



### **ASSUMPTION OF CHARGE**

1. Mr. Muhammad Tariq Saeed (PAAS/BS-19), Regional Director (Audit), Regional Directorate of Audit, Auditor General of Pakistan has assumed the charge of the post of the Treasurer, UAF w.e.f. 25-10-2017 on deputation basis for a period of one year or till the appointment of whole time Treasurer through selection on competitive basis, as stipulated in law/rules of the UAF, whichever is earlier.
2. Prof. Dr. Ashfaq Ahmad Maan, Chairman, Department of Rural Sociology has assumed the charge of Dean Faculty of Social Sciences, UAF. In future all official and demi-official correspondence may please be addressed to him.



### **SITUATION VACANT**

1. Applications are invited for the engagement of one M.Sc. student in the research project to be run by the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences. M.Sc. student having B.Sc. (Hons.) in Soil Environmental Sciences with no 3<sup>rd</sup> Division in the career at a consolidated pay of Rs. 10,000/- per month for a period of 6 months. Applicants having experience related to soil and water quality who are not in receipt of any scholarship will be preferred. Already employed but on leave of any type will not be considered for appointment. Employed candidates should en-route their applications through proper channel. The last date for the receipt of applications in the office of Dr. Muhammad Ansar Farooq, PI, Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences UAF, is November, 2017 within 5 days after the publication of this notice.
2. Applications are invited for the appointment of one MS Student on temporary basis at a consolidated pay of Rs. 15,000/- per month+tuition fee, in an HEC-NRPU funded research project titled "Influence of Crop Allelopathy on the Microbial Diversity of Rhizosphere" run by Department of Agronomy, UAF. The candidates for the post of MS student must be enrolled in MS/M.Phil degree in Agronomy/Botany. Two copies of applications are required along with attested copies of the certificates. Incomplete applications or those received after the due date will not be entertained. Applications along with relevant documents should reach in the office of the PI, Dr. Zubair Aslam, Assistant Professor, Department of Agronomy, UAF within 7 days after the publication of this notice.
3. Applications are invited for one MS/M.Phil student at a consolidated pay of Rs. 15,000/- per month under the HEC research project entitled "Policy devising study of agricultural risk management in different cropping zones of Punjab, Pakistan. The applicant must be enrolled as M.Sc. (Hons.) Agri. Extension student. The applications along with complete bio-data and attested copies of certificates etc. should reach in the office of Dr. Muhammad Iftikhar Assistant Professor/PI Institute of Agri. Ext. and Rural Development within 5 working days after the publication of this notice.
4. Applications on plain paper are invited for one post of MS/M.Phil student at a consolidated pay of Rs. 20,000/- per month under the HEC funded research project entitled "Analysis of

adoption gap of weed management practices among framers under different cropping systems in Punjab, Pakistan”. The applicant must be enrolled as M.Sc. (Hons.) Agri. Extension student. The applications along with CV and attested copies of certificates etc. should reach in the office of Dr. Khalid Mahmood Ch. PI/Incharge, Institute of Agri. Extension and Rural Development, UAF within 7 days after the publication of this notice. The selected candidates has to conduct research within the framework of the project.

#### **I.T INFRASTRUCTURE CUT-OVER PHASE AND EXPECTED INTERNET OUTAGE AT CLIENT-SIDE**

Reference is invited to task assigned to Directorate of I.T Resource Center & Data Bank (ITRCDB) to deploy enterprise level I.T Infrastructure including routing, switchin, IP telephony and UTM solutions under HEC funded project titled “Establishment of I.T and Library Infrastructure for New Disciplines of Food/Energy Engineering and Science” at UAF. They would like to inform you that ITRCDB team is in the process to install passive data network in various offices of UAF. Scope of this task includes not only to provide dedicated LAN connection especially at Deans/Directors/Principal Officers/Chairman’s and higher level for the provision of IP Phones facility but also to carryout major network revamping tasks including (but not limited to) provision of dedicated internet connection at client-side through laying of new network cable, management of existing network cables and their integration with new system, removal of hanging network wires to improve over-all aesthetic look of campus, reusability of existing cables (if possible) at alternate offices for effective resource utilization. It is pertinent to mention here that back-end I.T infrastructure has been configured in such a way that single internet port at client-side will be capable to provide internet service to single device (laptop/desktok etc) at one-time and departments internet/e-services dependencies on hardware installed at other departments have been removed to ensure 24x7 dedicated and high speed services around the campus. Although, ITRCDB team has plan to minimize downtime/e-services outage at client-side during migration phase (from existing platform to new one) using phased approach but users of your faculty / department may face e-services outage with minimal intervals during a period of newst 2 weeks. You kind support will help them to introduce new technologies in effective way.

#### **PhD THESIS/SYNOPSIS DEFENSE**

Miss Huma Shahid, Regd. No. 2014-ag-519 a PhD student in the Department of Botany has successfully defended her synopsis on 25-10-2017. The title of her synopsis is “Structural and functional responses of some *Lemna* L. species under nickel (Ni<sup>2+</sup>) and cadmium (Cd<sup>2+</sup>) stresses”.

