

Advertisement No. 01/2026

Applications on the prescribed form are invited for filling up of the following post (Purely temporary and co-terminus with the project, subject to availability of grant and provision/approval by the funding agency for this purpose), under the Project entitled "Biodiversity Assessment and Documentation in Sarog Valley, Theog Forest Division, Shimla District, Himachal Pradesh" (FMS-144-20) operative in the Department of Silviculture and Agroforestry, College of Forestry, Dr Y S Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Nauni (Solan) - Himachal Pradesh. The application form can be downloaded from the University website [www.yspuniversity.ac.in](http://www.yspuniversity.ac.in). Please read terms & conditions carefully before filling the application form. The processing fee is as under:

Project Associate	
General Category	Reserved Category
Rs.450/-	Rs.110/-
Field Assistant	
Rs.150/-	Rs.30/-

Applications will be considered valid only, if it is accompanied with prescribed processing fee in the shape of IPO/Bank Draft payable a State Bank of India /UCO Bank, Nauni (Solan) - 173 230 (HP) in favour of the Comptroller, Dr. Y S Parmar University of Horticulture & Forestry, Nauni (Solan).

Sr. No.	Name of the Post	Emoluments	No. of Post	Approved Qualification
01.	Project Associate	Rs.25000/- per month fixed + 1000/- HRA as per University rules	01	<p><b>Essential:</b> M.Sc. (Forestry)/ M.Sc Environmental Science</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> knowledge of plant taxonomy, species identification, field data collection, preparation of herbarium specimen, digitalization, data entry and handling of software.</p>
02.	Field Assistant	Rs.18,000/- per month fixed + 1000/-HRA as per University rules	01	<p><b>Essential:</b> Graduate degree in any discipline from Govt. recognized University/ Institution</p> <p><b>Desirable:</b> Should have experience of field work. Knowledge of local vegetation. Basic skills in field data collection, maintaining of records and MS Office.</p>

The application, complete in all respects, should reach to the Associate Professor & Head, Department of Silviculture, College of Forestry, Dr Y S Parmar University of Horticulture and Forestry, Nauni (Solan) - 173 230 (Himachal Pradesh) by 5:00 PM as on 29.01.2026 (Thursday) and walk-in-interview after "evaluation of documentation" will be held on 30.01.2026 (Friday) at 11:00 AM in the office chamber of the undersigned.

Terms & conditions:

1. The applicant must be a citizen of India.
2. The minimum age under Project Associate and Field Assistant categories will be 21 years and maximum 45 years.
3. The upper age limit is relaxable for reserved category candidates as per Govt. of India norms.
4. The engagement is purely on temporary basis and is initially for a period of 11 months or may be extended/curtailed subject to the availability of fund or termination of the project. However, depending on the unsatisfactory progress, the engagement can be terminated at any time by issuing one month notice.
5. The candidate applying for the post will have no claim for their regularization as the posts are purely temporary and their engagement can be terminated at any time, if not required in the project.
6. The candidate has to sign engagement contract agreement on stamp paper at the time of joining and the engagement contract agreement shall be renewed on yearly and performance basis.
7. The selected candidate, who wishes to tender his/her resignation during the period of engagement shall be required one month's notice prior to resignation or to deposit one month's salary.
8. Applicants already working in any project should send their application through proper channel.
9. No separate letter for interview will be issued and the candidate will have to appear for interview at their own expenses on the date of interview.
10. The undersigned reserves the right not to fill-up the post, without assigning any reason.
11. The candidate must bring all the original testimonials at the time of interview.
12. No TA/DA will be paid for attending the interview.
13. The University will not accept as valid any arguments or plea such as breakdown, mail, communication, illness etc. for non-attendance of the interview and verification of documents where required.
14. Incomplete application or those received after last date will not be entertained and will be rejected straight way.
15. The candidate having marks issued in the form of CGPA/OGPA should attach approved conversion table/formula along with the application form.

Note: Although every care has been taken in preparing this advertisement notice, possibility of inadvertent/technical error cannot be ruled out. This office reserves the right to rectify the same later on.

  
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Associate Professor & Head  
Dept. of Silviculture & Agroforestry  
COF, UHF, Nauni (Solan)

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Dated: 19/01/2026

Copy of the above is forwarded to the following for information and wide circulation/publicity:

1. All the Statutory Officer, Dr YSP, UHF, Nauni (Solan).
2. The Deans, COH&F, Neri (Hamirpur)/COH&F, Thunag (Mandi).
3. All the Professor & Head(s), COH/COF, Dr YSP, UHF, Nauni (Solan).
4. All the Associate Director(s)/Incharge(s) of Outstations/KVKs, Dr YSP, UHF.
5. The Professor & Incharge, CIC, Dr YSP, UHF, Nauni (Solan) for uploading the same on University website.
6. The Secretary to the Vice-Chancellor, Dr YSP, UHF, Nauni (Solan).
7. Concerned PI of the Project.
8. Notice Boards/Guard File.

  
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