

UNIVERSITY FESTIVAL (March 27-31, 2009)

President Azad Jamu and Kashmir Raja Zulqarnain Khan and Principal Officer US Consulate Lahore Mr. Bryan D. Hunt will attend the forthcoming university festival comprising Kisan Mela, Flower Show, National Horse and Cattle Show, Tent Pegging, Horse Dance, Sports, and cultural shows starting from 27 to 31st March 2009. According to details, Principal Officer US Consulate Lahore Mr. Bryan D. Hunt will be the chief guest on 28 March and inaugurate the Flower Show and Agri. Exhibition while President Azad Jammu and Kashmir Raja Zulqarnain Khan consented to be the chief guest on last day of the ceremony and distribute the prizes among winners of various categories of the event. Besides, Governor Punjab, federal and provincial secretaries and ministers, MNAs, MPAs and other dignitaries are invited to visit the festival. Five days long festival will be started 27th March with National Horse and Cattle Show at Horse Riding Ground, Village Aid Colony on 4 pm. On the same day a Mehfil-e-Melad would be held at Iqbal Auditorium with Prof. Abdul Rauf Roofi as main Na'at Khawan. On Saturday March 28, University Exhibition and Flower Show will be inaugurated on 10.00 am at CABB Lawn the 56th Annual Meet of Alumni Association UAF would be take place at Iqbal Auditorium on 11.30 am. Horse dance and tent pegging will be held at village aid colony on 3.00 pm followed by Mushaira and cultural show at Iqbal Auditorium on 9.00 pm in which baby Fariha the youngest classical singer will present her songs. On Sunday March 29, the guests will pay a visit to AARI from 9 to 11 am followed by seminar "The Changing Face of Agriculture" at Iqbal Auditorium on 11.30 am. On Monday March 30, Main function of Kisan Mela will be held at Iqbal Auditorium on 11 am followed by a technical session comprising extension papers on cotton, rice and sugarcane production technologies, livestock management and water management scheduled to be held at same hall on 12.40 pm. On Tuesday March 31, world water day will be celebrated at Iqbal Auditorium on 10.30 am followed by Kabaddi Match at Horse Riding Ground on 1.00 am. Tent pegging, horse dance and cultural show will remain continue through out the festival. All faculty members are asked to attend all programs of the festival.

SITUATION VACANT

Applications are invited from Pakistani Nationals who are not married to a foreign national, on the prescribed form obtainable free of cost on any working days during office hours from the office of the Registrar (Personnel Section) for the one post of Research Fellow @ a consolidated pay of Rs. 13,000/- pm in the PSF funded Research Project entitled "preparation of an in vitro- passaged live attenuated hydro-pericardium syndrome virus (local isolates) vaccine" being run by Professor Dr. Iftikhar Hussain, Department of Microbiology, for making appointment on temporary basis, with the following qualification:- "M.Sc (Hons)/M.Phil in relevant field with CGPA-3.00 (B). Only one copy of the application is required with attested copies of certificates, testimonials, detailed marks certificate and transcripts. The University reserves the right not to fill the vacancy without assigning any reason. Persons already employed in any Government or other organizations should submit their applications through proper channel. Advance copies may, however, be sent to save time. The requisite No Objections Certificate from present employer must reach in the Office of the Registrar (Personnel Section) before or on the last date for receipt of application, failing which such candidates will not be allowed to appear for interview. Incomplete applications or those received after the due date will not be entertained. The applications should reach the office of the Registrar (Personnel Section) by 31.3.2009 during office hours.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE OUT OF "STUDENTS SUPPORT SCHOLARSHIP"

Students Support Scholarship is available for the Undergraduate and Postgraduate students of the University. The students who honestly consider themselves deserving can apply to their respective Tutors in case of undergraduate and Chairmen in case of Postgraduate students up to 15-04-2009. The application forms can be collected from the

office of the Director Students Affairs during office hours. The university students availing any other scholarship or admitted on self finance program are not eligible for the said scholarship.

