

Government of Pakistan  
FINANCE DIVISION  
Quality Assurance – I Section  
(HRM Wing)  
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**CIRCULAR**

Subject: - **DOCTORAL DEGREE PROGRAM IN "AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION" TO BE HELD FROM 7<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2023 TO 31<sup>ST</sup> JULY 2026 IN KOREA**

Economic Affairs Division vide O.M No. 2(2) SEA/Korea/2023Part-II dated nil has informed that Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA) has offered (**Fully Funded**) Doctoral Degree Program.

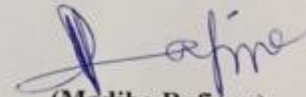
**Program Objective:**

- To nurture key leaders in developing countries who can contribute to the socio-economic development of their home countries.

**Eligibility Criteria:**

- Permanent Government Officer (BS 17 & above).
  - Minimum 2 years of experience in the relevant field.
  - Be under 40 year of age on February 1, 2023. (Preferably).
  - Be in good health, both physically and mentally.
  - Bachelor Degree or an equivalent to College/University level Educational background.
  - English Language Proficiency proof / English Language Test score as per attached course document.
  - Not be a person who has withdrawn from KOICA's scholarship program.
  - Have not participated in any of the Korean Government's Scholarship Program before. (Other detail available in each specific course document uploaded on EAD website).
2. Interested Officers of Finance Division may submit applications duly recommended by the AFS concerned along with requisite documents by **12<sup>th</sup> April, 2023 to QA-I section**. The detailed information and application forms can be downloaded from the websites of EAD [www.ead.gov.pk](http://www.ead.gov.pk) and KOICA <http://www.koica.go.kr/ciat/index.do>.

*Note:- "In addition to the eligibility criteria specified for a training, all officers who are working on contract basis/fixed pay package or having less than two years continuous government service or less than three months of service in Finance Division or against whom disciplinary proceedings/inquiry is in progress or on probation period, may need not to apply"*

  
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**All Officers (BS-17 & above), Finance Division, Islamabad**

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- Copy to Mr. Faheem Anwar, Webmaster with the request to upload the circular on Finance Division's website.