



UAF TO HOLD SEMINARS/SYMPOSIA/TRAINING WORKSHOPS AND PROFESSIONAL INTERACTIONS FROM JANUARY 14 TO FEBRUARY 13, 2013

Date	Event
Jan 12, 2013	Presentation on "Developing Farmers' Participation in Irrigation Project Management; cases from Thailand and Nepal" by Prof. Ganesh P. Shivakoti's, Prof. of Agricultural and Natural Resource Economics, School of Environment, Resources and Development; Asian Institute of Technology, Bangkok, Thailand. The event would be hosted by Faculty of Agri. Engineering & Technology.
Jan 13, 2013	Ground Breaking Ceremony of "Saeed Ajmal Cricket Academy" at UAF
Jan 14, 2013	One Day Seminar on "Remote sensing for monitoring agricultural crops and assessing soil salinity" with Dr. Waqar Ahmad, Principal Research Scientist & Research Leader, Centre for Environmental and Life Sciences, CSIRO, Perth, Australia as resource person. The event would be hosted by Saline Agri. Research Centre, Institute of Soil & Environmental Sciences, UAF
Jan 14, 2013	PASTIC Stall at UAF
Jan 15 to Feb 13, 2013	Training Workshops on Research Analysis through SPSS Forecasting and Scenario Analysis Dr. Muhammad Akram from Monash University and Prof. Dr. Ishaq Bhatti from La Trobe University, Australia as resource persons. The workshop would be hosted by Institute of Agri. & Resource Economics, UAF
Jan 17, 2013	Launching of USDA/FAO Remote Sensing Project
Jan 21-26, 2013	"Six-day International Workshop to strengthen extension skills of young professionals in Afghanistan and Pakistan" aimed at strengthening the extension and delivery system of Afghanistan and Pakistan to better meet the needs of farmers and the rural poor. The workshop would be hosted by ORIC and USDA (Trilateral Program)
Jan 21, 2013	"Ten-day Training workshop "On-farm Water Management for Baluchistan participants" hosted by Water Management Research Centre, UAF and sponsored by FAO.
Jan 21-29, 2013	Training in Micro-Irrigation System hosted by Water Management Research Centre, UAF sponsored by USDA Trilateral Program
Jan 22, 2013	Visit of USDA team and briefing on Drip Irrigation hosted by Water Management Research Centre, UAF
Jan 24-26, 2013	Visit of six-member Chinese delegation headed by Prof. ZHOU Xuhong, President of Lanzhou University, Lanzhou, Gansu, P.R. China to pave the way for a long-term collaboration in various fields of common interest of both institutions. The visit would be hosted by Department of Botany, Faculty of Sciences, UAF.
Jan 28 to Feb 1, 2013	"IFPRI Training workshop on Modeling Tools for water policy and Analysis" with resource person Dr. Andrew Bell from University of Michigan, USA, Dr. Y. C Ethan Yang from University of Illinois, USA and Dr. Yi. Chen E. Yang from University of Massachusetts, USA
Feb -12, 2013	International Tent Pegging Competition
Feb 11-13, 2013	International Conference on "Crop Production in the Changing Climate" hosted by Dept. of Agronomy, Faculty of Agriculture, UAF

ASA ELECTION 2013 ON JANUARY 15, AND 17, 2013

The annual election of executive council of the Academic Staff Association (ASA) for the year 2013 will be held on January 15 at CADGK and January 17, at Library Faculty Lounge of Main Campus for

President, Vice President I (Fsd Campus), Vice President II (DG Khan Campus), Secretary, Joint Secretary, Treasurer, two councilors from each faculty/Div/all Sub-Campuses.

CAREER OPPORTUNITY AT DAIRY FOOD & SILAGE BUSINESS

A leading Dairy Food & Silage business offers career opportunities for fresh, young, energetic and qualified candidates. Specialization in Agronomy, PBG, Animal Husbandry and Animal Nutrition & Feed Technology would be preferred having MSc (Hons.)/ BSc (Hons.) with CGPA of 3.0 & above. Interested candidates can register themselves at Office of Career Services, Directorate of Financial Assistance & University Advancement UAF not later than 22nd January, 2013. For further information aspirants need to contact with Manager Career Services at Ph. 041-9200351, 0321-6612913 or E-mail: managercs@uaf.edu.pk

SEMINAR ON JANUARY 10, 2013

Institute of Agricultural and Resource Economics is organizing a one day seminar in collaboration with WWF-Pakistan on "Sustainable Consumption & Production: Choices for a living planet" on Thursday, January 10th 2013, at 10:00 am.

