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Nauni (Solan)-173230, Himachal Pradesh
Office of the Registrar, "Establishment & Recruitment Branch"

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"ADVERTISEMENT NO.01/2026"

Applications on the prescribed form which can be downloaded from University website <http://www.uhf.ac.in> are invited for filling up of 20 posts of Job Trainee **Subject Matter Specialist** in various disciplines mentioned below under different Krishi Vigyan Kendras of the University. The application will however be considered valid only, if it is accompanied with the prescribed fee mentioned at Sr. No.1 under "Instructions/Other Conditions" below, in the shape of Bank Draft drawn on State Bank of India/UCO Bank Nauni (Solan)-173230 (HP) **payable to the Comptroller**, Dr. Y.S. Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry, Nauni (Solan). Applications complete in all respect, should reach the Recruitment Branch, O/O the Registrar, Dr. YSP UHF, Nauni (Solan) latest by **24.07.2026**. The candidates applying from the tribal areas may send their application form complete in all respect latest by **04.08.2026**.

Candidates may note that the recruitment and engagement as per this advertisement shall be governed by the provisions of guidelines issued vide Department of Personnel's letter No. PER(AP)-C-B(15)-3/2024 dated 19.07.2025 read with letters of even numbers dated 22.07.2025 and dated 23.07.2025, further notified by the University vide Notification No.UHF.Regr.Rectt.2-106/2025/-27814-53 dated 30.08.2025 respectively.

IMPORTANT NOTE:- CANDIDATES WHO HAVE APPLIED EARLIER IN RESPONSE TO ADVERTISEMENT NO. 02/2025 DATED 03.06.2025 NEED NOT APPLY AGAIN. HOWEVER, THEY MAY SEND THE DETAIL OF THEIR ADDITIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS (IF ANY) DURING THE INTERVENING PERIOD BEFORE THE PRESCRIBED LAST DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION FORM.

POSTS PURELY ON JOB TRAINEE BASIS @ ₹ 35,000/- FIXED MONTHLY CONSOLIDATED AMOUNT

Sr. No	Name of the post alongwith discipline/ specialization	Reservation						Total
		UR	EWS	SC	ST	OBC	PwD	
A. KRISHI VIGYAN KENDRA, CHAMBA, DISTT CHAMBA								
1.	Subject Matter Specialist (Food Science & Technology)	01	--	--	--	--	--	01
2.	Subject Matter Specialist (Vegetable Science)	--	--	--	--	01	--	01
3.	Subject Matter Specialist (Entomology)	--	--	--	--	01	--	01
4.	Subject Matter Specialist (Soil Science)	01	--	--	--	--	--	01
5.	Subject Matter Specialist (Fruit Science)	01	--	--	--	--	--	01
6.	Subject Matter Specialist (Agroforestry)	01	--	--	--	--	--	01

B. KRISHI VIGYAN KENDRA, ROHRU, DISTT SHIMLA								
Sr. No	Name of the post alongwith discipline/ specialization	Reservation						Total
		UR	EWS	SC	ST	OBC	PwD	
7.	Subject Matter Specialist (Extension Education/ Agricultural Extension)	01	--	--	--	--	--	01
8.	Subject Matter Specialist (Fruit Science)	--	01	--	--	--	--	01
9.	Subject Matter Specialist (Entomology)	--	--	01	--	--	--	01
10.	Subject Matter Specialist (Vegetable Science)	01	--	--	--	--	--	01
11.	Subject Matter Specialist (Soil Science)	--	--	--	01	--	--	01
12.	Subject Matter Specialist (Plant Pathology)	--	--	01	--	--	--	01
C. KRISHI VIGYAN KENDRA, KINNAUR, DISTT KINNAUR								
13.	Subject Matter Specialist (Soil Science)	01	--	--	--	--	--	01
14.	Subject Matter Specialist (Vegetable Science)	--	--	01	--	--	--	01
15.	Subject Matter Specialist (Food Science & Technology)	01	--	--	--	--	--	01
16.	Subject Matter Specialist (Entomology)	01	--	--	--	--	--	01
17.	Subject Matter Specialist (Plant Pathology)	01	--	--	--	--	--	01
18.	Subject Matter Specialist (Fruit Science)	01	--	--	--	--	--	01
D. KRISHI VIGYAN KENDRA, KANDAGHAT, DISTT SOLAN								
19.	Subject Matter Specialist (Entomology)	--	01	--	--	--	--	01
20.	Subject Matter Specialist (Fruit Science)	--	--	01	--	--	--	01
TOTAL:-		11	02	04	01	02	--	20
Abbreviations= UR=Un-reserved, EWS=Economically Weaker Section, SC=Scheduled Caste, ST=Scheduled Tribe, OBC=Other Backward Class, PwD= Persons with Disabilities.								

