Announcement of International Collaborative Research Program 2021

The Research Center for Development of Far-Infrared Region, University of Fukui (FIR UF), has started the International Collaborative Research Program from FY 2017. This program aims to support the development of the high-power far-infrared region research through the international personnel exchanges and studies, being conducted at the FIR UF in a wide array of fields, including the development of light sources, applied research, and research and development of new technologies. FIR UF are now accepting proposals for the FY 2021 (July 2021 – March 2022).

How to apply

Please send an application form (Form 1) through the members of the FIR UF faculty after setting a research theme and organizing a research team. The deadline for applications is <u>June 25</u>, 2021.

Procedure

Term: Within one year (from mid-July 2021 to March 31, 2022)

In principle, collaborative research shall be performed approximately for two weeks at the FIR UF, but due to the circumstances from the Covid-19 pandemic, recipients who can not come to Japan shall conduct remote collaborative research and/or collaborative paper writing.

- Venue: Research Center for Development of Far-Infrared Region, University of Fukui (FIR-UF) or the researcher's own institute.
- Financial Support: If conducted in FIR UF, a part of travel expenses and accommodation fee will be covered, otherwise, expenses incurred for remote research/experiments and/or collaborative paper writing will be covered. Expenses will be available until December 2021.

Report: You are expected to submit a one-page research report in A4 sheet.

The number of recipients is limited. Notice of the selection will be scheduled around early July.

Application to be sent to:

International Collaboration Office, FIR UF e-mail: int-office@fir.u-fukui.ac.jp

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