokyo "Fostering Advanced Human Resources to Lead Green Transformation (GX)" project (Project officer : Professor Shin-ichi Ohkoshi) supported by support for Pioneering Research Initiated by Next Generation (SPRING) of Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST), is a project involving approximately 1,200 doctoral students (including those in 4-year doctoral programs) from across the university. New SPRING GX will start in April 2024.

We are recruiting about 180 project participants among **doctoral students in the second and third years** as of April 2024.

Recruitment number, application period **D2: ca. 90 students**

*Students who entered the doctoral program in FY2023 (Spring & Fall)

D3: ca. 90 students

*Students who entered the doctoral program between FY2021 (Fall) and FY2022 (Spring & Fall) *Students who entered the 4-year doctoral program between FY2020 (Fall) and FY2022 (Spring & Fall)

March 6, 2024 (Wed) ~ March 25, 2024 (Mon)15:00

Financial Support

180,000 yen per month will be provided as a research incentive / Research expenses of 360,000 yen per year will be provided / Overseas

travel expenses, etc., will be paid through a review process

Project HP Recruitment HP

Please be advised that the number of recruits and the details of the program may be subject to change depending on the selection status by JST.

In order to solve global issues, we must confront and solve a wide variety of problems across all fields!



Open to students of all fields!

Aims and Contents of the PhD Student Support Project

The project (SPRING GX) aims to produce globally competent researchers who will contribute to realizing a Green Transformation (GX) in all fields on a large scale. The University of Tokyo will invest all existing assets to (1) create an environment where students with deep expertise and high-level research ability can freely conduct challenging

and emergent research to feed their curiosity, (2) foster an "awakened culture" where GX encompasses of the future vision of society and each student's own research is related to societal issues, and (3) develop transferable skills to fully demonstrate professional abilities in society. For this purpose, three core programs and advanced skill training programs will be developed to realize a high portability of the student support environment.



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