

Government of Uttarakhand
Ayush & Ayush Education Department
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Dehradun, Dated: 15 October, 2026

PRESS NOTE

Applications are Invited for Appointment of Vice-Chancellor

Curriculum Vitae from distinguished scholars, academicians of repute, a visionary with excellent leadership quality having highest level of competence, integrity, morals and institutional commitment in the field of AYUSH education, with a minimum of ten years of experience as a Professor in any stream of AYUSH in a University system or ten years of experience in an equivalent position in a reputed research and/or academic administrative organization, are invited for consideration for appointment to the post of Vice-Chancellor, Uttarakhand Ayurved University, Dehradun. The maximum age of the applicant at the time of recommendation by the Search Committee shall not exceed 65 years. The term of appointment shall be three years from the date of joining.

In addition to the above-mentioned qualifications and experience, the applicants must fulfil the following conditions:

1. No vigilance inquiry, departmental inquiry or legal proceedings shall be pending against the applicant at the time of submission of the application and during the selection process.
2. No case or legal proceeding shall have been instituted against the applicant before the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India or any Hon'ble High Court. The applicant shall disclose all relevant litigation, if any, in the application form.
3. The applicant must fulfil all the qualifications, eligibility criteria, and other applicable standards prescribed by the University Grants Commission (UGC), for appointment to the post of Vice-Chancellor.

The application form in the prescribed format may be downloaded from the University's website: <https://ayurved.uk.gov.in> Contact Details: 0135-2608769

The duly completed application form, along with all annexures and supporting documents, must reach the office of the "Director, Ayurvedic and Unani Services, Uttarakhand, Dehradun, Danda Lakhond, Near I.T. Park, P.O. Gujrada, Sahastradhara Road, Dehradun - 248001", by Registered/Speed post on or before 06 November, 2026 till 5:00 PM.



(Ranjana Rajguru, IAS)
Secretary, AYUSH and AYUSH Education/
Member-Secretary, Search Committee

UTTARAKHAND AYURVED UNIVERSITY (UAU)

Harrawala, Dehradun, Uttarakhand – 248001

Website: <https://ayurved.uk.gov.in>

APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHANCELLOR

Advertisement No.: 2782/XL-1/2026-12/2023

The Search and Selection Committee invites applications from eminent academicians and institutional leaders for appointment to the post of **Vice-Chancellor, Uttarakhand Ayurved University**, as per UGC Regulations and Uttarakhand Ayurved University Act, 2009 norms.

- **Eligibility:** A person possessing the highest level of competence, integrity, morals and institutional commitment is to be appointed as Vice-Chancellor. The person to be appointed as a Vice-Chancellor should be a distinguished academician, with a minimum of ten years of experience as Professor in a University or ten years of experience in reputed research and / or academic administrative organisation with proof of having demonstrated academic leadership.
- **Tenure & Emoluments:** As per the Uttarakhand Ayurved University Act, 2009 and State Government norms as adopted from UGC.

How to Apply:

Detailed eligibility criteria, terms of appointment, and the prescribed application proforma can be downloaded from the university website <https://ayurved.uk.gov.in>.

Duly filled-in applications, supported by self-attested copies of testimonials, age proof, comprehensive 3-year vision statement, **No Objection Certificate (NOC)**, and a **Vigilance Clearance Certificate**, must reach the undersigned via Registered/Speed Post within **21 days** of the publication of this advertisement.

Address for Submission:

Director,

Ayurvedic and Unani services Uttarakhand,
Danda Lakhond, Near I.T. Park, P.O. Gujrada,
Sahastradhara Road, Dehradun - 248001

Date: October, 2026

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UTTARAKHAND AYURVED UNIVERSITY (UAU)

Harrawala, Dehradun, Uttarakhand – 248001

Website: <https://ayurved.uk.gov.in> | Email:

ADVERTISEMENT FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHANCELLOR

Notification No.: 2782/YL-1/2026-12/2023

Date of Issuance: 15 October, 2026

1. About the University

Uttarakhand Ayurved University (UAU), established by the Government of Uttarakhand vide Uttarakhand Act 2009, is a premier state university dedicated to the promotion, propagation, education and research of Ayurveda and traditional Indian systems of medicine. The university encompasses multiple constituent colleges, hospitals and affiliated institutions across the state imparting high standards of undergraduate, postgraduate and doctoral programs.

