



SITUATION VACANT

1. Applications are invited from Pakistani nationals who are not married to a foreign national, for the posts of Research Fellow at consolidated pay of Rs. 15,000/- per month to work in project funded by HEC (No. 20-2314/NRPU/R&D/HEC/12/4998) entitled "Bio-herbicides environmentally safe technology for weed management". B.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture in Agronomy with minimum of B grade (CGPA: 3.00). Preference will be given to the M.Sc./PhD students doing dissertation research in Weed Sciences. Application along with relevant documents should reach in the office of the PI, Dr. Muhammad Mudassar Maqbool, Assistant Professor, College of Agriculture, Dera Ghazi Khan, P.O Box 79, Dera Ghazi Khan (Sub-campus, UAF) within one week after publication of this notice. Application forms can be obtained from office of the Registrar (Personnel Section), UAF during office hours or download from university website i.e. www.uaf.edu.pk. Additional Information can also be obtained from mobile number 0333-652-1172".
2. Applications are invited for two posts of Call Agent at a consolidated pay of Rs. 15,000/- per month in the National ICT R&D Funded project entitled "Development of Software for Site Specific and Economical Crop Production Technology for Various Categories of Farmers and its Dissemination to End User through Web, Call Centre & SMS". Applicant should possess B.Sc./B.A, Good Pronunciation, Can work with different application software (Ms. Windows Based). The appointment will be made on contract exclusively for the project period i.e.30-6-2015 but likely to be extended for another 18 months. It will be full time job and employees will not be entitled to get admission anywhere. Employed candidates should en-route their applications through proper Channel. Candidates must give their phone and email in the application in addition to their postal address. They will be contacted through Email/phone. The last date for the receipt of applications in the office of the Dr. Muhammad Rashid Subject Specialist/PI Community College, Airport Chowk, Jhang Road, Faisalabad will be 15 days after the publication of this notice.
3. Applications are invited on plain paper along with attested copies of academic certificates to work as Researcher at a fixed salary of Rs. 15,000/- pm for the LUMS funded Project titled "Mango Ripening in the Post-Genomic Era" Institute of Horticultural Sciences. The selected candidate will work at BZU, Multan. The candidates bearing following Criteria will be considered eligible:- "B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture with major Horticulture Student. Preference will be given having some experience of Mango Production Technology". Applications should reach in the O/o Dr. Ahmad Sattar Khan, Associate Prof./Collaborating Scientist up to May 31, 2014 during office hours. Incomplete applications or received after due date will not be entertained.
4. Applications on plain paper are invited from the residential students for Computer Lab. Attendant to engage in Female hostels (Amina & Khadija) on hourly basis in the University. The application alongwith attested copies of their Academic certificates and CNIC should reach in the Office of the Hall Warden upto 02-06-2014 during office hours.
5. Applications are invited for one post of Research Associate for Pakistan Science Foundation, Islamabad funded Research Project No. PSF/NSLP/P-AU (285) entitled "Assessment of genotoxic effects of metals in fish using comet and micronucleus assays" to be run by the Department of Zoology & Fisheries, UAF. The candidates are required to possess M.Sc./B.Sc.(Hons) degree in the field of Zoology with at least two first divisions (one in M.Sc./B.Sc.(Hons) and no third division in the academic career. Experience of post M.Sc./B.Sc.(Hons) research in the relevant field will be given preference. The selected candidates will be paid "15,000/- pm fixed but if s/he is enrolled in M.Phil and PhD programs, s/he will be paid @ Rs. 20,000/- and Rs. 25,000/- pm fixed, respectively. However, s/he will be required to sign a bond for entire duration of the project. Applications complete in all respect should reach the office of the Dean, Faculty of Sciences, UAF up to 07-06-2014 within office hours.

PLACEMENT OF PhD THESIS FOR PEER REVIEW

Mr. Javed Iqbal, Regd. No. 99-ag-1567, PhD student of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics has placed his PhD thesis entitled "Genetics of Synchrony in Maturity and Indeterminate Growth in Mungbea [*Vigna radiata* (L.) Wilczek]" for peer review in the Library, Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics on 28-05-2014 for one week. The faculty and the students are invited to peruse the thesis for any correction and improvement.

