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NOTIFICATION

Applications are invited from candidates eligible for selection as Assistant Professor [Contract] in the following disciplines at the College of Agriculture and the Regional Agricultural Research Station [RARS], Ambalavayal, of Kerala Agricultural University. The selection will be based on the walk-in-interview scheduled to be held on 23–10–2025 [Thursday].

No:	Discipline	Number of posts	Total	Reservation
1	Agricultural Entomology	RARS – 2; COA – 1	3	ETB - 1 SC - 1; OC - 1
2	Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry	RARS – 1; COA – 1	2	ETB-1; OC-1
3	Plant Pathology	COA - 1	1	ETB - 1
4	Horticulture	COA – 2	2	OC - 1; SC - 1
5	Plant Breeding & Genetics	COA - 2	2	OC - 1; SC - 1
6	Agricultural Extension	COA – 2	2	ETB-1; OC-1
7	Agronomy	RARS – 2	2	OC - 1; SC - 1
8	Agricultural Economics	COA - 1	1	OC - 1
9	Agricultural Engineering	RARS – 1	1	ETB - 1
10	Animal Science	RARS – 1	1	ETB - 1
11	Computer Science	RARS – 1	1	OC - 1
12	Agricultural Statistics	COA - 1	1	ETB - 1

Eligibility:

- For posts 1 to 8, candidates must possess Bachelor's Degree in Agriculture/Horticulture and Master's Degree in concerned discipline with a minimum OGPA of 3.00/4.00 in the trimester system or 8.00/10.00 in the semester system or 55 % marks in the traditional system or their equivalent from the Universities recognized by KAU.
- For post 9, candidates should possess Bachelor's Degree in Agricultural Engineering and Master's Degree in any discipline in Agricultural Engineering with a minimum OGPA of 3.00/4.00 in the trimester system or 8.00/10.00 in the semester system or 55 % marks in the traditional system or their equivalent from the Universities recognized by KAU.
- For post 10, candidates should possess Bachelor's Degree in Veterinary Sciences and Master's Degree in any discipline in Veterinary Sciences with a minimum OGPA of 3.00/4.00 in the trimester system or 8.00/10.00 in the semester system or 55 % marks in the traditional system or their equivalent from the Universities recognized by KAU.
- For post 11, candidates should possess M Sc Computer Science or M S/M E/ M Tech/ Integrated M Tech in Computer Science Engineering or M C A with a minimum OGPA of 3.00/4.00 in the trimester system or 8.00/10.00 in the semester system or 55 % marks in the traditional system or their equivalent from the Universities recognized by KAU.
- For post 12, Bachelor's Degree in Agriculture/Horticulture. Candidates with First or Second Class Bachelor's Degree in Statistics or Mathematics with Statistics as Subsidiary will also be considered. All the candidates should possess Master's Degree in Agricultural Statistics with a minimum OGPA of 3.00/4.00 in the trimester system or 8.00/10.00 in the semester

system or 55 % marks in the traditional system or their equivalent from the Universities recognized by KAU.

- All the applicants should have qualified NET conducted by ICAR in the concerned discipline. Those who have been awarded a Ph D in accordance with the UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Award of M Phil/Ph D Degree) Regulations, 2009 or 2016 and their amendments from time to time will be exempted from NET.
- Candidates with Ph D in concerned discipline and Teaching experience will be given due weightage in selection process.
- The maximum age limit is 50 years as on 01–01–2025. The age limit is relaxed to the categories in accordance with existing Government norms.

Terms & Conditions:

- The appointment will be on contract basis and purely provisional for a period of one year or till the joining of a permanent faculty, whichever is earlier.
- The candidate will not have any claim in the University other than the right to receive the remuneration attached to the position [now Rs 44,100/- consolidated]. This provisional appointment does not confer on him/her any right of permanency or regularisation of their service in KAU.
- Candidates claiming Communal Reservation should furnish relevant documents issued by the concerned Departments. Candidates outside Kerala will be treated as Open Category and are not eligible for Communal Reservation.
- In the absence of candidates belonging to eligible communities, candidates from Open Category will also be considered.
- Selected candidates will be eligible for one casual leave per month subject to maximum of ten per year.
- The candidate selected should execute an agreement in the prescribed format in Kerala stamp paper worth Rs 200/-.
- The candidates selected will have to discharge all duties and responsibilities attached to the post as per KAU Act/Statutes/ Rules and Regulations, and those as may be assigned to them from time to time.
- The College/Station/University reserves the right to terminate the services of the appointee, if performance is found unsatisfactory or any defects are noticed.
- The service is terminable by one month notice or remittance of one month remuneration in lieu thereof, if termination is sought for before the expiry of prescribed tenure.
- Candidates will not be eligible for any TA/DA for attending the interview or any other selection process.

Selection Procedure:

- The candidates should submit an application in the format attached herewith [Annexure I] to the email address dean.coaamb@kau.in on or before 04:00 pm on 21/10/2025. No need of copies of documents along with this application. Those who have not furnished the application are not eligible for attending selection process on 23/10/2025.
- The candidate should attend for the walk in interview scheduled to be held at 09:30 am on 23/10/2025 [Thursday] at the Regional Agricultural Research Station [RARS], Ambalavayal, along with the all certificates in original and one set of self attested copies. The Annexure I along with self-attested copies of all testimonials, research papers and other relevant documents should be submitted at the time of walk in interview.
- No separate call letters will be sent to the applicants. The candidates who have attended the walk in selection process will only be considered for selection.
- The selection committee constituted will prepare a selection list based on the evaluation criteria approved for the purpose and the list will be published in the KAU Website.
- For any further information in this regard, candidates can contact over Telephone No: 8086260421 during office hours [between 10:00 am and 05:00 pm] on all working days.

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