2. Invitation of Applications

The Search and Selection Committee invites applications from eminent academicians and distinguished administrators with exceptionally high academic achievements, unblemished integrity and a clear vision for the advancement of Ayurvedic education, healthcare and research for appointment to the post of **Vice-Chancellor, Uttarakhand Ayurved University**.

3. Key Position Details

- **Name of the Post:** Vice-Chancellor
- **Tenure:** As per the Uttarakhand Ayurved University Act, 2009 and UGC Regulations / State Government norms in force (typically a term of 3 years or up to the age limit prescribed by statutes).
- **Emoluments & Allowances:** Salary and allowances as admissible under the University Act / Statutes / State Government guidelines.

4. Eligibility Criteria (As per UGC & State Norms)

Candidates must full fill the following mandatory qualifications and experience criteria:

- **Academic Record:** A distinguished academic record with a Ph.D./P.G. degree in any subject in AYUSH or related disciplines/sciences from a recognized University/Institution.

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- **Professorial Experience:** A minimum of **ten (10) years of experience as a Professor** in a University system (for candidates applying from teaching background) **or** (not to be mixed with or/and)
- equivalent experience in reputed research and/or academic administrative organization (for candidates applying from research organisation or/and academic administration background).
- **Publications & Research:** High-quality research publications in peer-reviewed/indexed journals (UGC-Care listed), books authored, and successful guidance of Ph.D. scholars.
- **Administrative Leadership:** Proven administrative acumen and leadership experience in senior academic management roles (such as Dean, Director, Registrar, HOD or Syndicate/Senate member) with a track record of institutional development, financial management and fostering academic excellence.
- **Age Limit:** The maximum age of the applicant at the time of recommendation by the Search Committee **shall not exceed 65 years.** (as prescribed under the Uttarakhand State University norms.)

5. Desired Leadership Attributes & Vision

- Deep commitment to the growth, modernization and global positioning of Ayurveda and integrative medicine.
- Ability to forge strategic collaborations with national and international research organizations, healthcare institutions and traditional medicine bodies.
- Administrative vision to enhance clinical infrastructure, hospital services, academic curricula and digital governance within the university ecosystem.

6. How to Apply

1. **Application Format:** Candidates are required to submit their applications in the prescribed application form downloadable from the website (<https://ayurved.uk.gov.in>).
2. **Mandatory Enclosures:** The application must be accompanied by self-attested copies of:
 - Proof of Date of Birth (Age Proof).
 - Certificates and mark sheets of all educational qualifications (Bachelor's degree onwards).

- Experience certificate of 10 years' experience as Professor in any stream of AYUSH in a university system.
 - Experience certificates detailing professorial
 - Experience certificates administrative tenure.
 - List of research publications, books, patents and projects.
 - **No Objection Certificate (NOC)** and formal forwarding letter from the present employer (if applicable).
 - **Vigilance Clearance Certificate** issued by the competent authority of the present/past employer.
 - Certificate of no case is pending in SC/HC/any court of law.
 - Certificate of no departmental/vigilance inquiry.
 - Certificate of fulfilling UGC norms for VC candidate.
 - A comprehensive **Vision Statement (300–500 words)** outlining the proposed strategic development plan for UAU for the next three years.
3. **Submission Mode:** Duly filled-in applications along with all supporting documents and recent passport-size photograph affixed must be sent through **Registered/Speed Post** in a sealed envelope superscribed "**Application for the Post of Vice-Chancellor, UAU**" to the following address:

Director,
 Ayurvedic and Unani services Uttarakhand,
 Danda Lakhond, Near I.T. Park, P.O. Gujrada,
 Sahastradhara Road, Dehradun - 248001

4. **Closing Date:** The last date for receipt of complete applications at the University office is **[Insert Date: 21 Days from Publication]** by **5:00 PM**. Incomplete applications, applications received after the due date, or those without mandatory endorsements (NOC and Vigilance Clearance) will be summarily rejected.

Note: Canvassing in any form will be treated as a disqualification. The Search Committee reserves the right to fill or not to fill the vacancy without assigning any reason.

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UTTARAKHAND AYURVED UNIVERSITY (UAU)

APPLICATION FOR THE POST OF VICE-CHANCELLOR (As per UGC Regulations & State University Norms)

Instructions: Please fill out all sections completely and attach self-attested copies of testimonials, certificates, age proof, NoC, and Vigilance Clearance. Incomplete applications will be summarily rejected.

