

PROF. DR. RAI NIAZ AHMAD DECORATED WITH ICID WATSAVE AWARD-2009

It is a matter of honor and pride for Pakistan as well as University of Agriculture Faisalabad that Prof. Dr. Rai Niaz Ahmad Director, Water Management Research Centre became 1st Pakistani who, in recognition of his meritorious services for agriculture in general and water conservation in particular decorated with ICID WATSAVE AWARD-2009 (A memento along with cash prize 2000 US dollars). The ceremony was held at headquarter of International Commission on Irrigation and Drainage (ICID) New Delhi, India during 60th International Executive Council (IEC) Meeting of ICID and 5th Asian Regional Conference on Irrigation & Drainage from December 06-11, 2009. ICID was established on June 24, 1950 as an elite scientific, technical and voluntary non-profit, non-governmental international organization which in addition to many other activities, awards the savings and water conservation in agriculture. Receiving of award by Prof. Dr. Niaz at this international forum of 107 countries is not only a recognition of his constant research efforts to save irrigation water and improve crop productivity, but also an honor for Pakistan and UAF. Appreciations also goes to various project funding agencies for providing research funds to promote raised bed technology in the country. Worthy Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Iqrar Ahmad Khan and President Pakistan Engineering Congress congratulated Prof. Dr. Rai Niaz Ahmad for winning ICID WATSAVE AWARD-2009 for his applied research to save a highly valued but scarce resource of water. In their message of appreciations, they said that it is not an honor and an acknowledgement of the hard work of an individual, but is in fact a matter of pride for the entire nation.



35th MEETING OF UNIVERSITY SENATE ON JANUARY 4, 2010

The 35th meeting of the Senate of the University of Agriculture Faisalabad will be held on January 4, 2010 at 10:00 am in the New Senate Hall of University. The worthy Governor/Chancellor, in exercise of the powers vested in him under section 11(2) read with Section 22(1)&(3) of the University of Agriculture Faisalabad Act, 1973 has nominated Prof. Dr. Iqrar Ahmad Khan Vice Chancellor to preside over the meeting of the Senate.

ASA ELECTIONS-2010 ON JANUARY 12 AND 13

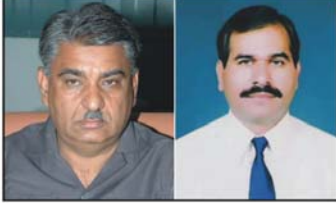
Annual elections for the Executive council of the Academic Staff Association for year 2010 (ASA, 2010) UAF will be held for the following officers (i) President (ii) Vice-President-I, Faisalabad Campus, (iii) Vice-President-II D.G. Khan Campus, (iv) Vice-President-III, Sub Campus TT Singh, (v) Vice-President-IV Depalpur (Okara) Campus, (vi) Secretary, (vii) Joint Secretary, (viii) Treasurer, (ix) Two Councilors from each Faculty/Division/ All Sub-Campuses, The Schedule of election will be as follow and all working will be done during the office hours as under: Last date for submission of nomination papers, on Jan, 01-2010 at 02:30 pm Scrutiny of nomination papers and display of eligible candidates on Jan 02-2010 at 12:30 pm. Withdrawal of nomination papers on Jan 05-2010 at 12:00 noon. Display of final list of eligible candidates on January 05-2010 at 12:30 pm Election at all three respective Sub-Campuses on Jan 12-2010 (Tuesday 9-11 am) and Election at UAF (STC) on Jan 13-2010 at (Wednesday 9-01 pm). All colleagues are expressed to cast their votes at their respective campuses, however, if anybody wants to cast his/her vote at any other campus, he/she must seek permission from the Election Commissioner before January 09-2010.

