

FINANCIAL AID/SCHOLARSHIPS

The financial assistance to the UG, PG and Ph.D. students is available for limited UG, PG and Ph.D. students as per rules of concerned Agriculture universities. There are several scholarships such as University financed scholarships, I.C.A.R. , U.G.C., Samaj Kalyan Scholarship for scheduled castes/scheduled tribes, general categories, other backward class and minority students from Govt. of U.P. and Individual Fellowships, Mandi Samiti scholarships for the meritorious students.

List of Scholarships

| S. N. | Name of Scholarships | Remarks |
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| 1 | University Merit Scholarship for UG, PG and Ph.D. students | Variable as per the rules of concerned University |
| 2 | U.G.C. Fellowship (a) Rajeev Gandhi National Fellowship for SC/ST Ph.D. students (b) DST – Inspire Fellowship | For students selected by U.G.C.25000/- Per Month |
| 3 | ICAR Fellowship (a) Junior Research Fellowship For Master's Programme (b) Senior Research Fellowship for Ph.D. Programme | For students selected by ICAR through entrance examination. 8640/- Per Month 12000/- Per Month. After 2 years 14000/-Per Month |
| 4 | National Talent Scholarship | For Undergraduate Programme (Rs. 3000.00 per month) |
| 5 | U.P. Mandi Parishad Scholarship for UG, PG and Ph.D. students | For sons/daughters of Laghu Seemant Farmers and selected on the basis of intermediate/B. Sc. Level merit. UG and PG-3000/-Per Month Ph.D.-6000/-Per Month |
| 6 | U.P. Govt. Scholarship / Dashmottar Scholarship | The scholarship is given to those students whose guardian's income is below Rs. 2.0 lac per year. Hostler: 1200/- Per Month Day Scholar: 550/- Per Month |

उत्तर प्रदेश के पांचो कृषि विश्वविद्यालयों में छात्रों के पठन-पाठन हेतु स्नातक, मास्टर्स एवं पीएचडी पाठ्यक्रमों में समाज कल्याण, राज्य मण्डी परिषद, राजीव गाँधी, मौलाना आजाद, डीएसटी एवं विश्वविद्यालय फेलोशिप आदि छात्रवृत्तियां भारत सरकार, उत्तर प्रदेश सरकार एवं विश्वविद्यालयों द्वारा प्रदान की जा रही हैं।

Employment and Placement Avenues in the Field of Agriculture and Allied Sectors

Indian Agricultural sector has undergone a transformation from traditional cultivation methods to high tech agricultural methods which requires professionals who are equipped with multiple skills and updates with respect to the latest technological changes. The country has enormous potential as an exporter of agricultural commodities such as mushrooms, baby corn to flowers, spices, cereals, oilseeds, fruits and vegetables. The government's support for export of Agri products has evolved considerable interest in the large business houses which have worked out agreements for transfer of technology, marketing tie-ups and management and trading contacts with leading foreign Multi-National Companies (MNCs). The career opportunities in Agri and allied sectors are mentioned below:

1). Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR)

The Post Graduate students can choose their career in ICAR for research and can become Agriculture Research Scientists. The recruitment of these posts has been done through competitive examinations conducted by ASRB. The ICAR is also providing employment opportunities to the Agri Graduates, Post-Graduates & Doctorate degree holders of Agriculture and allied sciences on various technical posts like T5, T6 (Subject Matter Specialist) in Krishi Vigyan Kendras.

2). State Agricultural Universities (SAU's)

The SAU's are advertising the various positions for recruitments of agricultural students Post-Graduates & Ph. D holders in their concerned discipline of specialization in Teaching, Research & Extension Education activities along with the technical positions such as Farm Manager, Junior Horticulturalist, etc.

3). State Department of Agriculture

The state government is providing employment opportunities to the Graduate's students of agriculture and allied disciplines on the post of DAO, DSO, DHO, DVO, ADO or equivalent positions through the competitive examinations conducted by the State Public Service Commission/concerned departments. The state government is also providing employment opportunities to the P.G. & Ph. D. degree holders of Agri and allied sciences in their concerned field of specialization in UPCAR, Higher Education Commission through competitive examinations.

4). Banking & Finance Sector

The Graduates & Post-Graduate students of agriculture & allied sciences are getting the enormous job opportunities offered by the different public & private sector banks, micro-finance institutions, insurance agencies such as the Agriculture Insurance Company of India (AICI), Reliance General Insurance Company Limited (RGICL) etc. Reserve Bank of India, NABARD on the post of Managers, AFO, Rural Development Officers, Bank PO etc. The cooperative sectors companies are also offering attractive salaries and positions to Agri allied Graduates & Post-Graduate students such as IFFCO, KRIBHCO, NAFED, SAFED, DMI etc. on the positions of agriculture graduate trainees and management trainees.

5). Agro-Industry & Corporation Sector

Agro-Industry is providing career opportunities to join the various positions of seed officers, plant breeders, plant protection officers as well as the job avenues in food processing, milk, market and dairy products, pesticide companies, feed manufacturing, transport and warehousing etc.

The various job opportunities are also provided by the various corporations to the agriculture and allied sector students such as National Seed Corporation, State Seed & Farm Corporation, FCI, NFL, warehousing corporation etc.

6). Service Sector

There are enormous job opportunities which have been offered by several government agencies at the Central, State & District level to the Graduate & Post-Graduate students of Agri & allied sectors in order to regulate the time-bound supply and quality check of the seeds, chemical, pesticides & food products in the positions of food safety officers, plant and animal quarantine officers, Agricultural Technicians, Statisticians, Veterinarians, Consultants, etc.

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भारतीय कृषि अनुसंधान परिषद द्वारा बी०एससी० (फारेस्ट्री), बी०एससी० (हार्टीकल्चर), बी०एससी० (होम साइन्स/कम्युनिटी साइन्स) एवं बी०टैक० (कृषि अभियांत्रिकी) आदि पाठ्यक्रमों को बी०एससी० (कृषि) पाठ्यक्रम के समकक्ष माना गया है जिससे कृषि क्षेत्र के सभी अभ्यर्थियों को समान रोजगार एवं नौकरियों में मौका मिलेगा।