#### **PLACEMENT OF PhD THESIS FOR PEER REVIEW**

1. Copy of the PhD thesis submitted by Mr. Muhammad Shahid, Regd. No. 2008-ag-2268, will be placed in the library Department of Agronomy from 01-11-2017 to 07-11-2017. The title of his thesis is “Alleviation of terminal heat stress in wheat (*Triticum aestivum* L.) through potassium and selenium nutrition”. All the faculty members and students are welcome to read/consult the thesis.
2. PhD thesis of Mr. Haroon Shahzad, Regd. No. 2007-ag-2140, a student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences UAF will be placed in Director’s office w.e.f. 01-11-2017 to 07-11-2017. The title of his thesis is “Effect of Organic Amendments at Optimum Irrigation Level on Maize Yield, Soil Carbon Dynamics and Soil Physical Health”. All academic staff/students are welcomed to read/consult and give suggestions so that thesis will be improved according with incorporation of these suggestions.
3. PhD thesis of Mr. Hafiz Muhammad Bilal, Regd. No. 2007-ag-1942, a student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences UAF will be placed in Director’s office w.e.f. 01-11-2017 to 07-11-2017. The title of his thesis is “Characterization of indigenous wheat genotypes for phosphorus efficiency”. All academic staff/students are welcomed to read/consult and give suggestions so that thesis will be improved according with incorporation of these suggestions.

4. PhD thesis of Mr. Muhammad Asaad Bashir, Regd. No. 2006-ag-1361, a student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences, UAF, will be placed in the Director's Office w.e.f. 01-11-2017 to 07-11-2017. The title of his thesis is "Impact of biochar on chromium uptake by maize grown in tannery polluted soil". All academic staff/students are welcomed to read/consult and give suggestions so that thesis will be improved accordingly with incorporation of these suggestions.
5. Copy of the PhD thesis submitted by Mr. Tassadduq Rasool, Regd. No. 2007-ag-2092, will be placed in the library Department of Agronomy from 02-11-2017 to 08-11-2017. The title of his thesis is "Management alternatives for improving barley productivity under different cropping systems". All the faculty members and students are welcomed to read/consult the thesis.

### TENDER NOTICE

Sealed tenders are invited from the firms/contractors registered/enlisted with the UAF for the following works at UAF on items rate/ the percentage rate circulated by the Finance Department Government of the Punjab as per PPRA rules. Last date for the purchase of tender Documents: 02-11-2017. Date of receiving and opening on 03-11-2017 at 11:00 am to 11:30 am.

Name of Work	Amount (Rs.)	Bid Security @ 2% of estimated cost	Time Limit
Repair of Transformer rating 200 KVA installed at CABB building UAF.	59,926/-	1199/-	One Week
Preparation and submission of Test Report regarding load enhancement at Kisan Hall UAF.	1000,000/-	2000/-	One Week

Tender documents can be obtained from the office of the Executive Engineer, (ECD-M) UAF against written request accompanied with attested copy of enlistment/ up to date renewal letter and fee receipt valid P.E.C license up to 31-12-2018 (If required). Authority letter on pad form of contractor/firm, identity card of contractor/managing partner of the firm, registered partnership deed with power of attorney, and on payment of prescribed tender fee into the account No. 11-9/NBP, UAF Branch. 2. Tender rate and amount should be filled in figure as well as in words and tender should be signed as per general direction in the tender documents. 3. Tempered tender or sent by post will not be entertained. 4. No conditional tender or tender without bid security @ 2% of tender cost in shape of deposit at call of any schedule bank and attested copy of registered partnership and power of attorney in case of firm will be entertained. 5. The Executive Engineer, (ECD-M) reserves the right to reject all tenders at any time prior to acceptance. The concerned contractor shall be communicated the ground of its rejection but it is not required to justify the ground of rejection.

### QUOTATION

1. Sealed quotations are invited for the purchase of consumable articles (chemicals, glassware, plasticware etc.) for the research project entitled "Development and genetic characterization of haploid lines and polyploidy germplasm for hybridization in elite guava strain" being run by Dr. Muhammad Usman, PI Plant Tissue Culture Cell, Institute of Horticultural Sciences, UAF. List can be seen in office of PI. The quotations should reach in the office of PI within 5 days after the publication of this notice along with 2% earnest money in the form of call deposit.
2. Sealed quotations are invited from the registered contractors for the purchase of Galvanized Sheet Funnels with Nipple=160 No. (22 gauge, 12" internal dia) and Iron Stands for placing PVC Lysimeters (Length 6', Width 1', Height 1')= 20 No. by the PI, HEC funded Project, "Reclamation effectiveness of amendments in relation to different ECe: SAR ratios of salt-affected soils of different textures" Institute of Soil & Environmental Sciences, UAF. The rates should be given both in figures and words for each make separately without any over-writing and quotations should be accompanied with a deposit call @ 2% of the estimated