PHD THESIS/SYNOPSIS DEFENSE

1. Mr. Sohail Kamran, Regd. No. 2002-ag-1448, PhD student of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics will defend his PhD synopsis in the Postgraduate Laboratory of the Department of PBG on 31-05-2014 at 10:00 am as required under the rules. The title of his synopsis is "The potential of breeding upland cotton to induce drought tolerance". All the teachers and students concerned are requested to attend and contribute towards the improvement of the synopsis.
2. Mr. Muhammad Arfan, Regd. No. 2004-ag-1103, PhD student of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics will defend his PhD synopsis in the Postgraduate Laboratory of the PBG on 31-05-2014 at 11:00 am as required under the rules. The title of his synopsis is "Genetic basis of variation for high temperature tolerance in *Gossypium hirsutum* L". All the teachers and students concerned are requested to attend and contribute towards the improvement of the synopsis.
3. Miss Naila Hadayat, Regd. No. 2009-ag-105, a PhD student in the Department of Botany will defend her synopsis on 02-06-2014 at 09:00 am in the Seminar Room, Department of Botany, UAF. The title of her synopsis is "Heavy metal pollution emitted from vehicular sources along two roads (Pindi Bhattia to Kala Shah Kaku & Kala Shah Kaku to Gujranwala) and its phytomonitoring". All interested are cordially invited to attend.
4. Mr. Muhammad Ahmed Akram, Regd. No. 2006-ag-1567 is a student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences will defend his synopsis in a seminar at the University level on 27-05-2014 at 02:00 pm in the library of Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences. The title of his synopsis is "Biodegradation of thiamethoxam by bacterial consortium". All the faculty members are requested to attend the presentation.
5. Mr. Waqas Ashraf Regd. No. 2006-ag-1491 is a student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences will defend his synopsis in a seminar at the University level on 27-05-2014 at 02:00 pm in the library of Institute of Soil & Environmental Sciences. The title of his synopsis is "Biomass Production and Quality Assessment of Aloe vera (*Aloe barbadensis* M.) under Saline Conditions". All the faculty members are requested to attend the presentation.
6. Mr. Muhammad Farhan Rashid, Regd. No. 2005-ag-1576, PhD student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences will defend his synopsis in a seminar at the University level on 27-05-2014 at 02:00 pm in the Library of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences. The title of his synopsis is "Phosphorus dynamics and its uptake by wheat in salt-affected soils". All the faculty members are requested to attend the presentation.
7. Synopsis defense of Miss Sobia Jabeen, Regd. No. 2008-ag-563, PhD Chemistry, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, titled "Synthesis of heterocyclic derivatives and study of their interaction with DNA both theoretically and experimentally" will be held on 31-05-2014 at 11:00 am in the Lecture Room-III. All interested are invited to attend.
8. Mr. Waseem Akbar, Regd. No. 2007-ag-2055, PhD student of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics will defend his PhD synopsis in the Postgraduate Laboratory of the Department of PBG on 03-06-2014 at 11:00 am as required under the rules. The title of his synopsis is "Inheritance of mungbean yellow mosaic virus (MYMV) resistance in indigenous mungbean germplasm". All the teachers and students concerned are requested to attend and contribute towards the improvement of the synopsis.
9. Synopsis defense of Miss Zuberah Naseem, Regd. No. 2008-ag-803, PhD Chemistry, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, titled "Synthesis and applications of imidazolium based ionic liquids for the extraction of natural products" will be held on 31-05-2014 at 10:30 am in the Lecture Room-III. All interested are invited to attend.
10. Miss Sumreen Anjum, Regd. No. 2011-ag-596, a PhD student in the Department of Botany will defend her synopsis on 02-06-2014 at 12:00 noon in the Seminar Room, Department of Botany, UAF. The title of her synopsis is "Phytomonitoring of heavy metal pollution along two roads (Faisalabad to Okara and Okara to Lahore)". All interested are cordially invited to attend.
11. Mr. Muhammad Tayyab Taseer, Regd. No. 2007-ag-2509, PhD student of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics will defend his PhD synopsis in the Postgraduate Laboratory of the Department on 03-06-2014 at 11:00 am as required under the rules. The title of his synopsis is "Genetics of phenology of sunflower (*Helianthus annuus* L.) with respect to morpho-physiological characters". All the teachers and students concerned are requested to attend and contribute towards the improvement of the synopsis.
12. Mr. Muhammad Ameen, Regd. No. 2010-ag-504, PhD student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences has successfully defended his synopsis in a seminar at the University level on 21-05-2014. The title of his synopsis is "Biomass production of sea buckthorn (*Hippophae rhamnoides* L.) from salt affected soils and its role in soil remediation".

