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THE APPLICATION FORM**



University of Horticultural Sciences, Bagalkot

Udyanagiri, Navanagar, Bagalkot-587104 Karnataka, India

Website: www.uhsbagalkot.edu.in

PROSPECTUS OF PG DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES 2017-18

- 1) Post Graduate Diploma in Viticulture and Oenology
- 2) Post Graduate Diploma in Postharvest Technology of Horticultural Crops

IMPORTANT DATES

Sl.No.	Particulars	Date
1.	Notification of Post Graduate applications on University Website	07.09.2017
2.	Last date for receipt of filled-in Application Forms at Registrar's Office	03.10.2017
3.	Scrutiny of Applications	06.10.2017
4.	Announcement of Provisionally selected student list on university website	11.10.2017
5.	Announcement of Second round selected list on University website	14.10.2017
6.	Commencement of 1 st semester	16.10.2017

Post graduate Diploma Notification, Prospectus, Application Form and Bank Challan are available on university website www.uhsbagalkot.edu.in

LAST DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF FILLED IN APPLICATION: 03.10.2017 AT
REGISTRAR OFFICE, University of Horticultural Sciences, Udyanagiri, Navanagar,
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Warning on Ragging

Ragging is a Cognizable Offence. If a student is found indulging in any form of ragging, he/she will be expelled from the college in addition to initiating legal proceedings.

INTRODUCTION

The Government of Karnataka established the University of Horticultural Sciences (UHS) at Bagalkot during the year 2008 to serve the farming community. This is the third Horticultural University in the country. The university has nine constituent colleges situated in different parts of Karnataka. The university has tri-fold functions of Teaching, Research and Extension in the field of Horticulture and Allied Sciences.

Horticulture has been recognized as triple security source namely food, health, income and employment all over the world. Incorporation of fruits and vegetables in daily diet has been recognized as the only answer to address the issues of under nutrition and mal-nutrition especially among the children and women all over the world. Apart from this, horticulture is playing a major role in improving the income of the farmer and to ensure higher employment days for the family members of farming community.

Advances in Biological Sciences and Information and Communication Technologies provide unprecedented opportunities for the scientific community to take collective action for combating poverty and malnutrition. Many organizations and agencies are already involved in horticultural research and education globally to develop horticultural technologies and programs that will increase economic opportunities and food security for the poor. Globalization, trade liberalization and changes in consumer demand are creating new market opportunities for farmers and landless labourers especially through horticultural systems in the tropics and subtropics. Thus the younger generation is attracted towards Horticulture education considering the ample employment opportunities.

MANDATE

- ◆ Imparting education in different disciplines of Horticulture
- ◆ Conducting research on crops of Horticulture and allied crops.
- ◆ Undertaking the required extension activities for the benefit of the farming community
- ◆ Such other purposes as the State Government may, by notification publish in the Official Gazette.

MISSION

The mission of the University is to provide leadership in teaching, research and extension related to horticulture and allied sciences. The University has been making efforts to keep pace with

new frontiers of science and contemporary developments to be socially, economically and technically relevant. The University is strongly committed to develop the needed excellent man power and useful technologies and their dissemination to reach the farming community of the state, in general and country in particular.

One of the mandates of the University is to impart higher education in Horticulture for creating and developing human resources for overall Horticultural development of the country in general and State in particular. The Post Graduate programme leading to Master's and Ph.D. degrees are offered under University of Horticultural Sciences, Bagalkot at its various constituent colleges. Considering the rising importance of wine in view of its beneficial effects on health, it has been felt necessary to impart necessary hands-on-training in the field of viticulture and oenology & Postharvest Technology of Horticultural Crops. This enables the interested graduates in science, empower themselves to become an entrepreneur and get employment in needy firms/wineries/viticulture gardens/MNCs etc.

FACILITIES AT COLLEGE OF HORTICULTURE, BAGALKOT FOR PG DIPLOMA IN VITICULTURE AND OENOLOGY

The College of Horticulture is located in Bagalkot, a relatively new district carved out from the Vijayapur District, was once the heartland of the empire of the Badami Chalukyas (540 to 753 A.D.). The districts of Bagalkot and Vijayapur are known as 'Horticulture Districts' in view of the importance given to horticulture crops. These two districts are known for grape cultivation and there are half a dozen wineries situated in North Karnataka. The UHS Bagalkot at main campus has qualified and experienced faculty to handle the courses in this PG Diploma programme. There are library, computer and internet facilities for imparting quality education. The University has a well established grape orchards and well equipped laboratories to train the students in various aspects of viticulture and oenology.

