

## School of Agriculture

### Inviting Applications for Associate Professor of Agriculture

The NIST University, Institute Park, Berhampur, Odisha ([www.nist.edu](http://www.nist.edu)) is inviting applications for a full-time position of Associate Professor of Agriculture.

#### Key Responsibilities:

The School of Agriculture is seeking a dynamic and experienced Associate Professor to contribute to teaching, research, curriculum development, and industry engagement. The ideal candidate will bring a strong academic background, research expertise, and a commitment to supporting sustainable agricultural practices and community development. Key responsibilities include, but not limited to:

- Deliver lectures, lead practical sessions, and conduct seminars in core and elective agricultural disciplines.
- Supervise undergraduate, postgraduate, and Ph.D. students in research and project work.
- Lead and contribute to funded research projects; pursue national/international grants in relevant agricultural domains.
- Develop and revise curricula in alignment with emerging agricultural trends, technologies, and global standards.
- Publish high-impact research in reputed journals and present at recognized academic forums.
- Establish linkages with industry, research institutions, and government organizations for collaboration and knowledge transfer.
- Organize extension and outreach programs for local farmers and agricultural professionals.
- Mentor junior faculty and actively participate in departmental planning and academic governance.

#### Qualification:

The candidate is expected to have:

- Ph.D. in Agriculture or related field from a recognized university.
- Preferred specialization in Agronomy, Horticulture, Soil Science, Agricultural Engineering, Plant Pathology, or allied areas.
- Minimum 7 years of teaching and research experience, with at least 3 years at the level of Assistant Professor or equivalent.
- Strong portfolio of peer-reviewed publications, research projects, and academic contributions.
- Proven experience in guiding Ph.D. students and managing funded research.
- Excellent communication, mentoring, and leadership abilities.

Please submit your application/resume via email at: [career@nist.edu](mailto:career@nist.edu) with copy to [registrar@nist.edu](mailto:registrar@nist.edu) by 27<sup>th</sup> April 2025.

## **About NIST University:**

*NIST University (www.nist.edu), Institute Park, Berhampur, Odisha is a premier research institute in the country today. Nestled in the green hills of Pallur, it is spread over 65 acres of lush green campus with world-class academic infrastructure, Center of Research Excellence (CREs) and Global Innovation Centers (GIC), halls of residence, sport complex and other facilities. NIST currently offers various undergraduate, graduate, and Ph.D. programs in Engineering, Science, and Management. NIST has research collaboration with universities around the globe and strong industry-academia partnerships with multiple industries in different sectors. NIST has been ranked highly in the country by multiple ranking organizations including Govt. of India.*