

ओड़िशा केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय

(केन्द्रीय विश्वविद्यालय अधिनियम 2009 के अंतर्गत स्थापित)

Central University of Odisha

(Established Under the Central Universities Act, 2009)

No.: CUO/ACA/BOS/CBCNR/102/

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NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 11(3) of the Central Universities Act, 2009, the Vice-Chancellor is pleased to declare that the degree of M.Sc. in Biodiversity and Conservation of Natural Resources awarded by this University shall be considered equivalent to the M.Sc. in Life Sciences for the purpose of higher education only, in respect of students admitted to the said programme during the Academic Years 2022–2023 and 2023–2024.

This equivalency is granted strictly in accordance with the public notice issued by the University Grants Commission (UGC) vide No. F.9-3/2016(CPP-II) dated 19.07.2016, pertaining to the recognition and equivalency of degrees for academic progression.

It is further clarified that such equivalency shall not be applicable as binding for the purposes of employment, promotion, or other service-related matters, wherein the determination of equivalency remains within the sole discretion and domain of the concerned employing organization.

This is issued with approval of the Vice-Chancellor.

कृतसचिव / REGISTRAR

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- 1. Secretary (Higher Education), Ministry of Education (MoE), 127-C, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
- 2. Secretary, University Grants Commission (UGC), Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi
- Secretary General, Association of Indian Universities (AIU), 16 Comrade Indrajit Gupta Marg, Opposite National Bal Bhawan, Near ITO, New Delhi
- 4. All Deans
- 5. Finance Officer
- 6. Controller of Examinations
- 7. Director, IQAC
- 8. All HoD(s)/In-Charge(s)
- 9. Teacher (in-Charge), Academics
- 10. Dy. Controller of Examinations
- 11. Convener, WMC to upload in the University Website
- 12. Assistant Librarian/SMC/PRO
- 13. OSD to the Vice-Chancellor: for kind information of the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor
- 14. All Notice Boards
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