

UNIVERSITY OF COLOMBO INSTITUTE FOR AGRO-TECHNOLOGY AND RURAL SCIENCES (UCIARS) WELIGATTA, HAMBANTOTA, SRI LANKA

University of Colombo Institute for Agro-Technology and Rural Sciences will entertain applications for the undermentioned posts from suitably qualified persons as details provided below up to **11.08.2025**.

DEPARTMENT OF FOOD TECHNOLOGY

01. Post: Lecturer (Probationary)/ Lecturer (Unconfirmed)/Senior Lecturer Grade II/I

Subject Areas: Agricultural Engineering (Precision Agriculture related areas)

Special Note: Candidate must be qualified with BSc. Hons in Agriculture Preference will be given to the candidates who have postgraduate qualifications and experience in Precision Agriculture

(Applicants who are applying for this post are strongly advised to refer UCIARS website for detailed qualifications (SOR), selection method, application format and salary details).

02. Post : Temporary Assistant Lecturer

Qualifications : BSc. Hons in Agriculture with specializing in Agricultural Engineering *or* BSc. Hons in Engineering with specializing in Agricultural Engineering *or* B.Tech in Agricultural Engineering with/without a Class.

Preference will be given to the candidates who have teaching experience in Agricultural Engineering related subjects and having MPhil/MSc. will be an added qualification.

03. Post : Temporary Assistant Lecturer

Qualifications: BSc. Hons in Agriculture with specializing in Animal Science with/without a Class.

Preference will be given to the candidates who have teaching experience in Animal Science related subjects and having MPhil/MSc. will be an added qualification.

04. Post : Temporary Assistant Lecturer

Qualifications : BSc. Hons in Agriculture with specializing in Food Science or BSc. Hons in Food Science with/without a Class.

Preference will be given to the candidates who have teaching experience in Food Science related subjects and having MPhil/MSc. will be an added qualification.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRO-TECHNOLOGY

01. Post : Temporary Assistant Lecturer

Qualifications : BSc. Hons in Agriculture with specializing in Agriculture Economics with/without a Class.

Preference will be given to the candidates who have teaching experience in Agriculture Economics related subjects and having MPhil/MSc. will be an added qualification.

02. Post : Temporary Assistant Lecturer

Qualifications : BSc. Hons in Agriculture with specializing in Crop Science with/without a Class.

Preference will be given to the candidates who have teaching experience in Crop Science related subjects and having MPhil/MSc. will be an added qualification.

03. Post : Temporary Assistant Lecturer

Qualifications : BSc. Hons in Agriculture with specializing in Agricultural Biology with/without a Class.

Preference will be given to the candidates who have teaching experience in Agricultural Biology/Biotechnology related subjects and having MPhil/MSc. will be an added qualification.

04. Post : Temporary Assistant Lecturer

Qualifications : BSc. Hons in Agriculture with specializing in Agricultural Statistics with/without a Class.

Preference will be given to the candidates who have teaching experience in Agricultural statistics and data science related subjects and having MPhil/MSc. will be an added qualification.

05. Post : Temporary Assistant Lecturer (ENGLISH)

Qualifications: A special/general degree in English/Teaching English as a Second Language/Linguistics (English medium) with/without a Class.

Preference will be given for those who have obtained qualifications in ICT.

Salary and other conditions of Temporary Assistant Lecturer posts;

Salary Code : U-AC 2 , Rs. 85,305/- p.m.(Fixed) plus other approved allowances (as at 01.01.2025)

Selection – By an interview.

UCIARS FARM

01. Farm Manager (GRADE III)

Qualifications :

- (i) Should posses a four year degree in Agriculture from a recognized University/HEI with not less than two (02) years of field experience in Crop, Husbandry and/or Animal Sciences in a recognized establishment after graduation.
 - Note : Special preference will be given to those who possess the degree in the areas of Agro-Technology, Agriculture, Agricultural Sciences, Agricultural Technology and Management, Agricultural Resource Management Technology.

Salary Scale: U-EX 1 (II) - Rs.85,305-3x2,020-91,365 (EB) 93,765; 12x2,400-122,565 p.m. (as at 01.01.2025)

Selection : By an interview

How to Apply:

Application forms could be downloaded from the Institute website (**www.uciars.cmb.ac.lk**). Please use the prescribed application forms available in the website which is applicable to each post (it is must to fill application form relevant to the post and if not your application will be rejected).

Duly completed applications for all the posts above should be forwarded with certified copies of relevant educational (with transcripts), professional and service certificates under registered cover to reach the Senior Assistant Registrar, University of Colombo Institute for Agro-Technology and Rural Sciences, Weligatta, Hambantota and it is compulsory to forward the same as one PDF document (application with signature and all the attachments scanned as one pdf document) via email <u>vacancies@uciars.cmb.ac.lk</u> on or before **11.08.2025**. The post should be indicated on the top lefthand corner of the envelope/subject line of the email.

Applicants from Higher Educational Institutions, Government Departments and Government Corporations should apply through the Heads of such Institutions. Applications which do not conform to this requirement will be rejected. Such applicants are strongly advised to submit an advance copy to the address given below.

Applications received after the closing date or incomplete applications or applications that have not been prepared in the prescribed format will be rejected without intimation.

Director University of Colombo Institute for Agro-Technology and Rural Sciences (UCIARS) Weligatta Hambantota. 20.07.2025