PLACEMENT OF PhD THESIS FOR PEER REVIEW

1. Mr. Muhammad Abubakkar, Regd. No. 2002-ag-17900, PhD student of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics has placed his PhD thesis entitled "Inheritance of powdery mildew resistance and yield related traits in pea (*Pisum sativum* L.)" in the Library of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics on 08-01-2013 for one week. The faculty and the students are invited to pursue the thesis for any suggestion/corrections.
2. PhD thesis of Mr. Ali Imran, Regd. No. 2003-ag-1767 was placed w.e.f. 28-12-2012 to 03-01-2013 in the office of Director General, National Institute of Food Science & Technology for one week prior to its submission for foreign evaluation. The faculty and students were invited to pursue the thesis for any suggestions/corrections. The suggestions received in order had been incorporated through the supervisory committee.
3. Ph.D. thesis of Miss. Ambreen Naz, Regd. No. 2003-ag-1556 was placed w.e.f. 03-01-2013 to 09-01-2013 in the office of Director General, National Institute of Food Science & Technology for one week prior to its submission for foreign evaluation. The faculty and students were invited through Campus News to pursue the thesis for any suggestions/corrections. The suggestions received in order had been incorporated through the supervisory committee.


PHD THESIS/SYNOPSIS DEFENCE

1. Mr. Muhammad Jan, Regd. No. 2005-ag-1271, PhD student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences will defend his synopsis in a seminar at the University level on 23-01-2013 at 02:00 pm in the Library of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences. The title of his synopsis is "Efficiency of zinc utilization in rice (*Oryza sativa* L.) genotypes under saline conditions". All the faculty members are requested to attend the presentation.
2. Miss Huma Saleem, Regd. No. 96-ag-1689, PhD student of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics will defend her PhD synopsis in the Postgraduate Laboratory of the Department of PBG on 15-01-2013 at 11:00 am as required under the rules. The title of her synopsis is "Diversity, recombination and replication of cotton leaf curl Geminiviruses". All the teachers and students concerned are requested to attend and contribute towards the improvement of the synopsis.
3. Synopsis defense of Mr. Abdul Khaliq, Regd. No. 2008-ag-734 student of PhD Chemistry, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, titled "Eco-friendly removal of disperse dye from polyester" will be held on 12-01-2013 at 10:00 am in Lecture Room-III. All interested are invited to attend.

جونیور لیبارٹری سکول میں نرسری و پریپ کلاسوں میں داخلوں کا اعلان
زرعی یونیورسٹی کے جونیور لیبارٹری سکول کی ہیڈ مسٹریس کی طرف سے نرسری و پریپ کلاسوں میں داخلوں کا اعلان کر دیا گیا ہے۔ 31 مارچ 2013 تک تین سے چار سال عمر کے بچوں کو نرسری جبکہ 4 سے 5 سال عمر کے بچوں کو پریپ (انگلش میڈیم) میں داخلوں کیلئے زیر غور لایا جائیگا۔ خواہش مند بچوں کے والدین سے کہا گیا ہے کہ وہ کم فروری تا 9 مارچ 2013ء کے دوران دفتری اوقات میں 100 روپے کے عوض سکول سے داخلہ فارم حاصل کر کے بچوں کے پیدائشی سرٹیفکیٹ یا نادرا کا جاری کردہ ب فارم کی مصدقہ نقل کے ہمراہ جمع کروا سکتے ہیں۔ نرسری کلاس میں داخلہ کے خواہش مند بچوں کے انٹرویو 19 مارچ جبکہ پریپ کیلئے 20 اور 21 مارچ کو صبح 9 سے دوپہر 1.30 بجے تک منعقد ہونگے جس کے بعد اہل امیدواروں کی لسٹیں 25 مارچ 2013ء کو سکول نوٹس بورڈ پر آویزاں کر دی جائیں گی۔ یونیورسٹی ملازمین کے بچوں کیلئے داخلہ فارم و فیس رعایت کے فارمز متعلقہ چیئرمین کی وساطت سے جمع کروائے جائیں گے۔ سکول انتظامیہ کی جانب سے واضح کیا گیا ہے کہ نرسری میں داخلہ فیس 10 ہزار روپے مقرر کی گئی ہے اور اس حوالے سے یونیورسٹی ملازمین کو ہر چند کوئی رعایت نہ ہوگی تاہم پریپ میں ان کے سکول کو مد نظر رکھتے ہوئے رعایت فراہم کی جائے گی۔