13. Synopsis defense of Ms Chulam Sarwari, Regd. No. 2008-ag-646, PhD Chemistry, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, titled "Effect of natural growth promoters on nutritive quality and antioxidant attributes of green vegetables" will be held on 04-06-2014 at 12:15 pm in Lecture Room-III. All interested are invited to attend.
14. Synopsis defense of Ms Nafisa Younas, Regd. No. 2011-ag-664, PhD Chemistry, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry titled "Bio-inspired Synthesis of Functionalized Diaryl Ethers" will be held on 05-06-2014 at 12:45 pm in Lecture Room-III. All interested are invited to attend.
15. Synopsis defense of Ms Sadia Noor, Regd. No. 2008-ag-613, PhD Chemistry Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, titled "Gold-Catalyzed Synthesis of functionalized Diaryl Sulfides Based on Cyclization of 1-Thioaryloxy 4-(Phenylethynyl)-2,4 Bis (Silyloxy)-1,4-Dienes" will be held on 05-06-2014 at 12:00 noon in Lecture Room-III. All interested are invited to attend.
16. Synopsis defense of Ms Saba Aslam, Regd. No. 2009-ag-1075, PhD Chemistry, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, titled "Application of Nanotechnology for Enhancement of Bioactivity and Bioavailability of Polyphenolic Rich Herbal Extracts" will be held on 04-06-2014 at 11:30 am in Lecture Room-III. All interested are invited to attend.
17. Mr. Imtiaz Ali, Regd. No. 2001-ag-1225, PhD student of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics will defend his PhD thesis in the Video Conference Room on 02-06-2014 at 02:30 pm. All concerned are requested to make it convenient to attend and contribute for improving the thesis. The title of his thesis is "Genetic basis of variation for quantitative traits related to boll, seed cotton yield and fibre quality in *Gossypium hirsutum* L."
18. Synopsis defense of Ms Fareeha Kousar, Regd. No. 2006-ag-695, PhD Chemistry, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, titled "Preparation and Characterization of Nanoherbal Extracts with Enhanced Bioavailability and Hapatoprotective Activity" will be held on 05-06-2014 at 10:00 am in Lecture Room-III. All interested are invited to attend.
19. Synopsis defense of Mr. Shiv Ram Ashraf, Regd. No. 2013-ag-6731, PhD Biochemistry, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry, titled "Screening of Local Microbial Culture for Production of Anti-Cancerous Agent (Taxol)" will be held on 06-06-2014 at 10:30 am in Biochemistry Laboratory. All interested are invited to attend.
20. Mr. Nadeem Ahmed, Regd. No. 2004-ag-1300 will defend his PhD thesis on 31-05-2014 at 02:30 pm in the Video Conference Seminar Room. The title of his thesis is "Development and Validation of a Disease Predictive Model Based upon Epidemiological Factors for Management of Late Blight of Potato".
21. Mr. Ahsan-ul-Haq, Regd. No. 2006-ag-791, student of Department of Forestry, Range Management and Wildlife will defend his PhD thesis entitled "The present status, potential and contribution of various non wood forest products (NWFP,s) in the earthquake prone northern belt of Pakistan" on June 14, 2014 at 11:00 am in video conference room.
22. Mrs Yasmin Sarwar, Regd. No. 2002-ag-1235, a PhD student in the Department of Botany will defend her synopsis on 04-06-2014 at 11:30 am in the seminar room of the Department. The title of her synopsis is "Modulation in growth, physiological and biochemical attributes of sunflower (*Helianthus annuus* L.) by GR24 application under saline stress". All interested are cordially invited to attend.
23. Mr. Atif Javed, Regd. No. 2007-ag-2215, PhD student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences has successfully defended his synopsis in a seminar at the University level on 15-05-2014. The title of his synopsis is "Impact of irrigation and plant residues on soil quality and N₂O emission in maize-wheat cropping system".
24. Mr. Tasawar Abbas, Regd. No. 2007-ag-2296, PhD student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences has successfully defended his synopsis in a seminar at the University level on 19-05-2014. The title of his synopsis is "Effect of allelopathic bacteria on the growth and yield of wheat (*Triticum aestivum* L.) and its associated weeds".
25. Mr. Hafiz Muhammad Bilal, Regd. No. 2007-ag-1942, PhD student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences has successfully defended his synopsis in a seminar at the University level on 13-05-2014. The title of his synopsis is "Characterization of indigenous wheat genotypes for phosphorus efficiency".
26. Mr. Muhammad Nafees, Regd. No. 96-ag-1428, PhD student of Institute of Horticultural Sciences has successfully defended his thesis on 24-05-2014. The title of his thesis is "Estimation of morphological, biochemical and genetic diversity in pomegranate (*Punica granatum* L.) germplasm".
27. Mr. M. Kaleem Naseem, Regd. No. 2003-ag-1859, PhD student of Institute of Horticultural Sciences has successfully defended his thesis on 21-05-2014. The title of his thesis is "Evaluation of flower and essential oil production and phytochemical properties of *Murraya exotica*".
28. Mr. Rai Altaf Hussain, Regd. No. 2003-ag-1512, a PhD student in the Department of Agronomy has successfully defended his thesis on 26-05-2014. The title of his thesis research is "Effects of