VICE CHANCELLORS' VISIT TO UC DAVIS

A dinner reception was held at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in Sacramento, California on Tuesday, November 17th, 2009 where the need for educational exchanges between Pakistan and the United States was highlighted, especially in the realm of agriculture as a delegation of four university Vice-Chancellors from Pakistan along with representatives from the Higher Education Commission Islamabad and Hiba Rahim from the Academy of Educational Development Washington DC visited the University of California at Davis and interacted with representatives of the community here. This delegation of heads of top agricultural universities visited the university campuses in America and USDA offices recently. The University of California, Davis hosted them on Nov. 16 and 17. A concluding agreement of cooperation between the American and Pakistan universities, with the Davis campus being projected as a major partner in this international relationship, was the desired goal here. The diversity of the participants was immediately noticed with members of the local media and academia dispersed widely within the Pakistani and local Muslim community. The Middle East/South Asia Studies Center, UC Davis was also well represented along with a surprise appearance of Hon. Syed Ibne Abbas, Consul General of Pakistan in Los Angeles. Local luminary Rashid Ahmad began the formal after-dinner program with a recitation from our holy book and then proceeded to give a brief background for this event. He called it "a dream come true event" and invited Dr. Larry N. Vanderhoef, Chancellor Emeritus, UC Davis, to say a few words. The Chancellor who had lead UC Davis UC Davis till June of this year said that he was looking forward to what happens after this visit. He said that unfortunately he had never been to Pakistan and would like to see it get out from under the shadow of the headlines. He said that there were lots of opportunities for American Pakistani cooperation. The Hon. Mariko Yamada, Member, California State Assembly from California's 8th District, who is always inclined to lend her support for a worthy cause as this one, said that the global voice of reason prevailed here. She added that the cause of education (in Pakistan) is more important today than it ever had been and that she was very pleased to join the group that night. Consul General Syed Ibne Abbas has to be one of the most popular people to hold that position in Los Angeles for quite some time. He expressed his gratitude to individuals in the local

NEW APPOINTMENTS

The Syndicate at its meeting held on 10-10-2009, in exercise of the powers vested in it under Paragraph 3(2)(a) of the First Statutes appended to the University of Agriculture Faisalabad Act, 1973 and on the recommendations of the Vice Chancellor has approved the appointments of Prof. Dr. Tanvir Ali, Chairman Department of Agri. Extension as Director Division of Education & Extension, and Prof. Dr. Muhammad Amjad as Director Institute of Horticultural Sciences for a period of three years w.e.f. 23-12-2009. They will hold the charge of their new assignments on 23-12-2009.



Pakistani community for this event and invited Chancellor Vanderhoef to visit Pakistan. He said that Pakistan's strategic location and its 170 million people in a region of 3 billion certainly made it crucial. "We have had an excellent relationship with the United States," he said. Reminding the audience of the extraordinary efforts by the US after the October 2005 earthquake in Pakistan in which over 75000 people perished, the Consul General said that the US Military flew missions around the clock to bring relief. He said that the hope was that through such people-to-people contact, the Pak-US relationship would remain on a firm footing. He added that Pakistan had been the most "Allied Ally" and also unfortunately the "Most Sanctioned Ally" and recently a "Non-NATO Ally" of the United States. He said that in spite of challenges this relationship was ready to move forward. The next speaker was Dr. James E. Hill, Associate Dean, College of Agriculture & Environmental Sciences, UC Davis, and the Principal Contact for this UCD-Pakistani Universities Cooperation. Dr. Hill spoke of his own trip to Pakistan, the hospitality of its people and the similarities between Pakistan and California. He also thanked the Pakistani community for supporting UC Davis. Nasir Sohail Kazmi associated with the Higher Education Commission spoke next about his NGO. He spoke of USAID funding various candidates within partner universities and that 60 people from 11 universities will undergo training. He expressed his happiness that the hospitality shown in Sacramento is as good as Lahore and Pashtun hospitality. He added that this delegation was going back with a lot of ideas on how to enhance this relationship. Vice-Chancellor Iqrar Ahmad Khan who is no stranger to California called the visit a homecoming of sorts. He said that there were opportunities opening up under the KL Bill and that award of scholarships to students from extremely impacted segments of Pakistani society, who have both an access and affordability problem, could help immensely. "I hope that this evening's event will create more support," he said. Vice-Chancellor Said Khan Khalil expressed high hopes after meeting with the UC Davis community. "Our problems are very severe," he said and that access was very low in higher education in his area (NWFP) and the quality of education could also improve with UC Davis helping out. He also thanked the organizers for such a wonderful evening. Vice-Chancellor Khalid Mahmood Khan next spoke of the focus and mission of the group, which was education. He said that universities in Pakistan were coming up and going global. He thanked Dr. Hill for arranging this interaction. He added that with the determination of the people and leaders, Pakistan will come out of this current problem. "If we educate the people, all these problems will go away," he said. He said that he appreciated the patience of the audience. "In Pakistan, nobody stays after dinner," he said (to add a little humor). Vice-Chancellor Abdul Quadir Mughal spoke of the encouragement provided by the cooperation with UC Davis. He said that some invitations to Pakistan had been accepted. "We need your help in technology, faculty development and curriculum," he said. He added that funding was a separate issue. He also joked about getting an American visa and thanked everyone for their participation in this event. Syed Mahmood Raza also addressed the gathering. He spoke of his difficulty in speaking after three Khans and one Mughal but he still did a fine job. He said that the HEC had developed a comprehensive program to bring up the universities in Pakistan. He added that in the past six years there had been quite a change in higher education efforts with several new universities opening up and a "sea change" in the thinking process. He also elaborated on the purpose of the visit. Hiba Rahim, Rashid Ahmad, Dr. Imran Khan and Prof. Sudipta Sen also spoke and added their South-Asian perspective (not always an easy task). Hiba spoke on building bridges through education while Rashid took everyone on a trip through memory lane focused on the Pakistani community in Sacramento and Imran spoke on the history of collaboration between UC Davis and Pakistan. Sen had spoken earlier about holding an Urdu poetry event at UC Davis focused on his his favorite poet, Faiz. Words of thanks are also in order for Bashir Choudry, Dr. Athar Tariq and Dr. Sajid Hussain for their assistance here. In conclusion this UC Davis International Agricultural Visitors Program could produce great benefit for the people of any developing country. Agriculture and water issues are very important for Pakistan and the hope is that more students from that country will be able to pursue higher education at UC Davis and that scholar and faculty exchanges and even joint research programs are on the cards in future.