مشکوک افراد پر نظر رکھنے کی ضرورت.....!
ناظم امور طلباء پروفیسر ڈاکٹر ظفر اقبال قریشی کی جانب سے مطلع کیا جاتا ہے کہ وطن عزیز میں روز بروز بڑھتی ہوئی دہشت گردانہ کارروائی کے پیش نظر ہمیں اپنی جامعہ میں بھی مشکوک افراد پر دھیان دینے کی ضرورت ہے۔ اپنی ذمہ داریوں کو مد نظر رکھتے ہوئے اساتذہ طلبہ اور یونیورسٹی ملازمین کے ساتھ ساتھ کیسپس پر موجود دوکانات، کینٹین اور کینٹن ٹیر یا مالکان/ملازمین کو بھی مطلع کیا جاتا ہے کہ اجنبی اور مشکوک افراد پر خاص نظر رکھیں اور اپنے ارد گرد موجود لاوارث بیگ، گٹھری یا مشکوک سامان کی موجودگی پر فوری طور پر یونیورسٹی انتظامیہ/سیکورٹی کو مطلع کریں۔

4. Mr. Sarmad Frogh Arshad, Regd. No. 2002-ag-1574, a PhD student of CABB will defend his PhD synopsis at University level on 28-01-2013 at 10:30 am in the lecture room of CABB. The title of his synopsis is "Biodiversity and Host Factors Interaction of Single Stranded DNA (ssDNA) Viruses Infecting Medicinally Important Plant, Eclipta Prostrata". All students and scientists are invited to attend.
5. Miss. Aisha Butt Regd. No. 2001-ag-985 a PhD student of CABB will defend her PhD synopsis at University level on 28-01-2013 at 10:00 am in the lecture room of CABB. The title of her synopsis is "Enhancement of drought tolerance in wheat by ectopically expressing E coli glutamate dehydrogenase (gdh A) gene".
6. Mr. Waqas-ud-Din Khan, Regd. No. 2005-ag-1919, PhD student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences will defend his synopsis in a seminar at the University level on 15-01-2013 at 02:00 pm in the Library of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences. The title of his synopsis is "Mitigation of salinity stress in maize by silicon nutrition". All the faculty members are requested to attend the presentation.
7. Mr. Sana Ullah Yasin, Regd. No. 2005-ag-1315, PhD student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences will defend his synopsis in a seminar at the University level on 09-01-2013 at 02:00 pm in the Library of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences. The title of his synopsis is "Potential impact of Bt and non-Bt cotton on rhizosphere microbial community, enzymatic activity and cottonseed oil quality". All the faculty members are requested to attend the presentation.
8. Synopsis defense of Miss Saima Naz, Regd. No. 2006-ag-470, PhD Chemistry, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, titled "Development of methodology for extraction, fractionation and biochemical characterization of Hemp (Cannabis sativa. L.)" will be held on 17-01-2013 at 10:45 am in Lecture Room-III. All interested are invited to attend.
9. Mr. Saif-ur-Rehman, Regd. No. 2001-ag-578, PhD student, Institute of Microbiology will defend his PhD research thesis entitled "Epidemiology of Foot and mouth disease in sheep and goats in Punjab"



PAKISTAN CENTRAL COTTON COMMITTEE
 MINISTRY OF TEXTILE INDUSTRY
 GOVERNMENT OF PAKISTAN

SITUATION VACANT

Applications are invited from suitable candidates for the posts mentioned below under the Pakistan Central Cotton Committee, Ministry of Textile Industry, Government of Pakistan, to be posted at Islamabad, Lahore or other offices of PCCC in Pakistan.

