

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 / BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Resource Management and Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Green Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Sciences and Management/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Technology and Management/ Bachelor of Biosystems Technology Honours in Agriculture / Bachelor of Agro-Technology Honours

Preference will be given to the candidates who have postgraduate qualifications and experience in Precision Agriculture

(Refer UCIARS website for detailed qualifications, application and salary details)

02. Post: Temporary Assistant Lecturer

Qualifications: BSc. Hons in Agriculture with specializing in Agriculture Engineering / BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Resource Management and Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Green Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Sciences and Management/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Technology and Management/ Bachelor of Biosystems Technology Honours in Agriculture / Bachelor of Agro-Technology Honours or B.Tech in Agricultural Engineering with or without class

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

03. Post: Temporary Assistant Lecturer

Qualifications: BSc. Hons in Agriculture /BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Resource Management and Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Green Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Sciences and Management/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Technology and Management/ Bachelor of Biosystems Technology Honours in Agriculture / Bachelor of Agro-Technology Honours with specializing in Animal Science with or without 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 and Technology/Bachelor of Biosystems Technology Honours in Food Technology/BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Resource Management and Technology/BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Sciences and Management/BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Technology and Management/Bachelor of Agro-Technology Honours with specializing in food science and technology with or without 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 /BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Resource Management and Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Sciences and Management/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Technology and Management/ Bachelor of Biosystems Technology Honours in Agriculture / Bachelor of Agro-Technology Honours with specializing in Agriculture Economics with or without 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 /BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Resource Management and Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Green Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Sciences and Management/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Technology and Management/ Bachelor of Biosystems Technology Honours in Agriculture / Bachelor of Agro-Technology Honours with specializing in Crop Science with or without 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 /BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Resource Management and Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Green Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Sciences and Management/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Technology and Management/ Bachelor of Biosystems Technology Honours in Agriculture / Bachelor of Agro-Technology Honours with specializing in Agricultural Biology with or without 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 /BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Resource Management and Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Green Technology/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Sciences and Management/ BSc. (Hons) Degree in Agricultural Technology and Management/ Bachelor of Biosystems Technology Honours in Agriculture / Bachelor of Agro-Technology Honours with specializing in Agricultural Statistics with or without 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 honours.

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. plus other approved allowances (as at 01.01.2025)

Selection - by interview of shortlisted candidate

How to Apply:

Application forms and Qualification guidelines (Qualification guidelines only post of Lecturer (Probationary)/ Lecturer (Unconfirmed)/Senior Lecturer Grade II/I) could be downloaded from the Institute website (www.uciars.cmb.ac.lk).

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 on or before 11.08.2025. The post should be indicated on the top left-hand corner of the envelope.

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
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