

GUIDELINES FOR THE AWARD OF UNIVERSITY GOLD MEDAL AS APPROVED BY ACADEMIC COUNCIL IN 2002

The Allahabad Agricultural Institute- Deemed University shall award Gold Medal to a Meritorious candidate in every Under graduate and Post graduate programme.

The following shall be the guidelines for the selection of candidates.

1. The candidate must have topped the merit list and secured at least 70% marks / B grade (as applicable) in all papers and a minimum of 80% marks / A grade (as applicable) in aggregate.
2. The candidate must have cleared all examinations in one attempt.
3. The candidate should not have been punished for use of unfair means in any of the examinations of the examination of AAI - DU.
4. The candidate should not have been **punished for any act of indiscipline**, such as ragging, indecent behavior, teasing, use of alcoholic drinks & drugs, malpractices, misconduct, threat and/or violence etc., either by the University authorities or any court of law.
5. The candidate shall be considered eligible only when he /she clear all courses within stipulated period, including thesis/project/dissertation. Candidate's complete result must be available, **before the Academic Council** meeting is convened for consideration of the awards.
6. When a candidate has topped the merit list and fulfills all the above criteria except that of securing 80% marks in aggregate, he/she shall be awarded a Silver Medal provided he/she has secured not less than 70% marks in aggregate. For the award of **Silver Medal**, the requirement of minimum score in individual subjects shall also not apply.
7. If a topper of a merit list **fails to qualify** due to any of the conditions at serial no. 2, 3, 4 & 5 stated above then the next student in order of merit shall be considered for the award of medal.
8. If **more than one candidate are found eligible** for the award, both/all of them shall be awarded medals.

**GUIDELINES FOR THE UNIVERSITY GOLD/SILVER MEDAL APPROVED BY ACADEMIC COUNCIL
FOR THE SEVENTH CONV. (7th) CONVOCATION – 2011 ONWARDS**

The Sam Higginbottom Institute of Agriculture, Technology & Sciences shall award Gold Medal to a Meritorious student of every Undergraduate and Postgraduate programme.

THE GUIDELINES:

1. The student must have secured First Position in the Merit list and must have scored Highest CGPA of 9.0 in the relative grading or above.
2. In case of more than one student is of 9.0 or more CGPA, highest OGPA will be taken into consideration.
3. The student must have obtained at least B Grade in all courses.
4. The student must have cleared all examinations in one attempt and with continuous study.
5. The student should not have been punished for using unfair means in any of the examinations of SHIATS.
6. The student should not have been punished for any act of indiscipline such as ragging, indecent behavior, teasing, use of alcoholic drinks & drugs, malpractices, misconduct, threat and /or violence etc., either by the university authorities or any court of law.
7. The student shall be considered eligible only when he/she clears all courses and thesis/project/dissertation within the stipulated period of the academic programme.
8. The student's completes result shall be reported to the Academic Council meeting for consideration of the award.
9. When a student has secured First position in the merit list and fulfills all the above criteria except that of securing of CGPA of 9.0 or above, he/she then shall be awarded a Silver Medal provided he/she secured CGPA not less than 8.00. For the award of Silver Medal, the student must have obtained at least C Grade in all courses.

10. If a topper of a merit list fails to qualify any of the conditions at serial no. 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7 stated above, then the next student in order of merit shall be considered for the award of medal.