Sr. No.	Name of Post with Scale and Place of Posting	Maximum Age Limit	No. of Posts	Prescribed Qualifications and Experience	Domicile
1.	Chief Executive Officer, Pay Scale: MP - I Contract for 3 years extendable for another 3 years	40+ years	One	PhD Agriculture Sciences/Human Resource Management/Agriculture Economics/Public Administration/or Administrative Science. At least 15 years experience in the relevant field as Chief Executive Officer in a research organization. At least 10 research publications, published in HEC recognized journals with at least 5 publications in the last 5 years.	Merit
2.	Chief Scientist Pay Scale: MP - I Contract for 3 years extendable for another 3 years	40+ year	One	PhD in Agriculture Sciences with 10 research publications on related research. At least 5 publications in HEC recognized journals and 2 international publications. At least 15 years experience as head of a research organization.	Merit
3.	Chief Financial Officer, Pay Scale: MP - II Contract for 3 years extendable for another 3 years	40+ year	One	CA/ACCA/ACMA/ICAEW At least 5 years experience in the related field as Chief Financial Officer and should have extensive experience of managing and administering such departments efficiently.	Merit
4.	Director Central Cotton Research Institute, Multan BPS-20	40+ year	One	PhD in Agriculture with 10 research publications on related research. At least 5 publications in HEC recognized journals. At least 10 years experience in the related field.	Merit
5.	Director Cess Management BPS-20	40+ Year	One	PhD Finance/Economics /CA/ACCA/ACMA with 5 years experience or MBA/MCom with 20 years experience in the relevant field.	Merit
6.	Manager Information Technology, BPS- 18	25+ Years	One	MIT/BS IT/BCS/MCS/BE, CIS At least 5 years experience in the related field.	Merit
7.	Human Resource and Administrative Officer, BPS-17	30+ Year	One	Masters in Business Administration - Human Resources or equivalent At least 5 years experience in the related field as Human Resources and Administrative Officer.	Merit
8.	Account Officer BPS-17	25+ Years	One	ACCA/MCom/MBA Finance/ACMA At least 5 years experience in the related field as Account Officer.	Merit
9.	Accountant BPS-16	25+ Years	One	BCom with at least 5 years experience in the related field as Accountant.	Merit

Candidates already in government service should apply through proper channel. No TA/DA will be paid. The general concession of relaxation of upper age limit up to five years shall be available to all the candidates. Only shortlisted candidates will be called for interview. Application on plain paper addressed to the **Secretary, Pakistan Central Cotton Committee, D-164, Block - 7, Gulshan-e-Iqbal, Karachi**, showing complete particulars should reach within 15 days after the publication of this advertisement.

Gul Muhammad
Secretary, PCCC.

on 02-02-2013 at 11:00 am in the video conference room, UAF. All interested are requested to participate.

10. Synopsis defense of Mr. Qaisar Manzoor, Regd. No. 2007-ag-615, PhD Chemistry, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, titled "Biological activities and environmental pollution based evaluation of honey bees waxes from Pakistan" will be held on 17-01-2013 at 10:00 am in Lecture Room-III. All interested are invited to attend.
11. Muhammad Nasir Subhani, Regd. No. 89-ag-993, has successfully defended his PhD thesis on 22-11-2012. The title of his thesis was "Studies on biochemical basis of resistance against late blight of potato and its management, through fungicides, bio-fungicides and plant extracts".
12. Fariha Nazneen, Regd. No. 92-ag-651, PhD Biochemistry student of the Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry has successfully defended her thesis titled "Antiglycation and antioxidant activities of some desert plants" as required under the rules on 05-01-2013.
13. Mr. Tahir Javid, Regd. No. 90-ag-1329, PhD student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences has successfully defended his synopsis in a seminar at the University level on 03-01-2013. The title of his synopsis is "Silicon mediated alleviation of sodium toxicity in wheat under saline conditions".

AUCTION NOTICE

1. An unserviceable/surplus item will be auctioned on 14-01-2013 at 11:00 am at engineering workshop of the Department of the Structures & Environmental Engineering, Faculty of Agri. Engg. & Technology. One third of the total auction will be received at the spot and the remaining after the approval of the competent authority. Interested persons can participate according to the University rules. List of items can be seen in the office of the Chairman, Department of Structures & Environmental Engineering during office hours.
2. An open auction of Surkha Rose (6 kanal) will be held on 16-01-2013 at 11:00 am in the Floriculture area, Institute of Horticultural Sciences, UAF. All interested persons are invited to bid.
3. About 1100 kg Maize grain on an area of 6 kanals, about 400 kg of cotton on an area of 1 acre, paddy rice about 1160 kg on an area of 2 acre and sugarcane crop on an area of 17 kanals will be auctioned by open auction on 15-01-2013 at 11:00 am at Water Management Research Centre (PARS). The interested persons are invited for bidding. One third of the total price will be recovered on the spot, and the remaining amount will be paid after the approval of competent authority.