THREE MORE PhD SCHOLARS PRODUCED BY THE UNIVERSITY

On the recommendations of the external examiners and after fulfilling the requirements, Muhammad Dildar Gogi S/o Abdul Hamid, Reg. No. 93-ag-1151, Department of Agricultural Entomology, Muhammad Abdul Shakoor S/o Lut Fullah, Reg. No. 85-ag-1234, Department of Plant Pathology and Saima Hafeez Khan D/o Shuja Ullah Khan, Reg. No. 97-ag-1366, National Institute of Food Science and Technology, have passed the final examination for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy-(2009). The Vice Chancellor is pleased to sanction their admission to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy. The titles of their thesis are "Mechanisms of resistance and management for melon fruit fly, *Bactrocera cucurbita* (Coquillett) (Diptera: Tephritidae) in bitter melon, *Momordica charantia*" A disease predictive model for chemotherapy of karnal bunt of wheat" and "Preparation and characterization of rice bran protein isolates for food application" respectively now the number of PhD club raised up to 746.

FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM OF MATSUMAE INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION (MIF) JAPAN FOR 2011

The Matsumae International Foundation (MIF) invites about 20 foreign researchers to Japan under the fellowship program of MIF. Through this program, MIF has so far granted research fellowships to 636 foreign researchers (mostly post doc) from 110 countries since 1980. The details of the fellowship program for 2011 along with application forms are available at: <http://www.mars.dti.ne.jp/~mif/> The deadline for submission of applications to the Foundation is August 31, 2010. There will be no financial liability on the part of HEC.

BETTER INCENTIVES FOR NON-TTS FACULTY

The Vice Chancellor has been pleased to approve the minutes of the meeting regarding better incentives for the Non-TTS faculty for the calendar year 2008. He very graciously has further approved 24-12-2009, as the last date for the receipt of applications. The application forms are available in the Office of the Prof. Dr. Muhammad Ashfaq (T.I) Convener, Batter Incentives for the Faculty Members located in the Department of Agri, Entomology.

SCHEDULE FOR THESIS SUBMISSION

All the postgraduate students who are likely to complete their thesis during winter semester 2009-10 are required to submit their semi final thesis upto February 5, 2009 and final to February 12, 2009. The E/20 forms of the students must be submitted before the submission of semi final thesis, otherwise their semi final thesis will not be accepted/entertained. However, all PhD scholars who have crossed the maximum limit of semesters (10/14) during spring semester 2008-09 will have to submit their final thesis upto December 12, 2009.

PRESENTATION OF PAPER

Dr. Faqir Muhammad Assistant Professor, Department of Physiology & Pharmacology will present his paper titled "Dermatotoxic effects of orally administered ciprofloxacin in sweating and non-sweating animal models" on 05-01-2010 at 11:00 am in the video conference room of UAF.