REVISED SCHEDULE FOR LECTURES BY THE FACULTY ON TENURE TRACK SYSTEM THROUGH VIDEO CONFERENCING (PHASE-II)

Name of the Speaker	Department	Lecture to be Delivered on	Topic of the Lecture
Professors Dr. Faqir Muhammad Anjum	National Inst. of Food Sci & Technology	18.06.09 11:00 am	Grain hardness in relation to wheat quality.
Dr. Muhammad Sajjad Khan	Animal Breeding & Genetics	25.06.2009 11:00 am	Animal Genetic Resources Issues of Conservation and Development.
Assistant Professors Dr. Sultan Habibullah Khan	Plant Breeding and Genetics	02.07.2009 11:00 am	Application of association mapping to breed unused natural variation to crop plants.
Dr. Mahr-un-Nisa	Animal Nutrition & Feed Technology	09.07.2009 11:00 am	Rumen Degradable to Ungradable Protein Ratio: A Practical Nutritional Strategy to Enhance Ruminant Animal Productivity
Dr. Shaukat Ali Bhatti	Animal Nutrition & Feed Technology	16.07.2009 11:00 am	Effect of Early Feeding Regimes on Health and Growth Performance in Sahimwal Calves During Weaning Period.
Dr. M. Asif Shahzad	Animal Nutrition & Feed Technology	23.07.2009 11:00 am	Mineral Manipulation: A Nutritional Tool to Enhance Buffalo Productivity.
Dr. Faqir Muhammad	Physiology and Pharmacology	30.07.2009	Xenobiotic Residue Avoidance in Food Animals
Dr. Muhammad Shahid Mahmood	Microbiology	06.08.2009 11:00 am	Advances in vaccine research against infectious bursal disease in Pakistan.
Dr. Muhamamd Shahid	Chemistry & Biochemistry	13.08.2009 11:00 am	Bioactive Peptides/Proteins from Medicinal Plants.
Dr. Muhammad Anjum Zia	Chemistry & Biochemistry	20.08.2009 11:00 am	Enhanced Production of Enzymes.
Dr. Zahed Mehmood	Chemistry & Biochemistry	27.08.2009 11:00 am	Molecular Heterogeneity of Beta-Thalassemia in Pakistan
Dr. Tariq Aziz	UAF Sub Campus Depalpur, Okara	03.09.2009	Plant characteristics responsible for efficient phosphorus uptake and utilization.
Dr. Atif Riaz	Horticultural Science	10.09.2009 11:00 am	Community participation in urban planning and landscape.
Dr. Muhammad Usman	Horticultural Science	17.09.2009 11:00 am	Ploidy manipulation: A promising track towards horticultural crop improvement.
Dr. Muhamamd Farooq	Agronomy	24.09.2009 11:00 am	Strategies for producing more rice with less water.

Note: If on any of the dates given in the above schedule is an official holiday, the Lecture will be delivered on the next working day.

QUALITY OF THESIS/SYNOPSIS: SUGGESTIONS INVITED

Convener Quality Assurance Committee, Professor Dr. Anwar-ul-Hassan, Director Institute of Soil & Environmental Sciences has invited suggestions from the faculty and students to improve the quality of theses/synopses being submitted by our postgraduate students of the university. Suggestions may be given in person, telephonically (2914) or in written form to him during office hours by March 30, 2009.

PHD THESIS PLACED AT DIRECTOR GENERAL OFFICE FOR SUGGESTIONS/CORRECTIONS

Reference postgraduate prospectus (G.S.7) thesis examination part (d)58(IV), PhD thesis of Omer Mukhtar, Regd. No. 92-ag-1273 will be placed in the office of the Director General, National Institute of Food Science & Technology for one week w.e.f. 26.03.2009. The title of thesis is "Development, characterization and shelf life optimization of nutrient dense prototype food bar". All interested are invited for favorable suggestions.

PHD THESIS/SYNOPSIS DEFENCE

1. Mr. Syed Ehtisham-ul-Haque, Reg. No. 96-ag-1231 a PhD student in the Dept. of Microbiology has successfully defended his PhD thesis entitled "Diagnostic and molecular epidemiological investigations of Mycoplasma gallisepticum and Mycoplasma synoviae in poultry" on 19-03-09 in the Vet. Faculty Museum.
2. Mr. Jamshaid Iqbal, Reg. No. 90-ag-1099 a PhD student in the Dept. of Agri. Entomology has successfully defended his PhD thesis entitled "Sustainable management of Amrasca biguttula (Ishida) (Homoptera: Cicadellidae) on Okra, Abelmoschus esculentus (L.) in Punjab, Pakistan" on 20-03-2009.
3. Mr. Muhammad Amir, Reg. No. 2002-ag-1530 a PhD student in the Dept. of Agronomy will defend his PhD synopsis on 26-03-2009 at 01:15 p.m. in the Dept. of Agronomy UAF. The title of his PhD synopsis is "system of Rice intensification: Potential for improving growth and yield of rice in Pakistan". All interested persons are invited to participate.
4. Mr. Bilal Aslam, Reg. No. 2001-ag-551 a PhD student in the Dept. of Microbiology has successfully defended his PhD synopsis entitled "Isolation, Molecular characterization and Immunoprophylaxis of borrelia anserina" held on 28-01-2009.