FACILITIES AT COLLEGE OF HORTICULTURE, BENGALURU FOR PG DIPLOMA IN POSTHARVEST TECHNOLOGY OF HORTICULTURAL CROPS

The College of Horticulture, Bengaluru is located on the western side of the GKVK campus. The centre is having well experienced faculties and has a well equipped processing and quality control laboratories. The Postharvest technology Department is also strengthened through acquiring state-of-the art equipment utilizing the funds from the Mission Director-National Mission on Food Processing (NMFP) and Director of Agriculture, Department of Agriculture, Sheshadri Road,

Bengaluru under the Scheme for Human Resource Development (NMFP) in the field of Postharvest Technology of Horticultural Crops.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION

- The candidate should possess a Degree in B.Sc. Horticulture / Agriculture / Agri. Engineering / Food Science and Technology / Home Science or **any Science graduation** from a recognized University / Institutions.

DURATION OF DIPLOMA PROGRAMME AND MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION:

A minimum of one academic year (2 Semesters) shall ordinarily be required for the completion of course work and project preparation and examinations leading to the award of Post Graduate Diploma. The medium of instruction will be English.

INTAKE CAPACITY AND LOCATION OF THE PG DIPLOMA PROGRAMME:

SI No	PG Diploma	Intake Number	Course to be offered at
1	Viticulture and Oenology	15	College of Horticulture, Bagalkot Navanagar, Udyanagiri, Bagalkot
2	Postharvest Technology of Horticulture Crops	25	College of Horticulture, UHS Campus GKVK Post, Bengaluru -560065

A minimum of 10 candidates for each Viticulture and Oenology and Postharvest Technology of Horticultural Crops are required to start the programme in respective year of admission.

MODE OF ADMISSION

- The seats allotment will be made based on the merit of the qualifying examination marks.
- The seats are reserved as per the Government Roster Order.
- The candidates selected shall pay the prescribed fee immediately, in the form of **Cash** during the registration at the respective allotted college, failing which the seat will be allotted to the next candidate in the merit list.

RESERVATION OF SEATS

- a) Reservation of seats in favour of candidates belonging to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes, Other Backward Classes and HK (Hyderabad Karnataka) will be in accordance with the reservation policy stipulated by the Government of Karnataka from time to time as decided by admission committee.

- b) If seats belonging to any of the Categories referred to above are not filled due to non-availability of eligible candidates, the reservation to that extent shall stand reduced and shall be transferred to the General Merit category as per the G.O. No. ED/47/TEC/97 dated 3.5.97.

REGISTRATION

The candidates admitted to the Diploma programme, shall report to their respective college Dean, and complete all the prescribed formalities of Registration within the stipulated period.

III. FEES

TABLE No. 1. Fee for both PG Diploma Programme

The following fees are payable by the provisionally selected candidates for PG Diploma Programme at the time of admission to the first semester and subsequent semesters.

Sl. No.	Particulars	I Semester			II Semester		
		GM	SC/ST with Annual Income Limit		GM	SC/ST with Annual Income Limit	
			Rs. 0 to 2.5 lakh	Rs. 2.5 lakh to 10 lakh		Rs. 0 to 2.5 lakh	Rs. 2.5 lakh to 10 lakh
1	Admission fee	2750	*2750	**1375	--	--	--
2	Registration	950	*950	**475	950	*950	**475
3	Tuition fee	2500	*2500	**1250	2500	*2500	**1250
4	Laboratory fee	2100	*2100	2100	2100	*2100	2100
5	Library fee	1250	*1250	1250	1250	*1250	1250
6	Sports fee	500	*500	*500	500	500	500
7	Academic information and Regulation Booklet fee	600	600	600	--	--	--
8	Magazine fee	600	600	600	--	--	--
9	Medical fee	400	*400	400	400	400	400
10	Association/Club fee	400	400	400	400	400	400
11	Caution Money (Refundable)	4000	4000	4000	--	--	--
12	Examination fee	1750	*1750	**875	1750	*1750	**875
13	Tour	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000	2000
14	Documentation fee	450	450	450	450	450	450
15	Horticulture Knowledge centre(HKC) fee	350	350	350	350	350	350
16	Identification card fee	100	100	100	100	100	100
17	Indian Youth Red Cross Society	50	50	50	50	50	50
18	Institutional Infrastructure fee	2275	2275	2275	2275	2275	2275
Fees to be paid by GM/Others students		23025	-	-	15075	-	-
Fees to be paid by SC/ST students			10825	18550	-	6525	12475
*Fees to be reimbursed from Social Welfare Department			12200	-	-	8550	-
** Fees to be reimbursed/adjusted from respective Farm Universities.			-	4475	-	-	2600

Note: SC/ST fee structure is formulated in accordance with Govt. Order No ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಸಕಇ/178/ಪಕವಿ/2015,
ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು ದಿ:31.12.2015

* / ** Other fees of maximum Rs. 500/- is debited from Sports fee of 1st semester in respect of SC/ST students.