1. General Information & Personal Details

1. Full Name (in Block Letters):

2. Father's / Husband's Name:

3. Date of Birth (DD/MM/YYYY):

4. Age as on closing date:

5. Nationality & Gender:

6. Category
(UR/SC/ST/OBC/EWS):

7. Aadhaar / ID Proof Details:

Affix Recent
Passport Size
Photograph
(Self-Attested)

Address Details

Permanent Address:

Correspondence Address:

2. Academic Qualifications (Bachelor's Degree onwards)

Sl. No.	Degree / Examination	University / Institution	Year of Passing	% / CGPA	Subjects / Specialization
1					
2					
3					
4					

3. Professional & Teaching Experience (Chronological Order)

Sl. No.	Post Held	Organization / Institution	From (Date)	To (Date)	Nature of Duties / Experience
1					
2					
3					

4. Administrative / Leadership Roles (e.g., Dean, Director, Registrar, HoD, Syndicate/Senate Member)

Sl. No.	Position / Leadership Role	Institution / University	Duration (From - To)	Key Achievements / Responsibilities
1				
2				
3				

5. Research Publications & Academic Contributions (As per UGC API / Scoring Norms)

Sl. No.	Parameter / Academic Output	Total Number / Details
1	1. Published Research Papers in Peer-Reviewed / UGC-Care / Indexed Journals	
2	2. Books Authored / Edited / Chapters in Scholarly Books	
3	3. Research Projects Undertaken (Principal Investigator / Co-PI)	
4	4. Ph.D. Scholars Guided / Awarded (As Supervisor / Co-Supervisor)	
5	5. Patents / Technology Transfers / Ayurveda Formulations Developed	

6. Vision Statement for Uttarakhand Ayurved University (Next 3 Years)

Please provide a concise vision statement (in approx. 300-500 words) outlining your strategic goals for the academic, research, clinical, and administrative development of Uttarakhand Ayurved University over the next three years, attach additional sheets if necessary.

[Insert / Write Vision Statement Here]

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7. Declaration of Fulfilling UGC Norms & Eligibility

I hereby declare that:

- a) I fulfill all the eligibility criteria prescribed by the University Grants Commission (UGC) Regulations on Minimum Qualifications for Appointment of Teachers and other Academic Staff in Universities and Colleges (and subsequent amendments) for the post of Vice-Chancellor.
- b) I possess a minimum of 10 years of experience as a Professor in a University system.
- c) Or equivalent experience in a reputed research and / or academic administrative organization.
- c) No departmental inquiry, criminal case, vigilance case, or disciplinary action is pending, contemplated, or underway against me in any past or present place of employment.
- d) All statements, information, and documents submitted along with this application are true, correct, and authentic to the best of my knowledge and belief. In case any information is found to be false or incorrect at any stage, my candidature/appointment shall be liable to be cancelled.

Date: _____
Place: _____

Signature of the Applicant
(Name: _____)

8. Endorsements & Official Certificates (Mandatory)

Note: Sections 8.1, 8.2, and 8.3 must be filled and officially endorsed by the competent authority of the applicant's present employer/institution.

8.1 Age Proof Verification (Self-Attested Document Attached)

Document Attached (e.g., Matriculation
Certificate / Birth Certificate / Passport):

Verified by Competent Authority / Self-Attested
Details:

8.2 No Objection Certificate (NoC) and Forwarding from Present Employer

Forwarded with the recommendation that Dr./Prof. _____ is currently working as _____ in this Department / Institution / University w.e.f. _____. This institution has no objection to his/her application for the post of Vice-Chancellor, Uttarakhand Ayurved University. In case of selection, he/she will be relieved as per institutional norms.

Signature of Head of Institution / Registrar / Competent Authority:

Name: _____
Designation: _____
Seal / Stamp: _____
Date: _____ Place: _____

8.3 Vigilance Clearance Certificate

This is to certify that no vigilance case, departmental inquiry, criminal proceeding, or disciplinary action is pending, contemplated, or underway against Dr./Prof. _____ in this University / Organization / Department.

Signature of Registrar / Chief Vigilance Officer / Competent Authority:

Name: _____
Designation: _____

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Official Seal / Stamp: _____

Date: _____ Place: _____

8.4 Experience Certificate as Minimum 10 years' Professorial Experience

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[NAME OF THE UNIVERSITY / INSTITUTION / ORGANIZATION]

[Official Address, Website, and Contact Details]

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN
CERTIFICATE OF PROFESSORIAL EXPERIENCE

Ref. No.: _____

Date: _____

This is to certify that **Dr./Prof. [Candidate's Full Name]** has been serving in this University / Institution / Organization in the capacity of **Professor** on a regular / substantive basis. The complete details of his/her tenure and active service are given below:

1. Designation Held:	Professor [Specify Department / Discipline]
2. Status of Appointment:	Regular / Substantive / Permanent / Tenure-based
3. Period of Service as Professor:	From [DD/MM/YYYY] to [DD/MM/YYYY]
4. Total Experience as Professor:	[E.g., 10 Years, 03 Months, and 15 Days]
5. Nature of Duties & Responsibilities:	Teaching, Post-Graduate Research Guidance (Ph.D.), Academic Administration, Curriculum Development, and Institutional Governance.

It is further certified that during his/her tenure as Professor in this institution, **Dr./Prof. [Candidate's Full Name]** has demonstrated exemplary academic leadership, active involvement in scholarly research publications, successful guidance of doctoral scholars, and unblemished professional conduct. There is no departmental inquiry, disciplinary action, or vigilance case pending or contemplated against him/her.

This certificate is issued upon the specific request of the incumbent for the purpose of submitting an application for the post of **Vice-Chancellor, Uttarakhand Ayurved University (UAU)**.

Signature of Competent Authority:

Name: _____

Designation (Registrar / Vice-Chancellor / Director): _____

Official Seal / Stamp:

Date: _____

Place: _____

8.5- Certificate of fulfilling VC minimum qualification as prescribed by UGC-

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[NAME OF THE UNIVERSITY / INSTITUTION / ORGANIZATION]

[Official Address, Website, and Contact Details]

CERTIFICATE OF VERIFICATION AND FULFILLMENT OF UGC NORMS

(By the Controlling Officer / Competent Authority)

Ref. No.: _____

Date: _____

This is to certify that **Dr./Prof. [Candidate's Full Name]** is presently serving as **[Current Designation / Professor & Head / Dean]** in this University / Institution / Department on a regular / substantive basis w.e.f. **[Joining Date]**.

It is further certified that:

1. All academic credentials, degrees (Ph.D., Master's, Bachelor's), research publications, and experience certificates submitted by the candidate have been thoroughly examined and verified against original records and testimonials available in the institutional files.
2. The candidate fulfills all the minimum qualifications, eligibility criteria, and professorial experience requirements prescribed by the University Grants Commission (UGC) Regulations for appointment to the post of Vice-Chancellor.
3. The particulars furnished by the candidate in their application form are correct to the best of my knowledge and official records.

This certificate is issued upon the specific request of the applicant for submission of their candidature for the post of **Vice-Chancellor, Uttarakhand Ayurved University (UAU)**.

Signature of Controlling Officer / Competent Authority:

Name: _____

Designation (Registrar / Vice-Chancellor / Secretary / Head): _____

Official Seal / Stamp:

Date: _____

Place: _____

Handwritten mark

FORMAT OF AFFIDAVIT / SELF-DECLARATION

(To be furnished by the Candidate on Non-Judicial Stamp Paper of ₹100 Value, Duly Notarized)

I, Dr./Prof. [Candidate's Full Name], S/o / D/o / W/o [Father's / Husband's Name], aged about [_____] years, resident of [Permanent Residential Address], do hereby solemnly affirm, declare, and state on oath as under:

1. That I am an applicant for the post of Vice-Chancellor, Uttarakhand Ayurved University (UAU) pursuant to the official advertisement issued by the University.
2. That I possess all the mandatory minimum qualifications, academic credentials, research metrics, and professorial experience as prescribed by the University Grants Commission (UGC) Regulations and as stipulated in the advertisement for the said post.
3. That all educational certificates, degrees, mark sheets, testimonials, experience certificates, research publications, and other supporting documents submitted along with my application form are genuine, authentic, and verified from original records. No material fact, disqualification, or disciplinary proceeding has been concealed.
4. That in the event of any information, document, testimonial, or credential submitted by me being found to be false, incorrect, forged, fabricated, or misleading at any stage (whether during screening, interview, selection, or post-appointment), my candidature and/or appointment to the post of Vice-Chancellor shall stand summarily cancelled ab initio from the date of the advertisement.
5. That in the event of such cancellation or discovery of any discrepancy/falsification, I shall be legally bound to immediately refund and deposit all salaries, allowances, perks, perquisites, and financial benefits received by me from the University or State Exchequer during my tenure, and the University shall be fully competent to initiate appropriate civil, criminal, and disciplinary proceedings against me under the law.
6. That there is no departmental inquiry, criminal proceeding, vigilance case, or any litigation/case whatsoever pending, contemplated, or underway against me in the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, any High Court, or any other court of law, tribunal, or judicial forum in India regarding my service, professional conduct, or any other matter whatsoever.

VERIFICATION:

I, the above-named deponent, do hereby verify and declare that the contents of paragraphs 1 to 5 of this affidavit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief, no part of it is false, and nothing material has _____ been _____ concealed _____ therefrom.

Verified at [Place] on this [_____] day of [Month], [Year].

(Signature of Deponent)

Name: _____

Commissioner

Date: _____

(Signature & Seal of Notary)

Notary Public / Oath

Registration / Serial No.:

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[NAME OF THE UNIVERSITY / INSTITUTION / ORGANIZATION]

[Official Address, Website, and Contact Details]

NO COURT CASE / LIGATION CLEARANCE CERTIFICATE
(To be issued by the Competent Authority / Registrar / Controlling Officer)

Ref. No.: _____ Date: _____

This is to certify that **Dr./Prof. [Candidate's Full Name]**, presently working as **[Current Designation / Professor]** in this University / Institution / Organization, has an unblemished record of service.

It is further explicitly certified that:

1. There is NO court case, writ petition, civil/criminal case, or litigation of any nature pending, contemplated, or underway against him/her in the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, any High Court, or any other court of law, tribunal, or judicial forum in India regarding his/her service, professional conduct, or any other matter.
2. There is no departmental inquiry, vigilance proceeding, or disciplinary action pending or contemplated against him/her in this organization or any past place of employment.
3. To the best of official knowledge and verified institutional records, no adverse judicial entry, conviction, or order has ever been passed against him/her by any court of law.

This certificate is issued upon the specific request of the applicant for submission along with his/her application for appointment to the post of **Vice-Chancellor, Uttarakhand Ayurved University (UAU)**.

Signature of Competent Authority / Registrar / Controlling Officer:

Name: _____

Designation: _____

University / Organization: _____

Official Seal / Stamp:

Date: _____

Place: _____

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UTTARAKHAND AYURVED UNIVERSITY (UAU)

CANDIDATE'S SELF-ASSESSMENT & API / SCORING PROFORMA (For the Post of Vice-Chancellor as per UGC Guidelines)

Instructions: Candidates are required to provide a structured self-assessment of their academic, research, administrative, and leadership credentials against UGC benchmarks. Please attach supporting documentary evidence for each claimed score/parameter.

Candidate's Full Name: _____	Current Designation: _____
Present Institution: _____	Discipline / Specialization: _____

Summary of Self-Assessment & Academic Credentials

Sl. No.	Performance Parameter / Evaluation Criteria	Candidate's Self-Evaluation / Claimed Details	Page No. of Proof Attached
1	Academic Qualifications (Ph.D., Post-Graduation, Bachelor's in Ayurveda/Related Disciplines)		
2	Total Professorial Experience (Minimum 10 Years as Professor in University/Institution)		
3	Research Publications in Peer-Reviewed / UGC-Care / Indexed Journals		
4	Books Authored, Chapters in Scholarly Books & Monographs		
5	Research Projects Undertaken (As Principal Investigator / Co-PI / Major Grants)		
6	Ph.D. Scholars Successfully Guided and Awarded (As Supervisor / Co-Supervisor)		
7	Administrative & Leadership Experience (Dean, Director, Registrar, HoD, Syndicate Member)		
8	Patents, Technology Transfers, and Traditional Ayurveda Formulations Developed		
9	Key Academic Awards, Fellowships, and Recognitions at National / International Level		
10	Contribution to Institutional Development, Hospital Infrastructure, and Digital Governance		

Detailed Narrative Self-Assessment (Leadership, Vision & Achievements)

A. Key Academic & Research Contributions:

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[Describe major milestones in research, publications, curriculum innovation, and contributions to Ayurveda/Higher Education]

B. Administrative & Executive Leadership Experience:

[Detail leadership roles held, budget management, institutional governance, handling of regulatory bodies (NCISM/Ayush/UGC), and team building]

C. Strategic Vision for Uttarakhand Ayurved University (UAU):

[Summarize your 3 year strategic blueprint for elevating UAU into a world-class center of excellence in Ayurvedic education, healthcare, and research]

Candidate's Declaration

I hereby declare that all the information, metrics, claims, and documents provided in this self-assessment proforma are true, correct, and verifiable against original records. I understand that any discrepancy or exaggeration found during evaluation by the Search and Selection Committee will render my candidature liable for disqualification.

Date: _____

Place: _____

Signature of the Candidate

(Name: _____)

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