



Uttarakhand Open University

Celebrating “Bharat Ka Amrit Mahotsav”

National Webinar

on

“Role of India in Environmental Sustainability In context to Bio-resources & Water”

27-28 August, 2021
(11.00 AM onwards)

75 weeks prior to Independence Day, 2022 and extending up to Independence Day, 2023

“Bharat Ka Amrit Mahotsav” is an initiative of the Government of India to celebrate and commemorate 75 years of progressive India and the glorious history of its people, culture and achievements. This Mahotsav is dedicated to the people of India who have not only been instrumental in bringing India thus far in its evolutionary journey but also hold within them the power and potential to enable Hon'ble Prime Minister vision of activating India 2.0, fuelled by the spirit of Atmanirbhar Bharat.

Keeping all these things in view, the Department of Botany is organizing a National webinar on “Role of India in Environmental Sustainability: In context to Bio-resources & Water”.

Theme of the Webinar

1. Sustainable use of land, soil and Bio-resources.
2. Conservation of plant genetic resources
3. Awareness programme for conservation of water and water sources
4. Environmental safeguard

About the university

In this era of knowledge economy, higher education is the most critical element for attaining the desired level of national growth. To attain global competitiveness, India needs to double the Gross Enrolment Ratio (GER) in higher education, for achieving which Open and Distance Learning System (ODL) has a significant and unique role to play. Accordingly, Uttarakhand Open University (UOU) has been established with the aim of disseminating knowledge and skills through Open and Distance Learning in Uttarakhand. In its decade long existence, UOU has managed to increase its student base exponentially and greatly expanded the range of formal and vocational courses on offer.



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