1. All fees indicated in the prospectus are subjected to change.
2. Candidates may retain Photocopies of their category / income certificate since the originals will be retained by the University at the time of admission.
3. Caution money is refundable only after successful completion of the Postgraduate Diploma programme for which a candidate is admitted or on discontinuing the programme on his/her request. The student shall claim the caution money after furnishing a No Dues Certificate from all the concerned.
4. Fees once paid by the student are non-refundable except Caution money.

EXAMINATION

Under the internal evaluation system, the performance of the students in each course will be evaluated by the teacher concerned and for this purpose, due consideration shall be given by the teacher to the daily class performance by the student, the marks obtained at the mid-session and other examinations specified in the University regulation and fulfill other requirements as prescribed under the regulations.

UNIVERSITY PLACEMENT CELL

A Student's Guidance Bureau has been established in the University duly nominating a senior teacher as its Chairman with a view to collect and notify the information from time to time on job opportunities for the benefit of students who have completed their diploma programme. In addition, efforts will also be made for campus interview and selection by the prospective private employers. Special Lectures from eminent personalities will also be arranged for the benefit of the students.

HOSTEL FACILITIES

Bagalkot: The exclusive hostel facility for PG Diploma student is not available. However, if vacancies are available in hostels, accommodation will be provided on first come first serve basis.

Bengaluru: No hostel facility is available for candidate admitted to PG Diploma programme at COH, Bengaluru

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. The students admitted to the University shall abide by the rules and regulations prescribed by the University from time to time. Separate rules in respect of student discipline in classrooms, hostels and campuses etc., are available in the University Academic Information and Regulation Booklet.

2. All the students shall give an undertaking that he/she shall abide by the rules and regulations of the University as amended from time to time.
3. The student failing to appear for registration or in the payment of prescribed fees within the stipulated date and time, the claim for admission will automatically gets cancelled. And same will be allotted to next reserved candidate.
4. The right to change / modify any or all condition (s) prescribed in this prospectus is / are at the sole discretion of the University.
5. If complaint of any form of ragging by a student comes to the notice of the authorities, an opportunity would be given to the student to explain and in case the student is found guilty, the concerned student would be expelled from the institution in addition to initiating criminal proceedings.

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- **Candidates have to submit separate application for each PG Diploma Programme, if they wish to apply for both PG Diploma programmes**
- **Candidates should have studied minimum 7 years in Karnataka**
- The information / particulars furnished by the candidates in his/her application form is final.
- Submission of any documents / certificates will not be entertained once the applications are received in this office.
- All the certificates produced to claim the reservations must be valid and dated on or before the last date prescribed for the submission of application form.
- Before submitting the filled in Application form to the Registrar, UHS, Bagalkot the candidate should retain a photocopy of the filled in application form for reference / correspondence.
- The reservation is provided under special category i.e., Sports, NCC, Defense, PH, Anglo Indian, Ex-Serviceman, CAPF, Scout and Guide.
- Candidates belonging to Reserved Categories should submit the valid Caste / Income certificate issued by the Thasildhar **on or before 03.10.2017** the prescribed Form.
- The applicants should also have to obtain **Bank Challan** through the University website. Application fees along with processing fees should be paid through Bank challan only (**DD/IPO / Cheque are not accepted**) at any branches of **STATE BANK OF INDIA**. The applicants have to enclose **University Copy of the challan** along with the applications form .

- The filled-in application forms should be complete in all respects including submission of copies of the transcripts / Marks card / All other Certificates applicable etc., as on the last date of submission i.e. **03.10.2017**
- The provisionally selected students list will be announced on university website on **11.10.2017**. The selected students have to register at the allotted college within the stipulated date by paying semester fees otherwise the allotted seat will be canceled. No separate intimation will be sent to candidates of their selection.
- Candidate should produce all the original transcripts or marks cards and all relevant certificates at the time of Registration at respective allotted colleges.
- The selected candidates are required to join the course on the stipulated date by submitting all original certificates and also register for the courses, failing which their claim for admission will be forfeited.
- The admission is subjected to fulfillment of all the eligibility conditions prescribed as per the UHS (B) rules / statutes / Government orders.
- Any change in the schedule of events shall be announced on the University Website and in leading News papers as News Brief. **No separate intimation will be sent to the candidates.**
- Any information furnished by the candidate in the application form or any documents produced are found to be false/incorrect, the admission of the candidate will be cancelled at any point of time during his / her course of study and the necessary criminal proceedings will be initiated.

Note: The late submitted and incomplete applications are liable to be rejected. For more details refer, our University Website: www.uhsbagalkot.edu.in.