QUALIFICATION:-

(i)	Ph.D. Degree in the concerned subject relaxable to M.Sc. with consistently good academic record i.e. 55% marks at Master's level.
(ii)	A relaxation of 5% from 55% to 50% of marks at Master's level shall be provided to SC/ST categories.
(iii)	A relaxation of 5% will be provided from 55% of marks to the Ph.D. degree holders who have passed their master's degree prior to September, 1991.
(iv)	For the candidates having Master's degree, NET shall remain compulsory along with one publication in NAAS (National Academy of Agricultural Sciences, New Delhi) rated referred journal for recruitment to the post of Assistant Professor and equivalent in the disciplines in which NET is conducted. Essentiality of NET can be waived off for the candidates holding Ph.D.

degree provided it has been done with course work as prescribed by the UGC Regulations, 2009, and the candidate has at-least two full length publications having a NAAS rating not less than 4, on the last date of submission of application. Those candidates with Ph.D. degree without course work will not qualify for NET exemption. Further, this will be implemented with perspective date i.e. w.e.f. 01st January, 2012.

For the candidates registered for Ph.D. prior to 11.07.2009, NET essentiality for recruitment to the post of Assistant Professor and equivalent in the disciplines in which NET is conducted, shall be exempted subject to the condition that:

- a) Ph.D. degree of the candidate awarded in regular mode only;
- b) Evaluation of the Ph.D. thesis by at least two external examiners;
- c) Open Ph.D. viva-voce of the candidate had been conducted;
- d) Candidate has published two research papers from his/her Ph.D. work out of which at least one must be in referred Journal;
- e) Candidate has made at least two presentations in conference/seminars, based on his/her Ph.D. work.

(a) to (e) as above are to be certified by the Vice-Chancellor/Pro Vice-Chancellor/Dean (Academic Affairs)/Dean (University Instructions).

- (v) 'B' in the 7-point scale with letter grades, O, A, B, C, D, E & F shall be regarded as equivalent to 55%, wherever the grading system is followed.

IMPORTANT INSTRUCTIONS/OTHER CONDITIONS:-

1. The detail of application fee for the above mentioned posts is as follows:-

General Category Candidates	Reserved Category Candidates of Himachal Pradesh only (alongwith attested copy of proof)
₹ 2,000/-	₹ 1,000/-
<p>Note:- 1. The Bank Draft submitted by the candidate must be drawn in favour of the Comptroller, Dr. Y.S. Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Nauni (Solan), Himachal Pradesh, and should be payable only at State Bank of India, Nauni (Solan)-173230 or UCO Bank, Nauni (Solan)-173230. No Bank Draft drawn on any other bank or branch shall be accepted. Applications accompanied by a Bank Draft not drawn in the prescribed manner or not payable as specified above shall be rejected straightway.</p> <p>2. The application forms on cash payment will not be sold by the Recruitment Branch.</p>	

2. **A candidate applying for more than one post should send/submit separate application form for each post alongwith prescribed application fee.**
3. Application fee once paid will not be refunded.
4. The engagement to the above posts shall be governed by the provisions of guidelines issued vide Department of Personnel's letter No. PER(AP)-C-B(15)-3/2024 dated 19.07.2025 read with letter of even numbers of dated 22.07.2025 and dated 23.07.2025, further notified by the University vide Notification No.UHF.Regr.Rectt.2-106/2025/-27814-53 dated 30.08.2025.
5. The engaged Job trainee shall be paid @ ₹ 35,000/- fixed monthly consolidated amount.