5. Mr. Omer Mukhtar, Reg. No. 92-ag-1273 a PhD student in the National Inst. of Food Science & Tech. has successfully defended his PhD thesis at University level on 21-03-2009. The title of his thesis is "Development, characterization and shelf life optimization of nutrient dense prototype food bar".
6. Mr. Muhammad Mubeen, Reg. No. 2000-ag-503 a PhD student in the Dept. of Agronomy will defend his PhD synopsis on 26-03-2009 at 01:45 p.m. in the Dept. of Agronomy UAF. The title of his synopsis is "Simulation of irrigation dynamics and scheduling of Autumn-sown Maize using CERES-Maize model". All interested persons are invited to participate.
7. Mr. Amir Hussain, Reg. No. 84-ag-143 a PhD student in the Inst. of Soil & Environmental Sciences will defend his thesis in a seminar at the University level on 02-04-2009 at 11:45 a.m. in the Library of the Inst. of the Soil & Environmental Sciences. The title of his thesis is "Accumulation and portioning of cadmium, zinc and copper in cereal and legume crops under city effluent irrigation and phosphorus application". All the Faculty members are requested to attend the presentation.
8. Mr. Muhammad Saqib Randhawa, Reg. No. 94-ag-1156 a PhD student in the Dept. of Agronomy will defend his PhD synopsis on 02-04-2009 at 01:45 p.m. in the Dept. of Agronomy UAF. The title of his synopsis is "Effect of integrated plant nutrition and irrigation scheduling on the growth, yield and radiation use efficiency of hybrid maize (*Zea mays L.*)". All interested persons are invited to participate.

QUOTATIONS

1. Sealed quotations are invited from sales tax registered firms for the purchase of chemicals/media/conjugates/enzymes, worth of Rs. 75,000/-, in PSF-funded research project No. Bio(367). The quotations should reach the office of Dr. Iftikhar Hussain, PI, Department of Microbiology within seven days of this publication. The list can be seen in the office of the PI during office hours.
2. Sealed quotations are invited from sale tax registered supplier for the purchase of chemicals to the Principal Investigator of "FDTTPC" funded Project entitled "Demonstration of Multi-Nutrients Foliar Feeding Technology for Sustainable Crop Production" Institute of Soil & Environmental Sciences, University of Agriculture, Faisalabad. Quotations with cutting/over writing shall not be accepted. An earnest money at the rate of 2% of estimated cost (Rs. 65,000/-) in the shape of Bank Draft/Security Receipt, deposited in the name of Dr. Muhammad Yaseen should accompany the quotations. Quotations under sealed cover should reach to the Principal Investigator (Dr. Muhammad Yaseen), Institute of Soil & Environmental Sciences within three days after its publication in the Campus News. Details can be discussed with the Principal Investigator within office hours.
3. Sealed quotations are invited from sales tax registered firms for the purchase of chemicals and Glassware's. The quotations should reach in the office of Dr. Nazir Javed, Chairman Department of Plant Pathology, University of Agriculture, Faisalabad within three days after the publication of this notice in the Campus News. The list of chemicals and Glassware's can be seen in the Chairman Office during office hours. A CDR amounting 2% of the quotation should also accompany with the quotation.
4. Sealed quotations are invited for the purchase of Tent Pegging & Handball, Volleyball, Sports misc Items etc. The detailed information can be got from the Sports Directorate during office hours. Quotations should reach in the office of the Directorate of Sports within 3 days after publication of this notice in the Campus News. Rates should be quoted in both figures and words clearly, cutting and overwriting will not be accepted.
5. Sealed quotations are invited for the purchase of Sports misc Items/souvenirs etc in connection with the old Boys Gathering, 2009. The detailed information can be got from the Sports Directorate during office hours. Quotations should reach in the office of the Directorate of Sports within 3 days after publication of this notice in the Campus News. Rates should be quoted in both figures and words clearly, cutting and overwriting will not be accepted.
6. Sealed quotations are invited from Sales Tax and NTN registered suppliers for the purchase of chemicals (MP/Sigma) to the PI of HEC funded indigenous PhD fellowship program of Miss Nusrat Perveen, Department of Botany. An earnest money at the rate of 2% of the estimated cost of Rs.56000/- in the shape of Bank Draft/Security receipt, deposited in the name of the Prof. Dr. Muhammad Ashraf. Principal Investigator/Supervisor should accompany the quotations. Quotations under sealed cover should reach to the PI., Department of Botany with in three days after its publication in the Campus News. The list can be seen in the office of the Botany Department during office hours.
7. Sealed quotations are invited for the hire of furniture etc. in connection with the old Boys Gathering, 2009. The detailed information can be got from the Sports Directorate during office hours. Quotations should reach in the office of the Directorate of Sports within 3 days after publication of this notice in the Campus News. Rates should be quoted in both figures and word clearly, cutting and overwriting will not be accepted.
8. Sealed quotations are invited from the sales tax registered suppliers for the supply of chemicals, glassware and consumable items to be used in the research project entitled "Epidemiology of parasitic Fauna of domestic animals of Tehsil T.T. Singh" sponsored by FDTTPC Endowment Fund UAF. The quotations should reach in the PI office within 3 days after the publication of this notice. List can be seen in the Office of the PI Dept. of Parasitology.
9. Sealed quotations are invited from sales tax registered suppliers for the supply of chemicals, glassware, consumable items & battery (NL-145). The quotations should reach in the office of the Chairman Dept. of Parasitology within 3 days after the publication of this notice. Quotations supported with bank draft equal to 2% of the estimated cost as earnest money. Details can be seen in the office of the Chairman.
10. Quotations are invited from sales tax registered suppliers for the purchase of chemicals to be PI of the HEC M.S/M.Phil leading to Ph D Scholarship awardee(s) for M. Sc. Research of Miss Bushra Talat, Reg. No. 2003-ag-1612 under the indigenous 5000 Ph D fellowship Scheme Batch-IV, Inst. of Soil & Environmental Sciences, UAF. Quotations with cutting/overwriting shall not be accepted. Rates must be quoted without any terms and conditions. An earnest money @ of 2% of estimated cost (Rs. 75,000/-) in the shape of Call deposit/Bank Draft/Security receipt deposited in the name of the Dr. Anwar-ul-Hassan should accompany the quotations. Quotations under sealed cover should reach to the PI (Prof. Dr. Anwar-ul-Hassan), Inst. of Soil & Environmental Sciences within 5 days after the publication of this notice. Details can be discussed with the PI within office hours.
11. Sealed quotations are invited from sales tax registered firms for the purchase of glassware/plasticware (Rs. 60000/-), one twelve channel pipette man (Rs. 60000/-), one microwave oven (Rs. 9000/-), one deep freezer (Rs. 35000/-) and one tissue grinder (Rs. 3000/-). Quotations complete in all respects should reach in the office of Dr. Iftikhar Hussain, PI, PSF project No. P-AU/Bio (367), Dept. of Microbiology within 5 days after the publication of this notice. List and samples can be seen in the office of the Prof. Dr. Iftikhar Hussain, PI during office hours.
12. Sealed quotations are invited from the registered contractors for the purchase/preparation of computer tables and chairs (Metal with foam seat) by the PI, FDTTPC project, Inst. of Soil & Environmental Sciences, UAF. The rates should be given both in figures and words without any overwriting and quotations should be accompanied with a deposit call @

