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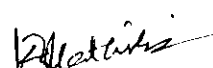
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
✓ All the Unit / Sub Unit Head
AAU, Anand

Please find attached herewith the letter No. CAG/44/535, Dated 5th November, 2014 received from Dr. J. Kumar, Dean, Agriculture, G. B. Pant University of Agriculture & Technology, Pantnagar regarding 7 days Capacity Building Programme for University Teachers on Advances in Pedagogical Approaches in University Teaching during 24 to 30 December, 2014. This is for your kind information and further necessary action.

Encl : As Above


**DIRECTOR OF RESEARCH & DEAN
FACULTY OF P. G. STUDIES**



Ref.: CAG/44/ 
Dated: November  2014

Sir,

Quality of Teaching in Agricultural Universities has been a matter of emphasis for long. The Educational Technology Cell of College of Agriculture of G. B. Pant University of Agriculture & Technology, Pantnagar is functional to nurture the faculty members in teaching skills regularly through various capacity building programmes. We have addressed issues like Facilitative Teaching, Experiential Learning, Effective Lecturing, Matching with Learning Styles of learners, Lesson Plan Preparation, Effective Use of Smart Class Rooms, Speaking Skills, Questioning Skills, Bloom's taxonomy, etc. The feedback of faculty members in each training has been very positive.

The Educational Technology Cell of the College is conducting a 07 days **Capacity Building Programme for University Teachers on Advances in Pedagogical Approaches in University Teaching** on 24 to 30 Dec. 2014. The programme will lay emphasis on the Essential Teaching Skills for teachers of agricultural universities including style of teaching for enhancement of learning, facilitative teaching for motivation in class room, project and problem based teaching-learning, Integrating ICT in classroom teaching etc. The programme is expected to build up the capacity of University teachers in reference to advancements in Educational Technology. Emphasis will be made on hands-on skill generation through interactive processes, assignments, peer-group reinforcements and video-recordings under supervision of skilled, veteran and celebrity experts.

I request you to kindly nominate two faculty members from your organization. A fee of Rs. 2000/- is payable for the registration, cost on TA/DA and boarding/lodging to be borne by the participants.

The programme brochure and nomination form are enclosed. The nomination form may be photocopied or downloaded from the University website as well.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,


(J. Kumar)

Encl.: As above.

Venue:

The training will be held at G. B. Pant University of Agriculture & Technology, Pantnagar 263145, Uttarakhand. The programme is fully residential. Pantnagar is well connected from Delhi, Lucknow, Howrah, Jaipur, Jammu through direct trains. Tickets for Pantnagar is supposed to be booked upto Lalkuan Junction/ Haldi Road, which are adjoining Railway stations.

Programme fee:

The programme has a fee of Rs. 2000 only for all participants. The amount can be paid by crossed DD drawn in favour of Dean Agriculture, GB Pant University of Agriculture & Technology, payable at Pantnagar. The fee doesent include boarding, lodging and travel expenses of the participants. The participants are expected to be sponsored by their respective Universities/ Institutes. The boarding and lodging will be provided in the University Guest House(s) on twin sharing and paid basis. The charges will be Rs. 400/- per day per person (Rs. 200/- for board and Rs. 200/- for lodging).

Nomination:

Nomination in the prescribed form should reach either by post or electronically by 30 November, 2014. Selected candidates will be intimated by email. Nominations may be sent to:

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Pantnagar 263145, Uttarakhand, India
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**Capacity Building Programme for
University Teachers**

ON

**Advances in Pedagogical
Approaches in University
Teaching**

24-30 December, 2014

**Educational Technology Cell
College of Agriculture**

G. B. Pant University of Agriculture & Technology
Pantnagar 263145, Uttarakhand, India
www.gbpuat.ac.in

Capacity Building Programme for University Teachers on Advances in Pedagogical Approaches in University Teaching

Capacity Building Programme for University Teachers on Advances in Pedagogical Approaches in University Teaching has been exclusively designed for the faculty members of Agricultural Universities to lay emphasis on the Essential Teaching Skills for teachers of agricultural universities. The programme will include aspects of managing course content, delivering course content and facilitating the learning in class room situation through proper use of advancements of Educational Technology.

Objectives:

- To provide the philosophy and insight of teaching in context of optimising learning in Class Room.
- To acquaint with different teaching methodologies to cater to lower order and higher order concerns of learning.
- To impart essential skills to create proper learning environment in Class Room.
- To impart skills to efficiently integrate the advancements of Educational Technology in course planning and delivery.

Major Theme and Content

- ✓ Using Bloom's Taxonomy for agenda setting
- ✓ Content Management and Lesson Plan Preparation
- ✓ Matching with Learning Styles of Learners
- ✓ Facilitative Teaching Skills
- ✓ Effective Speaking Skills for enhancing Learning
- ✓ Experiential Learning for students' integration
- ✓ Designing Effective Lectures, projects and presentations.

Methodology

Skill imparting will be the core of this programme. Emphasis will be made on hands-on skill generation through mentoring, counselling, interactive processes, assignments, peer-group reinforcements and video-recordings.

Resource Persons

The programme will be executed under Team-Training approach in which each session will be guided by a team of veteran experts with their vast experience, insight and skill set. Capable Resource Persons from different Agricultural Universities/ ICAR Institutes will facilitate the participants.

(format for designing and printing, may be sent electronically)

Educational Technology Cell

College of Agriculture

G. B. Pant University of Agriculture & Technology

Pantnagar 263145, Uttarakhand, India

Nomination Form

1. Name of the Programme and Date
2. Full Name:
3. Date of birth and age
4. Sex
5. Designation
6. Present employer and address
7. Address for communication
 - a) Phone:
 - b) Mobile:
 - c) Fax:
 - d) Email:
8. Teaching experience

(Signature of Applicant)

Date:

Place:

Recommendation of the sponsoring authority

(Signature and Designation of Nominating Authority)