



**VCSG UTTARAKHAND UNIVERSITY OF HORTICULTURE & FORESTRY
BHARSAR, PAURI GARHWAL, UTTARAKHAND – 246123**

Advertisement Notice No. UUHF/Direct Recruitment/AICRP-Scientists/01/2017 Dated: 16/03/2017

The Govt. of Uttarakhand has established “VCSG Uttarakhand University of Horticulture & Forestry” (VCSG UUHF) by an Act of State Legislative Assembly [The Uttarakhand Krishi Evam Prodhayogik Vishwavidhyalaya (Amendment) Act, 2001 {Uttarakhand Act No. 13 of 2011}] dated 28th April, 2011 with Notification No. 732/XIII-II/2011-12 dated 26 September, 2011. The University has several externally funded Research Projects viz. All India Coordinated Research Projects (AICRPs) of Indian Council of Agriculture Research (ICAR). The University invites applications from eligible candidates on prescribed application format for filling-up of following vacant posts through direct recruitment. The Application Format can be downloaded from University’s website (www.uuhf.ac.in). Duly filled applications along with recent passport size self-attested photograph, supporting documents (self-attested copies of degree certificates/ mark sheets/ experience certificates, reprints of important publications, etc.) and **Application Fee of Rs. 1000/- (Rs. 500/- for SC/ST candidates) through Demand Draft drawn in favour of Comptroller, Uttarakhand University of Horticulture & Forestry payable at Punjab National Bank, Branch Pauri (Branch Code 1370) should reach by speed/ registered post at the following postal address:–**

Registrar, Project Office, Research & Extension Center of VCSG Uttarakhand University of Horticulture and Forestry, Nigam Road, Haripur, Selaqui, Dehradun – 248011, Uttarakhand

latest by **17/04/2017**. Applications submitted by hand or sent by email/ fax/ courier or by any other means shall not be accepted. The application should not be sent at any other address of University Campuses, and should be sent only at the address mentioned above. Further, the applicants are advised to pay the application fee through Demand Draft strictly as per the details mentioned above. University shall not be responsible for improperly made Demand Draft, if refused by the bank concerned.

The details of the scientific posts, pay scales, & eligibility requirements are given below:

Sl. No.	Name of the Post with Pay Scale & AGP (in Rs.)	Name of the Project (Location)	Number of post(s) with Category
1.	Sr. Plant Breeder 37400-67000 (9000)	AICRP on Potential Crops (Ranichauri campus)	01 (GEN)
2.	Associate Professor (Entomology) 37400-67000 (9000)	AICRP on Soil Arthropod Pests (Ranichauri campus)	01 (GEN)
3.	Senior Breeder/ Senior Research Officer 37400-67000 (9000)	AICRP on Small Millets Improvement (Ranichauri campus)	01 (SC)
4.	Jr. Agronomist 15600-39100 (6000)	AICRP on Potential Crops (Ranichauri campus)	01 (GEN Female)
5.	Assistant Professor, Agronomy 15600-39100 (6000)	AICRP on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants & Betelvine (Bharsar Campus)	01 (GEN Female)

6.	Assistant Professor, Plant Pathology 15600-39100 (6000)	AICRP on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants & Betelvine (Bharsar Campus)	01 (GEN)
7.	Assistant Professor, Plant Breeding 15600-39100 (6000)	AICRP on Medicinal and Aromatic Plants & Betelvine (Bharsar Campus)	01(GEN)

Abbreviations: SC=Scheduled Caste, SC Female= Scheduled Caste Female, GEN= General, GEN Female=General Female. Only the domiciles of Uttarakhand State are eligible under SC/ SC Female/ GEN Female categories.

For Horizontal Reservation: If no candidate is available or not found suitable against the post earmarked under the horizontal reservation i.e. disabled persons, dependents of freedom fighters, females and ex-army personnel, then the post shall be filled through suitable candidate of the original category. However, in case the post remains vacant, it shall be re-advertised with horizontal reservation in the same category.

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS AND PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

1) For the posts mentioned at Sl. Nos. 01, 02 & 03 in the Pay Band of Rs. 37000-67000/- AGP Rs. 9,000/-:-

- (i) Good academic record with a Ph.D. Degree in the subject concerned or related field.
- (ii) A Master's Degree in the discipline concerned with at least 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed).
- (iii) A minimum of eight years of experience of teaching and/ or research in an academic/ research position equivalent to that of Assistant Professor (in the Pay Band of Rs. 15600-39100 with AGP of Rs. 6000/ 7000/ 8000) in a University/ College or Accredited Research Institution/ industry excluding the period of Ph.D. research with evidence of published work and a minimum of 5 publications as books and/ or research/ policy papers.
- (iv) Contribution to educational innovation, design of new curricula and courses, and technology – mediated teaching learning process with evidence of having guided doctoral candidates and research students.
- (v) A minimum score as stipulated in the Academic Performance Indicator (API) based Performance Based Appraisal System (PBAS).