ICDD MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

The Vice Chancellor has been pleased to award the International Center for Development and Decent Work (ICDD) Merit Scholarship, University of Kassel, Germany for the Session 2009-10 to (i) Salha Maqbool, Reg. No. 2009-ag-575 CGPA 4.00 Soil Science. (ii) Farrukh Jalil S/o Jalil Ahmad, CGPA 4.00, Horticulture (iii) Muhammad Zulqarnain Reg. No. 2005-ag-1685 CGPA 3.98 Agronomy (iv) Umer Iftikhar Khan Reg. No. 2005-ag-1827 CGPA 3.95 PBG (v) Zayera Rashid, Reg. No. 2005-ag-2103 CGPA 3.75 Marketing & Agri. Business. (vi) Sadaf Mahmood, Reg. No. 2007-ag-151 CGPA 3.67 Rural Sociology (vii) Abdu-ur-Rehman Reg. No. 2005-ag-1163 CGPA 3.86 Animal Nutrition & Feed Technology, and (viii) Saira Sultan, D/o Sultan Muhammad Siddiqui CGPA 3.97 Food Technology/Dairy Technology.

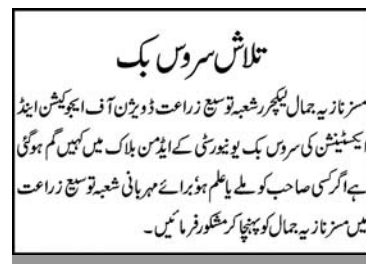
PLACEMENT OF PhD THESIS FOR PEER REVIEW

1. Yasir Nawaz Khan, Reg. No. 97-ag-2066, a PhD student of Department of Rural Sociology will place his PhD thesis entitled "Implications of Socio-Cultural Milieu of the Society of Male Reproductive Health Behaviour in Punjab, Pakistan." In the office of the Chairman, Department of Rural Sociology from the date of publication for one week. All interested are invited for comments/suggestions.
2. PhD thesis of Mr. Fazal-ur-Rehman, Reg. No. 2004-ag-234 will be placed in the office of the Chairman, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry for one week prior to its submission for foreign evaluation. The faculty and the students are invited to peruse the thesis for any suggestions/ corrections. The suggestions received if in order will be incorporated through the supervisory committee. All the staff members and students are welcome to read/consult the thesis.

3. PhD thesis of Ms. Affaf Khawar, Reg. No. 2004-ag-785 will be placed in the office of the Chairperson, Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry for one week prior to its submission for foreign evaluation. The faculty and the students are invited to peruse the thesis for any suggestions/ corrections. The suggestions received if in order will be incorporated through the supervisory committee. All the staff members and students are welcome to read/consult the thesis.
4. Mr. Azwar Raza Shah, Reg. No. 86-ag-1107, PhD student of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics has placed his PhD thesis entitle "Inheritance pattern of drought tolerance in cotton (*Gossypium hirsutum* L.)" in the office of the Chairman, Department of Plant Breeding & Genetics on 22-12-2009 for one week. The faculty and the students are invited to peruse the thesis for any suggestion/corrections.
5. Mr. Muhammad Faheem Khan, Reg. No. 85-ag-1526, PhD student of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics has placed his PhD thesis entitle "Genetics of drought Inheritance pattern of drought tolerance in cotton (*Gossypium hirsutum* L.)" in the office of the Chairman, Department of Plant Breeding & Genetics on 22-12-2009 for one week. The faculty and the students are invited to peruse the thesis for any suggestion/corrections.

