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The University of Tokyo Rules for the Research Students of the Institute of Solid State Physics

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Article 1 Purpose

The purpose of these Rules is to stipulate necessary matters regarding the treatment of research students at the Institute of Solid State Physics of the University of Tokyo (hereinafter referred to as the “Institute”).

Article 2 Admission of Research Students

Any persons who intend to conduct research into matters regarding solid state physics at the Institute may be permitted to be admitted as a research student upon screening only if the Institute acknowledges that it would not hinder the research plan of the Institute.

Article 3 Qualification for Admission

Any persons who fall under any of the following items may be admitted to the Institute as a research student:

- (1) persons who have graduated from an undergraduate program of a university;
- (2) persons who are recognized by the Institute as having academic abilities that are at least equivalent to persons that fall under the preceding item; or
- (3) persons who have considerable experience and whom the Institute deems to have sufficient expertise.

Article 4 Method of Application

Any persons who wish to be admitted to the Institute as a research student shall submit the designated application form together with the documents required by the Institute and the examination fee to the director of the Institute of Solid State Physics of the University of Tokyo (hereinafter referred to as the “director of the Institute”).

Article 5 Screening

Any persons who apply for admission under the preceding Article shall be screened by the director of the Institute upon discussion with academic staff of the research field in which the person intends to conduct research.

Article 6 Approval for Admission

The director of the Institute shall approve admission of any persons who have passed the screening in the preceding Article and paid the admission fee by the designated date.

Article 7 Period of Research

The period of research for the research students is one year. However, if a research student applies for an extension to the period of research in order to continue the same research, the Institute may permit such extension by one year.

Article 8 Method of Research

Research students shall conduct research under the guidance of academic staff designated by the director of the Institute.

Article 9 Payment of Research Fees

1. Research students shall pay three months' research fees or six months' research fees in advance according to their period of research.
2. Research fees are non-refundable.

Article 10 Amount of Examination, Admission and Research Fees

The amount of examination fees in Article 4, admission fees in Article 6 and research fees in the preceding Article shall be prescribed separately.

Article 11 Submission of Report

Research students shall compile a report of their research situation and the results and submit the report to the director of the Institute through an academic adviser immediately after the expiration of the period of research.

Article 12 Voluntary Withdrawal

Any research students who intend to withdraw from the Institute during the period of research shall apply to the director of the Institute with the reason therefor and obtain the director of the Institute's permission.

Article 13 Expulsion

The director of the Institute may, if it deems that it is inappropriate for any research student to continue research due to sickness or any other reason, expel the research student.

Article 14 Compliance with University Rules

Research students shall comply with the various rules established by the University of Tokyo or the Institute.

Article 15 Supplementary Rules

In addition to the provisions of these Rules, any necessary matters regarding the treatment of research students shall be determined by the director of the Institute upon discussion by the faculty council.

Supplementary Provisions

1. These Rules shall come into force on April 1, 2004.
2. The University of Tokyo Rules for the Research Students of Institute of Solid State Physics established on January 23, 1962 shall be abolished.