Associate Professor

Graduate School of Languages and Cultures,

Nagoya University, Japan

The Graduate School of Languages and Cultures, Nagoya University, Japan is pleased to announce a job opening for an Associate Professor (Term-Limited) starting from October 1, 2016. This position entails instruction at both the graduate and the undergraduate levels.

- 1. The ideal applicant should:
- (1) be a native speaker of English.
- (2) have a Ph.D.
- (3) have a specialization in comparative literature/culture and critical theory.
- (4) have a professional interest in teaching English as a foreign language.
- (5) have had at least one paper published in a refereed journal in the applicant's area of specialization.
- 2. The official status of this position will be Associate Professor (Term-Limited).
- 3. The teaching load will be approximately eight 90-minute classes per week. The classes will be for undergraduate and postgraduate students, including academic English courses in reading, writing, presentation and communication for undergraduate Japanese students, and postgraduate courses for both Japanese and international students. The position also involves cooperating with all aspects of the making and marking of the Foreign Language (English) component of the entrance examinations for Nagoya University (undergraduate programs), and for the Graduate School of Languages and Cultures.
- 4. Term of Employment: Five years, renewable once subject to teaching and academic evaluation.
- 5. Remuneration will be approximately five to nine million yen per annum (including bonuses) before tax depending on age, qualifications and experience. If the selected applicant is from overseas, the cost of his/her air fare to Japan will be reimbursed by the university.

6. Applicants are requested to send the documents listed below to the following address. They must arrive no later than Monday, May 23 2016:

The Graduate School of Languages and Cultures, Nagoya University B4-4 (700), Furo-cho Chikusa-ku, Nagoya 464-8601, Japan.

Application documents must be sent by registered post with the title, "Associate Professor Position Application Enclosed," in red on the application envelope.

Application documents include:

- (1) Curriculum Vitae (with a passport-size photo, date of birth, nationality and e-mail address).
- (2) List of publications.
- (3) Three published works and their abstracts (both photocopies and PDF files; PDF files should be saved on a USB memory or CD).
- (4) Statement of Intent concerning your application for this position. This should include your philosophy regarding (A) postgraduate education in the humanities and (B) university-level English as a Foreign Language education.
- (5) One letter of recommendation (written within the last six months), and the name and contact details of one other recommender.
- (6) Photocopy of diploma (highest and/or last degree earned).
- 7. The final decision will be made following a personal interview at Nagoya University, which may be conducted by telephone or Skype in the case of overseas applicants. Please note that the Graduate School of Languages and Cultures cannot bear your travel expenses to Nagoya University for the interview.

For further information regarding this position, please send your questions to the following e-mail address:

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Notes:

- i. E-mail submission of the application documents will not be accepted.
- ii. In Japan, the academic year begins in April and ends in March.
- iii. The application documents, including submitted publications, will not normally be returned.
- iv. Nagoya University is an equal opportunity employer.
- v. Personal information in the application will be used only for the purpose of applicant screening and employment.