PHD THESIS/SYNOPSIS DEFENCE

1. Mr. Sajid Nadeem Regd No. 89-ag-1229 a PhD student at Department of Agri. Entomology has successfully defended his PhD thesis entitled "Improvement in production and storage of *Trichogramma chilonis* (Ishii), *Chrysoperla carnea* (Stephens) and their hosts for effective field release against major insect pests of cotton" on 09-12-2009.
2. Mr. Munawar Ahmad Noor, Reg. No. 81-ag-605 has successfully defended his PhD thesis in video conference room on 16-12-2009. The title of his thesis was "Physiomorphological determination of Potato crop regulated by potassium management".
3. Mr. Muhammad Irfan Ashraf, has successfully defended his PhD thesis in video conference room on 15-12-2009 at 11:00 am. The title of his thesis was "Determination of agro-management practices for enhancing seed yield and quality in pea (*Pisum sativum* L.)".
4. Mr. Unsar Naeem Ullah, Reg. No. 87-ag-1130 a PhD student, of the Department of Agri. Entomology, has successfully defended his PhD research thesis on 14-12-2009 in the video conference room, UAF. The title of his thesis is "Spatio-temporal distribution of mosquitoes (Aedini: Culicidae: Diptera) from different Agro-ecological zones of the Punjab".
5. Mr. Tariq Aziz, Reg. No. 2002-ag-1452, a PhD student of the Department of Agronomy will defended his PhD synopsis on 24-12-2009 at 12:10 pm in the Department of Agronomy, UAF. The topic of his synopsis is "Studying the impact of thermal changes on wheat (*Triticum aestivum* L.) growth and phenology". All interested persons are invited to participate.
6. Mr. Muzzammal Iqbal Hashmi, Reg. No. 99-ag-1265, a PhD student of the Department of Agronomy will defend his PhD synopsis on 24-12-2009 at 12:10 pm in the Department of Agronomy, UAF. The topic of his synopsis is "Response of Forage Maize to Nutrient Levels and intercropping Techniques". All interested persons are invited to participate.
7. Miss Farzana Siddique, Reg. No. 97-ag-1374 a PhD student of the National Institute of Food Science & Technology has successfully defended her PhD thesis on 04-12-2009 at 08:00 am in the video conference room of UAF. The title of her thesis is "Studies on Agegelation and Sedimentation of UHT Processed Milk during Storage".
8. Mr. Muhammad Ashraf, Reg. No. 90-ag-287, a PhD student of the National Institute of Food Science & Technology, UAF will defend his PhD Synopsis on 13-01-2010 at 10:00 am in the conference room of the National Institute of Food Science & Technology. The title of his Synopsis is "Probing the health of garlic using rodent experimental modeling". All interested persons are cordially invited.
9. Thesis Defence of Miss Mahwish Asghar, Reg. No. 2003-ag-145 student of PhD Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry entitled "Utilization of Citrus Waste Biomass for Sorption of Reactive Dyes from Aqueous Solutions" will be held on 11-01-2010 at 11:00 am in Video Conference Room. All interested are invited to attend.
10. Synopsis Defence of Miss Naila Rafiq, Reg. No. 2004-ag-579 student of PhD Department of Chemistry & Biochemistry entitled "A study of Genetics Polymorphism of GSTM1 and GSTT1 in Health Individual and Leukemia Patients" will be held on 24-12-2009 at 12:10 pm in Biochemistry Laboratory. All interested are invited to attend.
11. Mr. Manzoor Hussain, Reg. No. 79-ag-280, PhD student of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics will defend his PhD thesis in Video Conference Room on 02-01-2010 at 10:00 am. All concerned are requested to make it convenient to attend and contribute for improving the thesis. The title of his thesis is "Genetic analysis of some plant traits In spring wheat under normal and late sown conditions".
