



Call for Applications for Participation in a Foreign Academic Training Programme

The Uttarakhand Council for Biotechnology (UCB), Government of Uttarakhand, invites applications from meritorious students, research scholars, and young researchers of Universities/Colleges/Research Institutions of Uttarakhand for participation in a **One-Week International Academic and Laboratory Training Programme** to be organized in collaboration with **St. Petersburg State University of Veterinary Medicine, Russia**.

The programme is designed to provide international exposure and hands-on laboratory training in advanced molecular biology techniques with special emphasis on **Molecular Diagnostics** and **Molecular Genetics**. Participants will receive practical training on state-of-the-art instruments and technologies used in modern biological and biotechnological research.

Eligibility Criteria

1. Students pursuing Undergraduate, Postgraduate, Doctoral, or equivalent programmes in Biotechnology, Life Sciences, Veterinary Sciences, Agriculture, Microbiology, Molecular Biology, Biochemistry, Genetics, Biomedical Sciences, or allied disciplines.
2. Research Scholars and Young Researchers associated with recognized institutions in Uttarakhand.
3. Applicants should possess a good academic record and demonstrated interest in research and innovation.
4. Applicants must possess a valid passport or undertake to obtain one before commencement of the programme.
5. Scientists of the Uttarakhand Council for Biotechnology (UCB) may also apply for participation in the programme.

Financial Support

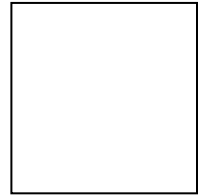
1. **International Airfare:** To be borne by the selected participants.
2. **Accommodation:** Will be provided/arranged by partner university during the training programme.
3. **Meals:** One-time lunch will be arranged by partner university.
4. Visa fees, travel insurance, local transportation, and all other personal expenses shall be borne by the participants.

Selection Procedure

Applications shall be evaluated by a Screening Committee constituted by UCB. Selection will be based on academic merit, research interest, statement of purpose, if required.

Application Procedure

UTTARAKHAND COUNCIL FOR BIOTECHNOLOGY (UCB)
APPLICATION FORM
One-Week International Academic & Laboratory Training Programme



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1. Full Name of Applicant: _____
2. Father's / Mother's Name: _____
3. Date of Birth: _____
4. Gender: _____
5. Nationality: _____
6. Aadhaar Number: _____
7. Passport Number (if available): _____
8. Passport Validity (From–To): _____
9. Have you travelled abroad before? (Yes/No): _____
10. Correspondence Address: _____
11. Permanent Address: _____
12. Mobile Number: _____
13. Email ID: _____
14. Institution/University: _____
15. Department: _____
16. Course / Degree: _____
17. Year / Semester: _____
18. Academic Qualifications: _____
19. Research Experience (if any): _____
20. Publications / Awards (if any): _____
21. Emergency Contact Name & Number: _____

Declaration

I hereby declare that the information furnished above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the programme.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date: _____

Place: _____

Recommendation of Head of Department / Institution

Name & Designation: _____

Signature & Seal: _____

Interested candidates may submit their applications in the prescribed format along with:

- Academic certificates and mark sheets.
- Curriculum Vitae (CV).
- Copy of valid passport (if available).
- Statement of Purpose (maximum 500 words).
- Recommendation/Forwarding letter from the Head of Institution/Department.

Last Date for Submission of Applications

The completed application form along with supporting documents must reach UCB on or before **20 June 2026 (05:00 PM)**.

UCB reserves the right to accept or reject any application without assigning any reason thereof. The decision of the Council with respect to the selection of participants shall be final and binding on all concerned.

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