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یونیورسٹی میں زیر تعلیم طلباء و طالبات ملازمین اور دیگر احباب کو مطلع کیا
جاتا ہے کہ یونیورسٹی میں قائم حبیب بینک پاکستان کی برانچ اولڈ کیسپس
سے زیرو پوائنٹ (نزد پاور ہاؤس) منتقل ہو گئی ہے لہذا تمام کھاتہ داران
اور طلباء و طالبات پاور ہاؤس سے متصل نئی برانچ میں تشریف لائیں۔

supplementary foliar application of nitrogen and potassium on drought tolerance of sunflower (*Helianthus annuus L.*)”.

29. Mr. Muhammad Usman Saleem, Regd. No. 2007-ag-2221, PhD student of the Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences has successfully defended his synopsis in a seminar at the University level on 15-05-2014. The title of his synopsis is “Microbially mediated transformation of Cr(VI) to Cr(III) in interaction with plants and organic amendments”.

NEW SCHEDULE FOR SUBMISSION OF THESIS

The postgraduate students who are likely to complete their thesis during spring semester 2013-14 are required to submit their semifinal thesis upto July 05 and final upto July 12, 2014. Students must submit E/30 forms before the submission of semi-final thesis otherwise, their thesis will not be accepted/entertained.

HONOR FOR THE UNIVERSITY

A Team of students consist Umair Zafar, Mashal Murad, and Muhammad Waqas from Institute of Business Management and Sciences (IBMS) has participated in Express Career and Education Expo in Innovative Business Idea at Pak China center Islamabad held on 17-18 May 2014, it is the matter great pleasure that UAF team secured Second position at National Level in the said competition.

QUOTATIONS/BIDS

Bid # 46/14: Sealed bids are invited from the registered firms of the UAF for purchase of color toner for the Department of Forestry Range Management & Wild Life, UAF. The detailed and other pre-requisites can be had from the Directorate of Procurement & Inventory Control (DPIC) during closing hours. The bids should reach in the Directorate within 5 days from the date of the publication of the Campus News. The bid money @ 2% of the quoted value must accompany the bid in favour of Director (P&IC), UAF.

Bid # 47/14: Sealed bids are invited from the registered firms of the UAF for purchase of lunch boxes for the Department of Rural Sociology, UAF. The detailed and other pre-requisites can be had from the Directorate of Procurement & Inventory Control (DPIC) during closing hours. The bids should reach in the Directorate within 5 days from the date of the publication of the Campus News. The bid money @ 2% of the quoted value must accompany the bid in favour of Director (P&IC), UAF.

Bid # 48/14: Sealed bids are invited from the registered firms of the UAF for purchase of chemicals/standards under project titled “Situation Analysis of Large Scale Wheat Flour, Edible Oil & Ghee Fortification” for the National Institute of Food Science & Technology, UAF. The detailed and other pre-requisites can be had from the Directorate of Procurement & Inventory Control (DPIC) during closing hours. The bids should reach in the Directorate within 5 days from the date of the publication of the Campus News. The bid money @ 2% of the quoted value must accompany the bid in favour of Director (P&IC), UAF.