6. The category once claimed by the candidate(s) will not be allowed to be changed at any stage. The S.C. of HP/S.T. of HP/O.B.C. of HP/Persons with Disabilities of HP/EWS of HP and BPL of HP candidates must enclose respective valid certificate(s) in support of their claims made in the application form while applying for the concerned post(s). All the candidates belonging to reserved categories are also required to go through the relevant instructions of the Government of Himachal Pradesh issued from time to time in order to ensure that they are eligible under a particular category and submit the applicable certificates only on the prescribed formats with their application form.
7. **Candidates claiming reservation under Economically Weaker Section shall have to submit "Income and Asset Certificate" in respect of their family, duly issued by the competent authority on the prescribed format as specified in Department of Personnel's (State Government of HP) instruction No.PER(AP)-C-B(12)-1/2019 dated 11.03.2019 alongwith their application form or before the closing date of receipt of applications prescribed in this advertisement, failing which their application will not be considered. Also, if any BPL candidate is applying for the post reserved for Economically Weaker Section, he/she shall have to submit a valid BPL certificate countersigned by the Block Development Officer and also a non-SC/ST/OBC certificate issued by the competent authority.**
8. **If no suitable candidate belonging to Economically Weaker Section is found, the vacancies earmarked for Economically Weaker Section at Sr. No. 8 and 19 in the above table will be treated as de-reserved and will be filled from a non-EWS candidate of unreserved category.**
9. Evaluation of a candidate for these posts will be done in accordance with the scorecard framed and notified by the University vide Notification No.UHF.Regr.Rectt.2-111/2020/-7581-7620 dated 14.07.2020 which is available on the University website (<http://www.uhf.ac.in>). **For the purpose of awarding marks as per criteria prescribed in the Scorecard except presentation and interview of a candidate, the last date of receipt of applications will be reckoned and no marks will be given for the achievement(s) gained, during the intervening period i.e. from the last date of receipt of applications and the date of interview.**
10. **Those Ph.D. candidates, whose registration in their Ph.D. Programme is prior to 11.07.2009 and are not NET qualified, will have to submit the "Certificate of NET exemption", issued in their favour, from the competent authority of University/Institution, from where they had qualified their Ph.D., verifying therein points (a) to (e) prescribed under the heading "Qualification" above, with their application form, failing which their application is liable to be rejected straightway.**
11. The applicant must be a Citizen of India.
12. Candidate should be minimum of 18 years and not more than 45 years of age. The upper age limit is relaxable by five years for candidates belonging to the Scheduled Caste/Scheduled Tribe/Other Backward Class/Persons with Disabilities, of Himachal Pradesh only, as per provisions in Rules/Instructions of the H.P. Government. The minimum and maximum age limit shall be reckoned as on **01.01.2026**. It is further clarified that the upper age limit fixed in the advertisement shall not be applicable in case of candidates already in service of Government/Semi-Government Institutions, as per State Government rules.

13. Applicants already in service should send their application forms through proper channel. **However, an advance copy be sent to this University alongwith prescribed fee** which should reach this University upto the last date of receipt of application.
14. Number of post(s) is/are tentative and may increase or decrease from time to time for different categories of post.
15. The date of determining eligibility of all candidates in respect of essential qualification (s) and experience, if any, shall be the prescribed last date for receipt of applications i.e. **24.07.2026** for candidates from Non-Tribal Areas and **04.08.2026** for candidates from tribal areas.
16. The reservation indicated above has been given as per rules/instructions of the State Government and the same will be provided to **candidates of Himachal Pradesh only**. The reserved category candidates belonging to other states will be treated as **GENERAL CATEGORY CANDIDATES** and **the benefit of reservation and fee concession will not be admissible to such candidates**.
17. Canvassing in direct or indirect manner will be a disqualification.
18. Any further information about qualifications or job requirements can be had from the office of the Registrar.
19. Incomplete applications or those received after the last date will not be entertained and rejected straightway.
20. The University reserves the right not to fill up the post, without assigning any reason.
21. The University reserves the right to change any term of advertisement or to rectify the inadvertent error at any stage.
22. Once the application form is submitted, no correction or modification shall be permitted. Therefore, candidates are advised to carefully verify all particulars and fields entered in the application form before final submission.
23. The decision of the University regarding eligibility etc. of a candidate will be final and no correspondence/personal enquiries will be entertained.
24. The candidates are advised to check the University website **<http://www.uhf.ac.in>** on regular intervals for further updates.
25. The University reserves the right to change any of the terms of the advertisement or to rectify the inadvertent errors at any stage. It also reserves right to implement any clarifications/ instructions, received from the government during the recruitment process.