2) For the posts mentioned at Sl. Nos. 04, 05, 06 & 07 in the Pay Band of Rs. 15600-39100/- AGP Rs. 6,000/-:-

- (i) Good academic record as defined by the University with at least 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading is followed) at the Master's degree level in the subject concerned from an Indian University, or an equivalent degree from an accredited foreign university.
- (ii) Besides fulfilling the above qualifications, the candidate must have cleared the National Eligibility Test (NET) conducted by the UGC/ CSIR/ ASRB or similar test accredited by the UGC like SLET/SET.

- (iii) Amongst the candidates having Master's Degree (at least 55% marks or equivalent) with NET/ SLET/ SET, the candidates possessing research publication(s) in reputed refereed journals having NAAS/ other ratings, shall be given preference.
- (iv) Notwithstanding anything contained in point no. 2(i) & (ii) above, the candidates, who are, or have been awarded a Ph.D. degree in accordance with the University Grant Commission (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of Ph.D. Degree) Regulations, 2009 read with 4th Amendment dated 11 th July, 2016 or any other amendment(s) made in this regard by UGC till the date of release of this advertisement, shall be exempted from the requirement of the minimum eligibility condition of NET/ SLET/ SET.
- (v) NET/ SLET/ SET shall also not be required for such Masters Programmes in disciplines for which NET/ SLET/ SET is not conducted.

Note: Please note that the posts mentioned at Sl. Nos. 01 to 05 had also been advertised earlier vide advertisement nos. UUHF/DP/338 dated 22/04/2015 & UUHF/Direct/2015/5 dated 7/12/2015. These posts are being re-advertised with some amendments. The applicants for the above mentioned posts, who had applied earlier, in response to advertisement nos. UUHF/DP/338 dated 22/04/2015 & UUHF/Direct/2015/5 dated 7/12/2015 need not apply again. However, they may please note that the terms & conditions as amended here shall apply for eligibility and selection of candidates. The candidates for the post of Senior Research Officer/ Associate Professor who had applied earlier are advised to freshly submit their self assessed API score sheet as per amended UGC format which can be downloaded from UGC website. The candidates for the post of Senior Research Officer/ Associate Professor/ Junior Research Officer/ Assistant Professor may send their updated resume. The candidates who had applied earlier need not to pay the prescribed fee again. The candidates who had applied earlier may also opt for refund of the fee paid by them if they wish to do so.

Important Information for Applicants

1. The process of recruitment and appointment on the posts advertised shall be as prescribed under the Statutes and Service Rules of the University.
2. Application Fee as prescribed should be enclosed with the Application Form. Application Forms received without the prescribed Fee shall not be entertained except for those who have paid the prescribed fee in response to earlier advertisements.
3. Applications, if not on prescribed format or incomplete or received after due date will not be considered. The University shall not be responsible for postal delay, if any.
4. Self attested photocopy of supporting documents pertaining to age, educational qualifications, employment record, caste certificate (if applicable) etc should accompany the Application Form. However, original certificates should be produced at the time of interview for verification.
5. In-service candidates should send their application through proper channel. However, advance copy along with Application Fee should reach at the following postal address:-
Registrar, Project Office at Research & Extension Centre of VCSG Uttarakhand University of Horticulture & Forestry, Nigam Road, Haripur, Selaqui, Dehradun-248011 before the closing date.
6. The reservation policy of the Uttarakhand State Government shall be applicable.
7. Envelope containing application should be superscribed with "Advertisement Notice No., Name of the Post, Category & Project Name.
8. No T.A. / D.A. will be paid to the candidates called for interview/ test.

9. The prescribed essential qualifications are the minimum and mere possession of the same does not entitle candidates to be called for interview. Where the number of applications received in response to the advertisement is large and it may not be convenient or possible to interview all the candidates, the University, at its discretion, may screen the applications and shortlist the candidates on the basis of qualifications, experience, publications etc to be called for the interview. For this purpose, the University may constitute a screening committee to scrutinize the applications to short list the candidates. For the Posts mentioned at Sl. Nos. 04 to 07, the University may also hold written/ qualifying examination for short listing the candidates for interview.
10. The process of selection may include a presentation/ written test/ interview or a combination of any or all. The topic for presentation of maximum 5 minutes duration may be related to the subject concerned, and may be chosen by the candidate. The written test, if given, will include subject related questions, and will be of maximum two hours duration.
11. Canvassing in any form may lead to cancellation of candidature.
12. Qualifications/ experiences etc. shall be reckoned as on closing date for submission of application forms as per the advertisement.
13. If at any time even after the selection and the appointment of the candidate or during the tenure of his/ her service, it is found/ detected that any document/ information submitted by the candidate is incorrect or that the candidate has concealed/ suppressed any information, then appropriate action shall be taken against him/ her as per rules which may even lead to termination of his/ her candidature/ services.
14. The University reserves the right to fill or not to fill any or all the posts advertised without giving any reasons thereof.
15. The area of jurisdiction for any legal dispute shall be District Court at Dehradun and High Court of Uttarakhand.
16. Appointments to all the posts in AICRPs are co-terminus with the project. The incumbent shall have no right implicit or explicit to claim for automatic absorption of his/ her services in the University on a regular post. However, in case of a vacancy of any regular position in the University when such position is advertised, he/ she shall be free to apply for the same and shall have to go through the prescribed selection process.
17. The candidates are advised to visit the University website (www.uuhf.ac.in) regularly for information related to recruitment on the posts advertised.