12. Hafiz Bashir Ahmad, Reg. No. 96-ag-1455, PhD student of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics will defend his PhD synopsis in the Postgraduate Laboratory of the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics on 23-12-2009 at 1:00 pm as required under the rules. The title of his synopsis is "Genetics analysis for various quantitative traits in Linseed based on morphological and SSR markers". All the teachers and students concerned are requested to attend and contribute towards the improvement of the synopsis.
13. Miss Sadia Bibi, Reg. No. 2002-ag-1565, PhD student of the Institute of Soil & Environmental Sciences has successfully defended her synopsis at the University level on 16-12-2009 at 12:15 pm in Library of the Institute of Soil & Environmental Sciences. The title of her synopsis is "Effect of Tillage, Irrigation and Organic matter on the Mobility of Pesticides and Crop Growth".
14. Mr. Mahmood Zia Reg. No. 95-ag-937, PhD student, Department of Live Stock Management will defend his synopsis at the University level on 23-12-2009 at 10:30 am in the Faculty Conference Room. The title of his synopsis is "Effect of climate conditions & physical form of feed on growth performance, carcass composition and meat quality of male Beetal goat". All interested students and faculty members are invited to attend the Seminar.
15. Ms. Razia Kausar Reg. No. 94-ag-1511 student Dept. of Anatomy, Faculty of Veterinary Science, has successfully defended her PhD synopsis entitled "Morphological ultrasonographic and hormonal studies on reproductive activity of female dromedaries" on 16-12-2009 at 10:00 am in the Faculty Museum.
16. Mr. Abdul Rasul Awan, Reg. No. 89-ag-1028, Ph.D. student of the Department of Forestry will defend his Ph.D. synopsis in the Postgraduate Laboratory of this Department on 24.12.2009 at 11:00 a.m. as required under rules. The title of his synopsis is "Salt dynamics and productivity enhancement under alley cropping systems". All the teachers and students concerned are requested to attend and contribute towards the improvement of synopsis.
17. Mr. Javed Arif, Reg. No. 76-ag-534 a PhD student of Microbiology Department has successfully defended his PhD synopsis in the Faculty of Veterinary Sciences on 16-12-2009. The title of his synopsis was "Preparation and comparative evaluation of Anti-idiotypic vaccine against *Pasteurella multocida*".
18. Mr. Muhammad Ashraf, Reg. No. 93-ag-892, PhD student of the Department of Poultry Science, UAF will deliver a seminar in defence of his PhD synopsis on 30-12-2009 at 10:30 am in the conference room of the Faculty of Animal Husbandry. The title of his synopsis is "Identification of the Research Priorities and Problems Faced by Poultry Farming in the Punjab, Pakistan".
19. Miss Shakeela Parveen, Reg. No. 2002-ag-1165, a PhD student Department of Zoology & Fisheries will deliver a seminar in defence of her PhD synopsis entitled "Substitution of animal proteins with plant proteins fed to Indian major carps and their effect on growth and carcass composition" on 01-01-2010 at 10:00 am in the seminar room of the department. The members of her supervisory committee are requested to make it convenient to attend and evaluate. All interested are cordially invited.
20. Mr. Jhan Zeb, Reg. No. 2004-ag-449, a PhD student Department of Zoology & Fisheries will deliver a seminar in defence of his PhD synopsis entitled "Optimization of dietary protein level for major carps in semi intensive culture system" on 01-01-2010 at 11:00 am in the seminar room of the department. The members of his supervisory committee are requested to make it convenient to attend and evaluate. All interested are cordially invited.
21. Mr. Nasir Mukhtar Reg. No. 94-ag-1631, PhD student of the Institute of Animal Nutrition and Feed Technology will defend his thesis entitled "Growth performance, blood metabolites and carcass characteristics of Lohi male lambs raised under traditional and high input feeding regimens" on 24-12-2009 at 08:00 am in the Video Conference Hall, UAF. All interested are cordially invited to attend and contribute.