(Siddhartha Acharya, HPAS)
Registrar



Dr. Yashwant Singh Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry,
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**APPLICATION FORM FOR THE POST OF ASSISTANT
PROFESSOR OR EQUIVALENT**

To be filled by the candidate

Advertisement No.		Dated:-		Affix latest passport size Photograph
Post applied for				
Sr. No. of the post mentioned in the advertisement				
Detail of application fee [Attach Bank Draft of prescribed fee in Original]	Bank Draft No. with date			
	Drawn in favor of Bank			
	Amount			

For Official use only

Date and time of receipt of application		
Checked by:		
Dealing hand	Section Officer/Superintendent	Assistant/Deputy Registrar

Sr. No.	Scrutinized by (Name with designation)	Eligible/Ineligible (Remarks if ineligible)	Signatures
I.			
II.			
III.			
IV.			

1. PERSONAL INFORMATION OF THE CANDIDATE

Sr. No.	Particulars	
i.	Name of the Applicant (in capital letters) [As given in matriculation certificate]	
ii.	Father's Name	
iii.	Mother's Name	
iv.	Date of Birth [As given in matriculation certificate]	
v.	Age [as on the last date of submission of application] (Y/M/D)	
vi.	Category: General/Reserve [Attach relevant self-attested certificate in support in case of reserve category]	
vii.	Gender (Male/Female/Trans Gender)	
viii.	Nationality	
ix.	Domicile State	
x.	Mother Tongue	
xi.	Other languages known	
xii.	Mobile Number and one alternate Mobile Number	
xiii.	E-mail Id	
xiv.	Address for Correspondence with PIN Code	
xv.	Permanent Address with PIN Code	
xvi.	Whether you are an HP Government Servant? (Yes/No)	
xvii.	Whether age relaxation claimed (Yes/No) [Specify category under which age relaxation is claimed and attach relevant certificate]	
xviii.	Have you ever been convicted by a Court of Law for an offence? (Yes/No) If yes, details thereof.	

2. ACADEMIC QUALIFICATION OF THE CANDIDATE (MATRICULATION ONWARDS)

Sr. No.	Examination/Degree	Year of Passing	Marks obtained/ OGPA/CGPA	% age of Marks	Board/University/ Organization	Subjects with major field
i.	Matriculation					
ii.	+2 or equivalent					
iii.	Graduation					
iv.	Masters					
v.	M.Phil.					
vi.	Ph.D.					
vii.	Post-doctorate					
viii.	Any other					

[Attach self-attested copies of all academic certificates claimed above, in support]

3. NATIONAL ELIGIBILITY TEST/JUNIOR RESEARCH FELLOW/SENIOR RESEARCH FELLOW

Sr. No.	NET/JRF/SRF	Year	Subject	Marks obtained
i.	ICAR NET			
ii.	ICAR JRF			
iii.	ICAR SRF			
iv.	CSIR/UGC NET with JRF			
v.	CSIR/UGC NET without JRF			

[Attach self-attested copies of all qualifying certificates claimed above, in support]

4. PRE-JOB EXPERIENCE AS RESEARCH ASSOCIATE, SENIOR/JUNIOR RESEARCH FELLOW, RESEARCH/PROJECT FELLOW, POST DOCTORAL FELLOW OR EQUIVALENT/TEACHING EXPERIENCE IN ICAR/UGC RECOGNIZED INSTITUTES (Time spent for obtaining Ph.D. degree will not be counted as experience)

Sr. No.	Designation	Name of the Institution	Amount of Fellowship/Salary	Duration		Total period (Years-Month-Days)
				From	To	
i.						
ii.						
iii.						
iv.						

