USMANU DANFODIYO UNIVERSITY, SOKOTO
Postgraduate School

2014/2015 SECOND (2ND) SEMESTER PhD. ADMISSIONS

Applications are invited from suitably qualified candidates for admission into Full-Time/Part-Time Ph.D. Degree programmes in the Postgraduate School, Usmanu Danfodiyo University, Sokoto for the second (2nd) semester 2014/2015 Academic session.

1. ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The following may qualify for the Doctor of Philosophy admission:

(i) Graduates of Usmanu Danfodiyo University and other recognized institutions who have obtained good Masters Degree with a GPA of not less than 4.0 on a 5-point scale or 3.0 on a 4-point scale appropriate to the proposed areas of study.

(ii) Candidates with the Degree of Professional Masters with at least a Bachelor's Degree may qualify for admission provided that they satisfy the condition in (i) above.

(iii) Graduates of Usmanu Danfodiyo University and other recognized institutions who have obtained Masters of Philosophy degree appropriate to the proposed areas of study.

(iv) In addition to (i), (ii) and (iii) above candidates must possess at least a Bachelor's Degree in the Second Class lower division.

(v) Candidates who hold qualifications other than the above which may be acceptable to the Board of Postgraduate School and Senate of the University.

(i) In addition to (i) - (v) above, a candidate must satisfy the University's requirements for matriculation.

2. List of available PhD. Programmes for the 2nd Semester2014/2015 Academic Session

a. Faculty of Agriculture
   i. Department of Forestry and Environment
      Ph.D. (Forestry)
   ii. Department of Animal Science
      Ph.D. Animal Breeding
iii. Department of Soil Science & Agricultural Engineering
   Ph.D. Pedology/Soil Survey
   Ph.D. Soil Fertility/Chemistry
   Ph.D. Soil Microbiology

iv. Department of Agricultural Economics
   Ph.D. Production Economics
   Ph.D. Marketing
   Ph.D. Agricultural Finance
   Ph.D. Resource Economics
   Ph.D. Farm Management

b. Faculty of Arts and Islamic Studies
i. Department of Nigerian Languages
   Ph.D. Hausa Language
   Ph.D. Hausa Literature
   Ph.D. Hausa Culture

ii. Department of Arabic
   Ph.D. Arabic

iii. Department Modern European Language and Linguistics
    Ph.D. English Language
    Ph.D. Literature
    Ph.D. Linguistics
    Ph.D. French

iv. Department of History
   Ph.D. History

c. College of Health Sciences
i. Department of Physiology
   Ph.D. Physiology

ii. Department of Pharmacology
   Ph.D. Pharmacology

iii. Department of Anatomy
   Ph.D. Anatomy
d. Faculty of Science
   i. Department of Biochemistry
      Ph.D. Nutrition
      Ph.D. Pharmacology & Toxicology
      Ph.D. Clinical Biochemistry
      Ph.D. Environmental Biochemistry
      Ph.D. Molecular Biology
   ii. Department of and Applied Chemistry
      Ph.D. Applied chemistry
      Ph.D. Pure Chemistry
      Ph.D. Renewable Energy
      Ph.D. Petroleum Chemistry
   iii. Department of Biological Sciences
      Ph.D. Applied Biology
      Ph.D. Environmental Biology
      Ph.D. Parasitology
      Ph.D. Entomology
      Ph.D. Ecology
      Ph.D. Plant Physiology
      Ph.D. Mycology

e. Faculty of Social Sciences
   i. Department of Geography
      Ph.D. Geography
   ii. Department of Political Science
      Ph.D. Political Science
   iii. Department of Sociology
      Ph.D. Sociology
   iv. Department of Economics
      Ph.D. Economics

f. Faculty of Law
   Ph.D. Law

g. Faculty of Veterinary Medicine
   Ph.D. Veterinary Physiology
   Ph.D. Veterinary Anatomy
2. **METHOD OF APPLICATION**

Application forms are available for sale, online, as from 13\textsuperscript{th} to 30\textsuperscript{th} April, 2015 at the cost of ten thousand naira (₦10,000.00). Appropriate administrative charges will be applied. All Nigerian debit cards are accepted. Interested applicants are hereby advised to visit the Application Website: [http://pg.udusok.edu.ng](http://pg.udusok.edu.ng) for additional information on the Application Procedures.

Applicants should arrange well in advance for their academic transcripts to be forwarded to the undersigned before the closing date.

(Signed)

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