QUOTATIONS

1. Sealed quotations are invited from the Sales Tax Registered suppliers for the supply of different items for the program of Technology Transfer in research project entitled "Documentation of Traditional Agricultural Knowledge and Technologies in Punjab, Pakistan" sponsored by Endowment Fund (FDTPC), UAF. The quotations should reach in the office of the PI within 3 days after the publication of this notice. Detail specification can be seen in the office of the Co-P.I., Department of Parasitology, Faculty of Veterinary Science.
2. Sealed quotations are invited from the Sales Tax Registered suppliers for the supply of chemicals, glassware and consumable items in research project entitled "Documentation of Traditional Agricultural Knowledge and Technologies in Punjab, Pakistan" sponsored by Endowment Fund (FDTPC), UAF. The

quotations should reach in the office of the PI within 4 days after the publication of this notice. Detail specification can be seen in the office of the Co-P.I., Department of Parasitology.

3. Sealed quotations are invited from the Sales Tax Registered suppliers for the supply of furniture and fixture items in research project entitled "Documentation of Traditional Agricultural Knowledge and Technologies in Punjab, Pakistan" sponsored by Endowment Fund (FDTTPC), UAF. The quotations should reach in the office of the PI within 4 days after the publication of this notice. Detail specification can be seen in the office of the Co-P.I., Department of Parasitology, Faculty of Veterinary Science.
4. Sealed quotations are invited from sale tax registered firms for the purchase of one Computer with accessories and one LCD camera under the FDTTPC-Funded Project titled "Facilitation of the Demonstration of Different Technologies under UAF- Technology Park Project at Postgraduate Agricultural Research Station (PARS), UAF. Detail of the item can be seen in the office of the PI/Superintendent, (Amir Saeed Rana), PARS. Quotations, completed in all aspects, should reach in the Office of the Amir Saeed Rana PI/Superintendent within 5 days after the publication of this notice.
5. Sealed quotations are invited from sale tax registered firms for the purchase of weedicide for wheat during 2009-10 at Postgraduate Agricultural Research Station (PARS), UAF. Detail of the item can be seen in the office of the Superintendent, (Amir Saeed Rana), PARS. Quotations, completed in all aspects, should reach in the Office of the Amir Saeed Rana Superintendent within 5 days after the publication of this notice.
6. Sealed quotations are invited for the purchase of one deep freezer Rs. 35,000/-, one microwave oven Rs. 9,000/- and one tissue grinder Rs. 3,000/- from the fund available in the project funded by PSF P-AU/Bio-367. The quotations should reach in the office of Prof. Dr. Ifthikhar Hussain PI Department of Microbiology with in 5 days after the publication of this notice.
7. Sealed quotations are invited from the sales tax registered suppliers for the purchase of Chemicals/kits/glassware to the Supervisor HEC funded Indigenous PhD Fellowship of Mr. Hasseeb Anwar, Pin. No. 063-171172-Av3-079, Dept. of Physiology and Pharmacology. Quotations shall not be accepted. An earnest money @ 2% of the estimated cost Rs. 36,918/- in the shape of Bank Draft/Security receipt, deposited in the name of the Prof. Dr. Zia-ur-Rahman, Supervisor of HEC funded Indigenous PhD Fellowship Program. The rates should be given both in figures and words without any over writing. The quotations should reach in the office of the Prof. Dr. Zia-ur-Rahman, Supervisor, Department of Physiology and Pharmacology within 4 days after the publication of this notice. The list can be seen in the office of the Chairman during office hours.
8. Sealed quotations are invited for arranging a Farmer Field Day at Shahbaz Pur (Chak No. 60 J.B.) in the fourth week of December 2009 under the Endowment Funded Project entitled "A Rural and Peri-Urban Outreach Mastitis Control Program focusing on Transfer of Technologies Developed by UAF" being executed by the Department of Clinical Medicine and Surgery. The quotations should reach in the office of the PI Prof. Dr. Ghulam Muhammad within 3 days after the publication of this notice. The rates should be quoted both in words and figures. An earnest money of 2% should be attached with each quotation. The list can be seen in the Department during office hours.
9. Sealed quotations are invited from the sales tax registered suppliers for purchase of Lab apparatus, for PhD research of Mr. Muhammad Afzal under "Development of S and T manpower through Indigenous PhD scholarship HEC. The list of items may be seen in the office of PI Protein Molecular Biology Lab., Dept. of Chemistry and Biochemistry during office hours. The quotations should be reached within 3 days after the publication of this notice.
10. Sealed quotations are invited for the supply of chemicals and glassware. The list of chemicals can be seen in the office of the PI during the office hours. Quotations, should reach in the office of Dr. Hafiz Naeem Asghar Chaudhary, PI of Indigenous PhD Scholarship Scheme of HEC for Mr. Muhammad Iqbal Hussain Reg. No. 97-ag-1024, Institute of Soil & Environmental Sciences. Quotations must accompany CDRs equal to 2% of the estimated cost Rs. 64,000/- and should reach the office within 3 days after the publication of this notice.
11. Sealed quotations are invited from sale tax registered suppliers for the purchase of chemicals. Quotations should reach in the office of the PI/Supervisor of PhD student. Mr. M Abdul Qayyum, Reg. No. 2001-ag-2572 (D-138), Saline Agricultural research centre, Institute of Soil & Environmental Sciences, UAF within 4 days after the publication of this notice. Rates should be quoted in both figures and words clearly. Overwriting will not be accepted. An earnest money of 2% should be attached with quotation.
12. Quotations are invited from sale tax registered suppliers for the purchase of chemicals. Quotations should reach in the office of Principal Investigator "BIOSAFOR Project, UAF (D-138), under Saline Agriculture Research Centre, Institute of Soil & Environmental Sciences, UAF within 4 days after publication of this notice in the Campus News. Rates should be quoted both in figures and words clearly. An earnest money of 2% should be attached with quotations.
13. Sealed quotations are invited for the purchase of (i) Rice Polished 42 Monds, (ii) Maize Glutten (30%) 50 Monds, (iii) Cotton Seed Cake 52 monds, (iv) Dicalcium Phosphate 4 Monds, and (v) Common Salte 2 monds. The quotations should reach in the office of Directorate of Farms within three days after the publication of this notice in the Campus News. An earnest money @ 2% should be attached with quotation.
14. Sealed quotation are invited for the purchase of 130 bottles of Buctral Super (600 ml). The Quotations should reach in the office of Directorate of Farms within three days after the publication of this notice in the Camus News. An earnest money @ 2% should be attached with the quotations.