[Attach self-attested copies of all certificates claimed above, in support]

5. ACADEMIC AWARDS**5a. Gold Medal in Graduation/Post Graduation**

Sr. No.	Particulars of Gold Medal	Name of the Degree	Year	University/Institute
i.				
ii.				
iii.				

[Attach self-attested copies of all certificates claimed above, in support]

5b. Jawaharlal Nehru Award of ICAR

Sr. No.	Particulars of the Award	Name of the Degree	Year	University/Institute
i.				
ii.				

[Attach self-attested copies of all certificates claimed above, in support]

5c. Overall First Rank in Graduation/Post Graduation

Sr. No.	Particulars	Name of the Degree	Year	University/Institute/College
i.				
ii.				
iii.				
iv.				

[Attach self-attested copies of all certificates claimed above, in support]

5d. Best Paper/Best Poster Award by a recognized professional Society

Sr. No.	Name of the event	Organizing organization	Venue	Duration	Particulars of paper presented	Name of the Award
i.						
ii.						
iii.						
iv.						

[Attach self-attested copies of all certificates claimed above, in support]

6. PARTICIPATION IN CONFERENCES/SYMPOSIA/SEMINARS/TRAININGS ETC.

Sr. No.	Name of the event	Organizing Agency with full details	Venue	Duration		Particulars of paper presented/field of training attended
				From	To	
i.						
ii.						
iii.						
iv.						

[Attach self-attested copies of all certificates claimed above, in support]

7. PUBLICATIONS (5 Best Research Papers)

Sr. No.	Particulars of the paper (given name of authors, year of publication, title, name of the journal with volume/issue number and pages)	NAAS Rating/Score (in the year of advertisement of this post)/Thomson Reuter Index
i.		
ii.		
iii.		
iv.		
v.		

[Attach reprints of claimed publications]

8. ANY OTHER INFORMATION YOU WISH TO FURNISH:-

(In case the space provided in the format is not sufficient, a separate statement/sheet may be attached as Annexure)

CERTIFICATE

I hereby declare that the statements made in this application are true, complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I undertake that in the event of any information being found false or incorrect at any stage, my candidature is liable to be cancelled and if appointed, appointment itself shall be liable to be cancelled without any notice.

Dated:- _____

Signatures of the Candidate

SELF ASSESSMENT SHEET TO BE SUBMITTED BY THE CANDIDATE WITH THE APPLICATION FORM

Sr. No.	Particulars	Max. Marks	Details	Marks Claimed by the Applicant
1.	Academic Background:-			
	B.Sc.	10		
	M.Sc. in concerned subject (with thesis)	25		
	Ph.D.	15		
<p>To be calculated on pro rata basis, e.g., if a candidate has 70% marks in B.Sc., his/her score here will be:-</p> $\frac{70}{100} \times 10 = 7.0 \text{ marks}$ <p>Note:-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master's Degree without thesis will have 80% weightage i.e. Maximum Marks shall be 20 for calculating absolute percentage on pro rata basis, • M.Phil. with thesis will be treated at par with Master's degree with thesis (however, marks will be calculated on the basis of percentage obtained in M.Sc.), • Doctoral Degree without course work or with coursework having less than 20 credit hours (minor/major subjects) will get 70% weightage i.e. <u>0.7 x 15 = 10.5 marks.</u> • If the University mentions OGPA/CGPA without equivalent percentage, then the candidate must provide the conversion formula duly attested by the competent authority of the concerned university, failing which the candidate shall not be awarded any marks in the degree concerned. In case the candidate is shortlisted for the interview on the basis of the remaining marks, he/shall need to produce the conversion formula mentioned above at the time of the interview in order to get the benefit of the marks for the concerned degree. 				
NET/JRF/SRF	05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ICAR NET:- Marks to be calculated on pro rata basis • ICAR JRF:- 02 Marks • ICAR SRF:- 02 Marks • CSIR/UGC NET with JRF:- 05 Marks • CSIR/UGC NET without JRF:- 03 Marks 		
Pre-Job Experience (Time spent for obtaining Ph.D. degree will not be counted as experience)	05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Research Associate, Senior/Junior Research Fellow, Research/Project Fellow, Post Doctoral Fellow or equivalent (0.5 mark for completion of each six months experience) in ICAR/UGC recognized institutes. • Teaching experience (0.5 mark for each completed semester of minimum 4 months) in ICAR/UGC recognized Institutes. 		
2.	Academic Awards	06	02 Marks each for Gold Medal in Graduation/Post Graduation/Jawaharlal Nehru Award of ICAR.	
		02	01 Mark for Best Paper/Best Poster Award by a recognized professional society, overall first rank in graduation/post graduation.	