2% of the estimated cost as earnest money. The quotations must reach in the office of the PI (Dr. Ghulam Murtaza) of the project within 5 days after the publication of this notice.

13. Sealed quotations are invited for the supply of chemicals/glassware. The details can be checked with the PI during office hours. Quotations should reach in the office of Dr. Anwar-ul-Hassan, PI of the project under indigenous PhD scholarship Scheme of HEC for Mr. Muhammad Tahir, (Reg. No. 2000-ag-1473), Inst. of Soil & environmental Sciences. Quotations must accompany CDRs equal to 2% of the estimated cost (Rs. 38,000/-) and should reach the office of the PI within 3 days after the publication of this notice.
14. Sealed quotations are invited for the purchase of Chemicals under the indigenous scholarship from HEC Islamabad for PhD studies of Raja Ghulam Muhammad Hur. Quotations should reach in the office of the PI, Dept. Crop Physiology UAF within 3 days after the publication of this notice. List can be seen in the office during office hours.
15. Sealed quotations from sales tax registered suppliers are invited for the purchase of following chemicals under the project On Farm Research and Development Component (Part-B). Quotations should reach in the office of the Director, Water Management Research Centre (Project Director of the project) within three days of the publication of this notice in the Campus News. An earnest money @ 2% of the estimated cost in the shape of bank draft deposited in the name of the Director, WMRC, accompanied with the quotations. Rates should be quoted both in figures and words. No cutting/overwriting will be accepted. List of items can be seen from office of the Director WMRC during office hours

