

RECRUITMENT RULES FOR THE POST OF PROGRAMME COORDINATOR & ITS EQUIVALENT

Prescribed Qualifications :

- a) Good academic record with a Ph.D Degree in Agriculture or Allied Science.
- b) A Master's Degree with at least 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) in Agriculture or Allied Science.
- c) *A minimum of **eight years of experience** of teaching and/or research in an academic/research position equivalent to that of Assistant Professor in a University, College or Accredited Research Institution/Industry excluding the period of Ph.D research with evidence of published work and a minimum of 5 publications as books and / or research/ policy papers. Three years of experience must be in the field of conceded specialized subject as Assistant Professor or its equivalent post.*
- d) *Contribution to educational innovation, design of new curricula and courses, and technology- mediated teaching learning process with evidence of having guided doctoral candidates and research students.*
- e) *A minimum score as stipulated in the Academic Performance Indicator (API) based on ICAR regulations/ UGC regulations.*

Desirable :

Five years experience of working in Extension Education Programme.

Possess the basic knowledge of computer application equivalent to course on computer concepts (CCC+) of Department of Electronic Accreditation of Computer Courses (DOEACC) society or of the level as may be prescribed by Government from time to time.

Age : Below 45 years

Relaxation :

- a) Age relaxable in suitable cases of the employees of the Gujarat Agricultural Universities.
- b) For the purpose of eligibility and for assessing good academic record during direct recruitment, a relaxation of 5% at the **Graduate and Master's** level for the SC/ST/ Differently-abled (Physically and visually differently- abled) categories of the candidates.
- c) The eligibility marks of 55% marks (or an equivalent grade in a point scale wherever grading system is followed) and the relaxation of 5% to the categories mentioned above are permissible, based on only the qualifying marks excluding grace marks if any.
- d) *A relaxation of 5% may be provided, from 55% to 50% of the marks to the Ph.D degree holders, who have obtained their Master's degree prior to 19th September, 1991.*