3.	Participation in Conference/Symposium Training etc.	02	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 0.5 Mark for participation and presenting paper in National/International Conference/Symposium. • 0.5 Mark for attending training (minimum duration of at least 07 days)
4.	Publications	10	<p>5 Best Research Papers</p> <p>a) Thompson Reuter indexed/NAAS rating > 6 journals:</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">i. For first and corresponding author: 02 Marks.</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">ii. For others: 01 Mark</p> <p>b) NAAS rating ≤ 6 journals:</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">i. For first and corresponding author: 01 Mark.</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">ii. For others: 0.5 Mark</p> <p>Note:- NAAS rating of the journals will considered for the year in which the posts have been advertised.</p>
5.	Interview along with 5 minutes presentation	20	Power-Point presentation and discussion
Total:-		100	

Note:-

1. In case the number of eligible candidates for a particular post exceeds 10, only the top 10 candidates shall be called for the interview and 5 for each subsequent post (in case of more than 01 post in that discipline) according to the merit drawn on the basis of marks obtained in the score card. In case of tie among the candidates to be called for interview, the oldest candidate shall be given preference.
2. Candidates having obtained Ph.D. degree from a foreign university/Institution with a ranking among top 500 in the world university ranking (at any time) by any one of the following: (i) Quacquarelli Symonds (QS), (ii) The Times Higher Education (THE) or (iii) The Academic Ranking of World Universities (ARWU) of the Shanghai Jiao Tong University (Shanghai) shall be exempted from NET for recruitment as Assistant Professor/Equivalent (as per UGC Regulations- 4.1-1-B, Page-60)

Dated:- _____

Signatures of the Candidate

INSTRUCTIONS FOR CANDIDATES

1. The application form should be filled in complete in all respects, giving correct information. Defective and incomplete applications and those with wrong or false information will be rejected.
2. Any delay in sending the application through proper channel is not responsibility of the University. Advance copy of the application should reach the Registrar, Dr. Yashwant Singh Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, P.O. Nauni, Distt. Solan 173230 Himachal Pradesh, India within the prescribed time limit and will be entertained provided the original forwarded through proper channel reaches the Registrar before the candidate is called for interview or "No Objection Certificate" from the employer is produced at the time of interview.
3. Candidates may send copies of testimonials from two persons well acquainted with their work and character. If a candidate names a referee who resides outside India, he/she should write to the person direct and ask him to send his recommendations straight to the Registrar, Dr. Yashwant Singh Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, P.O. Nauni, Distt. Solan 173230 Himachal Pradesh, India. The report will be treated as confidential.
4. Candidates who fulfill the conditions to the satisfaction of the University authorities shall be required to appear for interview at the University Headquarters, Nauni, Solan or such place as may be decided by the University, at their own cost or at the expense of the University, if so decided.
5. The summoning of a candidate for interview is merely an indication of his suitability for the post but not an assurance that he/she will be recommended or selected or that his/her candidature specified in the application accepted.
6. Separate application is required for each post.
7. Posts/Designations of equivalent pay scale are inter-changeable with the University, at the discretion of the University.
8. The University reserves the right to fill up or not to fill up any or all the posts advertised.
9. Application should reach the Office of the Registrar, Dr. Yashwant Singh Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, P.O. Nauni, Dist. Solan 173230 Himachal Pradesh, India before 05.00 p.m. on the due date or the next working day before 05.00 p.m., if the due date happens to be a holiday.

Sd/-
Registrar,
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