دفتر سے عداً غیر حاضر رہنے پر قصور و ملایم کیخلاف کارروائی

جناب وائس چانسلر نے شعبہ کلینیکل میڈیسن و سرجری میں سویپر مسٹر شہباز مسیح کے خلاف انکوائری آفیسر مسٹر عامر سعید رانا کی طرف سے عداً غیر حاضر رہنے کے الزامات ثابت ہو جانے پر پنجاب ایسیپلائز ایجیٹیشن ڈسپلن و اکاؤنٹی بلٹی ایکٹ 2006ء کے سیکشن 4 کے تحت کارروائی عمل میں لاتے ہوئے اس کی تین سال کیلئے سالانہ انگری منٹس روکنے، سینٹور کئے جانے کے ساتھ ساتھ 61 دن کی غیر حاضری کو ای او ایل میں کنورٹ کرنے اور مستقبل میں دو برسوں کیلئے اس کے کردار و عمل پر نظر رکھنے کے احکامات صادر کئے ہیں۔ جناب وائس چانسلر کی جانب سے جاری کی جانے والی نوٹیفیکیشن میں بتایا گیا ہے کہ اگر مذکورہ ملازم کی طرف سے مستقبل میں ایسا غیر ذمہ دارانہ فعل سرزد ہوا تو متذکرہ بالا ایکٹ کے تحت میجر سزا دی جائے گی۔

رورل ہوم اکنامکس ڈپلومہ کورس میں داخلہ

رورل ہوم اکنامکس ایک سالہ ڈپلومہ کورس (برائے خواتین) داخلہ برائے سال 2013 درج ذیل شیڈول کے مطابق ہوگا۔ خواہشمند خواتین اپنی درخواستیں مجوزہ فارم پر ڈین فیکلٹی آف سوشل سائنسز، زرعی یونیورسٹی فیصل آباد کے دفتر میں جمع کروائیں۔ داخلہ فارم زبردستی کے دفتر سے بعوض 100 روپے حاصل کیا جاسکتا ہے۔ داخلہ میرٹ پر ہوگا اور کوئی انٹرویو نہیں ہوگا۔ درخواستیں جمع کروانے کی آخری تاریخ میں 15 جنوری 2013ء تک توسیع کر دی گئی ہے۔ امیدوار خواتین انٹرمیڈیٹ یا مساوی امتحان میں کم از کم 45 فیصد نمبر اور ان کی عمر 28 سال سے زیادہ نہ ہو۔ درخواست کے ساتھ میٹرک، انٹرمیڈیٹ کی اسناد، چال چلن ٹھٹکیٹ، اپنے اور والد/سرپرست کے شناختی کارڈ کی مصدقہ نقول لف کریں۔



موٹر سائیکل ڈرائیورز کیلئے ہدایات

سٹی ٹریفک پولیس فیصل آباد کی طرف سے موٹر سائیکل سواروں کو ہدایت کی گئی ہے کہ ہیلمٹ کا استعمال کریں ورنہ قانونی کارروائی عمل میں لائی جائے گی۔ موٹر سائیکل سوار سائڈ شیشوں کا استعمال کریں اور سواری پر دو افراد سے زائد سوار نہ ہوں۔ ون ویلنگ ہرگز نہ کریں اور اوور سپیڈ سے گریز کریں۔ دوران سفر موبائل فون ہرگز استعمال نہ کریں اور اگلی گاڑی سے مناسب فاصلہ رکھیں۔ بے جا ہارن کا استعمال نہ کریں اور انڈیکیٹرز کا مناسب استعمال کریں۔ موٹر سائیکل انتہائی بائیں لین میں چلائیں اور ٹریفک کے بہاؤ کے حوالے سے وارڈنز کے ساتھ ہر ضروری تعاون کریں۔