AUCTION NOTICE

1. Crop Produce Charri Fodder 15-kanal at Sq. No. 30 will be sold by open auction at Postgraduate Agricultural Research Station (PARS) on 06-06-2014 at 11:00 am. The persons who are interested may come and bid. One third of the total price will be recovered on the spot, and the remaining amount will be received after the approval of competent authority.
2. Cotton Sticks 20 Kanal will be sold by open auction on 30-05-2014 at 10:30 am at Studetn's farm, Department of Agronomy, UAF. Interested persons may bid. One-third amount of the bid will be realized at the spot.
3. (i) Raddi 1000 Kgs (ii) Batten 150 Kgs (iii) Printing Plates 100 Kgs (iv) Ink box , Plastic cane and used blanket 1 Lot (v) Used Positive Films 10 Kgs, Unserviceable items of the Department of University Press, UAF will be publicly auctioned on 09-06-2014 at 9:00 A.M. in the University Press, UAF. The items can be seen in the office of University Press. All interested persons are invited to avail the opportunity. One third of the total amount of the bid will be realized at the spot. The remaining will be collected after the approval of the competent authority. Advance Tax @ 10% of the sale proceeds will be collected from the highest bidder and deposited in the Government Treasury through National Bank of Pakistan on Income Tax Challan.

یونیورسٹی ملازمین کو سرکاری نرخوں پر گندم کی آسان اقساط میں فروخت

جناب وائس چانسلر پروفیسر ڈاکٹر اقرار احمد خاں (ستارہ امتیاز) نے یونیورسٹی ملازمین کی سہولت کیلئے یونیورسٹی فارمز سے جمع کی گئی گندم کی سرکاری نرخوں پر آسان اقساط کی صورت میں فروخت کے طریقہ کار کی منظوری دے دی ہے۔ یونیورسٹی کے گریڈ ایک تا 15 ملازمین زیادہ سے زیادہ 15 من گندم 9 آسان اقساط جبکہ گریڈ 16 اور اس سے اوپر ملازمین چھ اقساط میں حاصل کر سکیں گے۔ خواہش مند ملازمین سے کہا گیا ہے کہ اپنی درخواستیں 31 مئی تک اپنی درخواستیں متعلقہ ڈائن ڈائریکٹر چیئر مین یا پرنسپل آفیسر کی وساطت سے جمع کروائیں۔ ڈائن ڈائریکٹر فارمز پر گندم کی صفائی کا اہتمام بھی کر دیا گیا ہے تاہم گندم کا وزن صفائی سے پہلے کر لیا جائے گا۔ خواہش مند ایڈ ہاک / کنٹریکٹ ملازمین کو گندم کی فراہمی ان کے انچارج چیئر مین کی تحریری گارنٹی سے مشروط ہوگی کہ اگر ایسے ملازمین کی تنخواہوں سے اقساط کی صورت میں ادا ہنگی نہ ہو سکی تو وہ اپنی جیب سے بقیہ رقم ادا کرنے کے پابند ہوں گے۔ مزید برآں جناب وائس چانسلر نے ڈائن ڈائریکٹر چیئر مینٹ ریسرچ سنٹر اور سب کمپنیز کے پرنسپل صاحبان اپنے زیر سایہ موجود گندم مذکورہ طریقہ کار کے مطابق فروخت کرنے کا اختیار دے دیا ہے۔

سمر کیمپ 2014

لیبارٹری گریڈ ہائیر سیکنڈری سکول زرعی یونیورسٹی فیصل آباد میں سمر کیمپ کا باقاعدہ آغاز 2 جون 2014 سے کیا جا رہا ہے۔ نصابی سرگرمیوں کے ساتھ ساتھ شاندار کورسز جن میں کمپیوٹر کورس، سپوکن انگلش، کیلی گرافی اور پینٹنگ ایک ایک ماہ کے لیے جبکہ کوکنگ کلاس، آرٹ اینڈ کرافٹ، کٹنگ اینڈ سیونگ اور سیلف گرومنگ اینڈ بیوٹی ٹیپس دودو ہفتے کے لیے کروائے جائیں گے۔ مزید تفصیلات کے لیے اس فون نمبر پر رابطہ

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