Study in the U.S. for a Year or Semester

Near East & South Asia Undergraduate Exchange (NESA) Program 2010

SUMMARY
Want to study in the U.S.? The United States Educational Foundation in Pakistan offers opportunities to study for a semester or a year. Students will receive academic credit but not a degree.

The program gives students a deeper understanding of the United States as well as giving U.S. students the opportunity to learn from their Pakistani counterparts.

Start Date: Fall 2010

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Pakistani citizens
- 25 years or younger
- Currently enrolled in a college or university and committed to returning to their home universities following the completion of the program
- Strong leadership qualities and potential in their university and community activities
- Serious interest in learning about the United States
- High level of academic achievement, as indicated in grades, awards and teacher recommendations

- Proficiency in English
- No U.S. travel experience and little or no study or travel experience outside of Pakistan

GRANT BENEFITS

The grant will fund international travel, domestic travel and ground transportation, tuition, housing and health insurance.

For more information, please contact the U.S. Educational Foundation in Pakistan Tel: 051 2877075/76 or visit our website: www.usefpakistan.org


TO APPLY

Download the application at www.usefpakistan.org. Complete application packages, including academic transcripts, letters of reference, must be received by 4:30 p.m. on January 4, 2010.

PLEASE NOTE

No dependents are allowed for any part of this program.

Women, minorities, persons from FATA, FANA and other remote areas, and persons with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply.



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PENALTIES IMPOSED

In exercise of powers vested in him under Regulation 17(a)(1),(4)&(5) of the UAF (Discipline & Conduct Regulations, 1978) and on the recommendations of Campus Advisory Committee, DSA is impose the following penalties upon Mr. Ashab Feryaz Ahmad Wahla, Reg. No. 2006-ag-1618, B.Sc. (Hons.) Agri., Food Science & Technology, 7th Semester (i) Fine Rs. 1000/- (ii) Placed on probation for rest of his stay in the University (iii) Censured. The fine must be deposited in the Account No. 7324-7, National Bank of Pakistan, UAF Branch within 10 days of the issuance of this Notification.

AUCTION NOTICE

1. Cotton Sticks in Sq. No. 19, 40-kanal, Paddy (Rice) 12000-kg, Mong 800-kg, and Mash 90-kg, will be sold by open auction at Postgraduate Agricultural Research Station (PARS) on 24-12-2009 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 paid after the approval of competent authority.
2. Crop produces (i) Sugarcane at Sq No. 29 , 14 Kanals (ii) Sugarcane at Sq. No. 26 08 kanals, and (iii) Carrot at Sq. No. 05 Garden, 16 Kanals will be sold by an open auction at Postgraduate Agricultural Research Stations (PARS) on 24-12-2009 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 the competent authority.
3. Open auction of Vehicles (i) FDK-8234 Mitsubishi Pickup Model 1986, (ii) FDC-2960 Toyota Jeep Model 1975 (iii) FDQ-7464 Mazda B-2200 Double Cabin Model 1993 (iv) FDJ-3699 Toyota Hilux Double Cabin Model 1987, (v) FDN-6312 Land Cruiser Jeep Model 1985, (vi) FDK-4307 Suzuki Bolan Van Model 1987, will be held on 29-12-2009 at 11:00 am at Motor Pool UAF. Vehicles can be seen at Motor Pool from 08:00 am to 03:00 pm on working days. Bidders will deposit Rs. 5,000/- for each vehicle and produced original CNIC for participation in the auction. The successful bidder will deposit 25% of total amount of the final bid on the same day and take away the vehicles after deposit of remaining amount in UAF income account No. 270-5/NBP after approval from the competent authority. Failing which the amount already deposited will be forfeited in favor of UAF. Taxes will be extra on the value of final bid as per Govt. rules if applicable. The competent authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bid(s) without assigning any reason. In case of any dispute between the bidder and UAF, the decision of the VC as Arbitrator shall be final, this shall not be challenged in any court of law.