ANNOUNCEMENT

Sponsorships, Assistantships, Traineeships and Fellowships for the fiscal year 2013

Post Global COE Program: Advanced Utilization of Fungus/Mushroom Resources for Sustainable Society in Harmony with Nature

1. Aim

One of the aims of the Global COE Program is the capacity building of young scientists who will participate actively in relevant international communities. To achieve this important aim, Tottori University will offer financial assistance to young scientists in the forms of sponsorships, assistantships, traineeships and fellowships.

2. Types of financial assistance

- English Language Editing 7 applications (up to 50,000JPY per application, maximum is 2 applications for 1 person)
- *The above-mentioned will be the numbers of applicants and amount are planned for the FY 2013; they may be revised due to application circumstances.

3. Applicant eligibility, selection criteria and obligation

- ♦ PhD Students should be enrolled in the Division of Environmental Science, the Course of Bioenvironmental Science, the United Graduate School of Agricultural Sciences, Tottori University (Tottori University), PhD students whose supervisors are the Program Members for this Post Global COE Program, the United Graduate School of Agricultural Sciences, Project Researcher and Assistant Professors of Post Global COE Program and who can carry out the necessary research activities for the Global COE Program.
- ♦ Excellent students seeking future research positions in overseas institutions or professional positions in international organizations.
- ♦ Applicants should not have similar financial assistance from other sources.
- ♦ The research fund must be spent by the end of February 2013.
- ♦ Submit your English test score (TOEIC, TOEFL, etc.).
- ❖ A report of the research activities should be submitted.

For your application: Submit a research plan (A4 paper: in English or Japanese, within 1,200 words in English or 2,000 words in Japanese) for your project study. In addition, the secondand third-year students of PhD, including the students enrolled for more than three years, Project Researchers and Assistant Professors may include research outcomes.

4. Submission of the applications

Deadline of Application: October 11th, 2013

Documents to be submitted: Application Forms <Annexes 2>

Supporting documents are mentioned in the Application Forms

**Application forms can be downloaded in Post GCOE website.

http://rendai.muses.tottori-u.ac.jp/Japanese_data/gcoe/gcoe_e/public/index.html

5. Applications should be submitted to:

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