AUCTION NOTICE

1. Farm produce Square No. 16 Block No. 12 Area 8 Kanal Sugarcane will be sold by open auction on 26-03-2009 at 11:00 am at Student's Farm, Department of Agronomy, University of Agriculture, Faisalabad. Interested persons may bid. One-third amount of the bid will be realized at the spot.
2. An Open auction will be held at Director Farms on 02.04.2009 at 10.00 am. Interested bidders one requested to 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. Detail is as under (i) Super Paddy 3520 KG (ii) Mixture Paddy 680 KG (iii) Sunflower 68 KG (iv) Soyabean 35 KG (v) Moongbeen 60 KG, and (vi) Masoor 87 KG.
3. The Raddi (Paper wastage), Baton Paper, Ink Tin (Empty) will be open re-auction on 30.03.2009 at 10:00 am in the University Press. 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. List of items can be seen in the office of the University Press any working day during office hours.

یونیورسٹی میں مختصر المیعاد کورسز کا آغاز

شعبہ کانٹی نیوننگ ایجوکیشن کے زیر اہتمام مختصر المیعاد کورسز کا آغاز ذیل میں دیئے گوشوارے کے مطابق ہو رہا ہے۔ خواہشمند امیدوار سادہ کاغذ پر درخواستیں ڈائریکٹر ادارہ تعلیم و توسیع کے نام لکھ کر شعبہ کانٹی نیوننگ ایجوکیشن کے دفتر میں مقررہ تاریخ تک جمع کروادیں

نمبر شمار	نام کورس	شعبہ انسٹیٹیوٹ	آغاز کورس	درخواست وصول کرنے کی آخری تاریخ	دورانیہ	تعلیمی معیار	تعلیمی فیس	داخلہ فیس
1	شہد کی مکھیاں پالنا	انٹو مالوجی	07-04-09	30-03-09	ایک ماہ	لکھ پڑھ سکتا ہو	20 روپے	20 روپے
2	پانی کی کواٹھی برائے زراعت	سائل سائنس	08-04-09	31-03-09	دو ہفتے	میٹرک	20 روپے	20 روپے
3	شہیپ ہسبنڈری برائے ٹیکنیشنز	لائبو سٹاک مینجمنٹ	14-04-09	01-04-09	تین ماہ	ویٹرنری اینڈ اینیمل ہسبنڈری پروفیشن کے لوگ	60 روپے	20 روپے
4	لیب اسٹنٹ	کیمسٹری	20-04-09	04-04-09	تین ماہ	لیبارٹری انٹرنٹ کورس پاس کیا ہو	60 روپے	20 روپے

ڈائریکٹوریٹ آف سپورٹس میں متفرق سامان کا نیلام عام

ہر خاص و عام کو مطلع کیا جاتا ہے کہ ڈائریکٹوریٹ آف سپورٹس میں متفرق سامان 'جہاں ہے جیسے ہے' کی بنیاد پر 17 اپریل 2009ء صبح دس بجے دن نیلام عام کیا جائے گا۔ خواہش مند احباب کو نیلامی میں شرکت کی دعوت دی جاتی ہے۔ کامیاب بولی دہندہ کو کل رقم کا 1/2 حصہ موقع پر جمع کروانا ہوگا جبکہ بقیہ رقم حتمی منظوری کے بعد وصول کی جائے گی۔ سامان کی تفصیل دفتری اوقات کار کے دوران ملاحظہ کی جاسکتی ہے۔

شعبہ ایگرائنومی کے سابق چیئرمین ڈاکٹر شمشاد حسین شاہ کا سانحہ ارتحال

مرحوم کوئٹنگڑوں سوگواروں کی موجودگی میں ہریاں والا چوک پیپلز کالونی (بوستان زہرا) کے نواحی قبرستان میں سپرد خاک کر دیا گیا کیمپس پر یہ خبر انتہائی دکھ اور افسوس کے ساتھ پڑھی اور سنی جائے گی کہ شعبہ ایگرائنومی کے سابق چیئرمین پروفیسر ڈاکٹر شمشاد حسین شاہ ہفتہ کی شب قضائے الہی سے انتقال فرما گئے تھے۔ ان اللہ وانا الیہ راجعون۔ مرحوم کوئٹنگڑوں سوگواروں کی موجودگی میں ہریاں والا چوک پیپلز کالونی (بوستان زہرا) کے نواحی قبرستان میں سپرد خاک کر دیا گیا۔ مرحوم نے بیوہ سمیت چار بیٹیاں اور ایک بیٹا سوگوار چھوڑا ہے۔ شعبہ پی آر پی ڈاکٹر شمشاد حسین شاہ کے پسماندگان کے غم میں برابر کا شریک ہے اور مرحوم کی بلندی درجات و مغفرت کیلئے دعا گو ہے۔