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Bharsar, Pauri Garhwal**

Application Format for Scientist Posts of AICRPs

(Note: Please carefully go through the instructions given in the advertisement before filling up the Application Form)

Advertisement No: UUHF/Direct Recruitment/AICRP-Scientists/01/2017 <u>Dated: 16 /03/2017</u> Last Date of Receipt of Application Form: 17/04/2017	Registration No: (For Office use Only)	Self attested latest passport size photograph is to be pasted here
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1. Name of the post applied for:.....
2. Category applied for:..... (SC / SCW / ST / OBC / OBCW / UR/ URW / URPH)
3. Details of payment of Application Fee:

Demand Draft Number & Date	Amount (in Rs.)	Name of the Bank Payable at	Issuing Branch's Name with Branch Code
		Punjab National Bank, Pauri (Pauri Garhwal) Branch Code: 1370	

4. Personal Details of the Applicant:

(a) Name (in capital letters)	First Name			Middle Name	Surname		
(b) Date of Birth	Day	Month	Year	Age as on closing date	Years	Month(s)	Day(s)
c) Father's Name							
d) Mother's Name							
e) State of domicile							
f) Category (UR/ SC/ ST/ OBC)							
g) Nationality							
h) Gender	(Male/ Female/ Transgender)						
i) Marital Status	(Married/ Unmarried)						
j) Permanent address							
k) Address for Correspondence							
E-mail:							
Mobile number:							
Telephone no. with STD Code							

5. Educational Qualifications (Class X onwards):

S.N.	Examination passed	Name of the Board/ University	Passing Year	% Marks/ OGPA/ CGPA	Subjects studied	Sl. No. of documentary proof enclosed
1.	High School					
2.	Intermediate					
3.	Graduation					
4.	Post-Graduation					
5.	Ph.D					
6.	Any other					

6. Whether qualified ASRB/ UGC/CSIR NET or SLET/SET of Uttarakhand State:
 Year of qualifying (Sl. No. of documentary proof enclosed)

7. Professional Experience in Chronological Order (giving current position/employment first)

Post held	Nature of Employment *	Name, & Address of the Employer/ Institution	Basic Pay/ Pay Band & AGP	Period of Employment		No. of Years & Months	Nature of Work/ Duties	Sl. No. of documentary proof enclosed
				from	to			
1	2	3	4	5		6	7	8

* Please mention whether Regular / Temporary/ Contract/ Other

8. Present Position

Designation	Name & Address of the Employer/ Institution	Type of the Institution #	Present Salary			Sl No. of documentary proof enclosed
			Pay Band	Basic Pay	AGP	

Please mention whether Organization/ Institution/ University is a State Govt./ Central Govt./ Private etc.

9. Publications, if any (Give number only)*:

Publications	Published	Accepted/in print	Communicated
Book(s)			
Book Chapter(s)			
Research Paper(s)			
Number of research paper(s) in peer reviewed journals			
Article(s)			
Conference proceeding/ abstract(s)			

*Attach list of publications with complete citation & NAAS/ any other ratings.

10(A). Patent(s) filed / Registered, if any

Registration Agency	Patent No./ File No. & Year	Title

10 (B). Award(s), if any

Name of the Award	Year of the Award	Awarding Organization

11. Membership of Professional Societies, if any	
12. References: Give name & address of two referees	1. 2.
13. Total number of self attested testimonials attached	
14. International exposure as Researcher/ Teacher at university level, if any:	
15. Any other information: <i>(attach separate sheets if required)</i>	

Declaration

I Son/ Daughter/ Wife ofhereby declare that the statements and entries made in this application are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I understand that if at any time even after my selection and the appointment or during the tenure of my service, it is found/detected that any document/ information submitted by me is incorrect or that any information is concealed/ suppressed by me, then appropriate action shall be taken against me as per rules which may even lead to termination of my services.

Place:

(Signature of the Applicant)

Date:

Endorsement by the Employer (For in service candidates)

The applicant Dr./Mr./Mrs./Ms. _____ who has submitted this application for the post of (Name of the Post)_____ has been working in this organization on the post of _____ on temporary / contract / permanent basis with effect from _____ in the pay scale of (mention pay band, present basic pay and academic grade pay, if applicable) _____.

Certified that no disciplinary / vigilance action is contemplated or pending against the said applicant. There is no objection to his/her application being considered by the VCSG UUHF, Bharsar. In the event of his/ her selection on the said post, he/ she shall be relieved to join on the said post in VCSG UUHF, Bharsar.

Place:

(Signature of Forwarding Officer)

Date:

Name:

Designation:

Seal: