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UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES, BANGALORE
Office of the Registrar, GKVK, Bengaluru-560065



No. R/AR/PG-GKV GM/ C-60th /2025-26

Date: 29.01.2026

NOTIFICATION

Sub: Award of Prof. G.K. Veeresh Gold Medal for outstanding M.Sc. (Agri.) / Ph.D. scholars of UAS, Bangalore, PG thesis with research on "Organic Farming" for the academic year 2024-25-reg.

Ref: 1. This Office Notification No. R/AR/SA/AC-194/Part-B/Item-15/2022-23 dated: 22.09.2022
2. This Office Notification No. R/AR/UG & PG/60th Convo. /2025-26 dated: 28.11.2025
3. Approval of the DoE & Vice-Chancellor, UAS, Bangalore dated 28.01.2026

Applications are invited for award of "Prof. G.K. Veeresh Gold Medal" for M.Sc. (Agri.) / Ph.D. scholars of UAS, Bangalore in the disciplines of Agriculture/ Horticulture / Sericulture / Forestry and completed their degree programmes successfully during 2024-25. Those who have worked for their thesis problem on **Organic Farming**.

The list of eligible candidates based on the recommendations of the selection committee should be sent along with OGPA, PDC & Research Abstracts to the Office of the Registrar on or before **24.02.2026**.

The guidelines for awarding the gold medal for PG & Ph.D. candidates.

1. The candidate should have completed all the formalities for the award of degree on or before **31st December 2025** with OGPA of above 9.000 out of 10.000.
2. The candidate who have been awarded with grades as 'Failed / SA / Non-Satisfactory' in any of the courses registered during the respective degree programme, shall not be eligible to receive Donor's Gold Medals.
3. In case of a tie between two or more students, the student securing the highest OGPA shall be awarded Gold Medal by considering fourth / fifth decimal.
4. The candidate should possess minimum of one published research paper in a journal with NAAS rating of 6.00 and above from Doctoral thesis research work (Applicable only Ph.D. candidate).

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5. The criteria for evaluation and award of Gold Medal shall be as follows (Applicable only Ph.D. candidate):

- a. Sixty points is from OGPA of the candidate (60% of OGPA)
- b. The remaining 40% of the points would be calculated based on multiplication of NAAS rating with the corresponding factor as detailed below from research paper published out of Doctoral thesis research work with NAAS ratings of 6 and above only

Journal NAAS rating		Multiplying factor
From	To	
6.00	6.99	1.0666
7.00	7.99	1.1332
8.00	8.99	1.1998
9.00	9.99	1.2664
10.00	10.99	1.3330
11.00	11.99	1.3996
12.00	12.99	1.4662
13.00	13.99	1.5328
14.00	14.99	1.5994
15.00	15.99	1.6660
16.00	16.99	1.7326
17.00	17.99	1.7992
18.00	18.99	1.8658
19.00	19.99	1.9624
20.00	-	2.0000

- c. Each the research papers published by the candidate as a first author from their Doctoral thesis research work in journals with a NAAS rating of 6 and above shall be multiplied with a factor indicated above and cumulative points will be arrived at by adding the points across all the publications arising out of the Doctoral thesis research with a ceiling/maximum of 40 points.
- d. NAAS rating of Journal for the year of publications only shall be considered for evaluation
- e. Impact factor of the journal(s) shall be considered w.r.t. research papers published in journals without NAAS rating.
- f. All research papers have to be duly certified by the Major Advisor and HoD indicating that the contents are part of their Doctoral thesis research work.
- g. If two or more candidates obtain cumulative points, candidate with higher cumulative points arising from research paper component (40 points) shall be considered for the award of Gold Medal. If both, OGPA (60 points) and research paper component (40 points) are similar, then fourth/fifth decimal of OGPA shall be considered for award of Gold Medal.

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Award of Prof. G.K. Veeresh Gold Medal for M.Sc. (Agri.) / Ph.D. scholars of UAS, Bangalore those who have worked for their thesis problem on "Organic Farming" and completed their degree programmes successfully during 2024-25 in the disciplines of Agriculture / Horticulture / Sericulture / Forestry to be awarded at the 60th Annual Convocation for the year 2024-25

(ENTRIES TO BE IN BLOCK LETTERS)

		ID No.	
1.	Name	:	
2.	Name of the PG/Ph.D. Degree	:	
3.	Month and year of completion	:	
4.	Thesis Title	:	
5.	Male / Female	:	
6.	OGPA at completion of degree	:	
7.	Name of Chairperson of the Advisory Committee	:	
8.	Thesis Abstract (Copy to be enclosed)	:	
9.	OGPA and PDC	:	
10.	Photo copies of Research papers published on the relevant topic	:	

Date:

Signature of the Applicant

The filled-in prescribed application form along with the necessary documents may be submitted to the concerned Dean on or before **16.02.2026**.

The above gold medal will be awarded at the **60th** Annual Convocation of the University of Agricultural Sciences, Bangalore which is to be held during **April/May 2026**.

By Order,



REGISTRAR

29/01/26

To,

The Dean (PGS), UAS, GKVK, Bengaluru

Copy to,

1. The Special Officer/s of the constituent colleges of UAS, Bangalore
2. The Dean (Agri.), College of Agriculture, V.C. Farm, Mandya / CoA, Hassan/ CoS, Chintamani.