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Global COE Program
Global Initiative Center for Pulsed Power Engineering
Announcement of Research Funding for “Acceleration Research”

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We will provide research funding for “Acceleration Research” within the budget of the Global COE (GCOE) program with the purpose to train young researchers in pulsed power engineering as international researchers and to form an initiative center for global research. “Acceleration Research” will support the promotion of research on pulsed power science and technology by young researchers.

The prospective applicant must meet the following criteria: a doctoral course student attending Kumamoto University, a GCOE research associate, a GCOE faculty or a postdoctoral fellow. Research results are expected to be presented at international conferences or published in international journals.

The maximum amount of the research funding is 1,000,000 yen. The research period is until March 2009. Application deadline is November 28, 2008. Please submit the following information (A4 only) written in English or Japanese:

1. Name, status, tutor, phone number (cell phone number, if applicable), e-mail address of the applicant
2. Research project and research content
3. Contribution of the research project to this GCOE
4. Amount of budget (Describe expenses for consumables, equipment, travel)
*When the budget is approved, items applied for must be purchased.
5. Past research achievements (Papers in academic journals, presentations at international conferences, patents, awards, etc.)

The number of pages is not limited.

Please send the application form using the title of “Application for Acceleration Research” to the following e-mail address:

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