ADMISSIONS TO POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMS (Masters & Ph.D.), 2021-22

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1. Introduction

Andhra Pradesh Agricultural University was established on 12th June, 1964. The university was renamed as Acharya N.G. Ranga Agricultural University from 7th November, 1996 in honour of Acharya N.G. Ranga an eminent parliamentarian, farmer leader and educationist in Andhra Pradesh. ANGRAU is one of the largest State Agricultural Universities in the country with an infrastructure of 11 constituent colleges (Five in Agriculture, two in Agricultural Engineering, two in Food Science & Technology, one in Home Science, one advanced Post Graduate Centre), six affiliated agricultural colleges, 33 Research Stations spread over six Agro-Climatic Zones of the State and having strong extension linkages with 13 District Agro Advisory and Transfer of Technology Centres (DAATTCs) and 13 *Krishi Vigyan Kendras* (KVKs). The University is also offering Diploma programmes in Agriculture, Agricultural Engineering, Seed Technology and Organic Farming through 19 constituent and 81 affiliated polytechnics. Thus, it is an unique multi campus University in the country having its units functioning all over the State of Andhra Pradesh with the three faculties viz., Faculty of Agriculture, Agricultural Engineering & Technology and Faculty of Home Science showing splendid performance of exemplary nature.

Aiming to build a dynamic human resource in consonance with the dynamic agricultural scenario, the University offers Diploma, Bachelors degree (UG), Masters degree (PG) and Doctoral degree (Ph.D) programmes in Agriculture and allied subjects. The University imparts instruction leading to the Master's and Doctoral degree courses in Agriculture, Home Science / Agricultural Engineering and allied fields.

ANGRAU is one of the leading Agricultural Universities in the country and is being accredited by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR) and University Grants Commission (UGC). ANGRAU has bagged many awards in recognition of its achievements in education Viz., ICAR Best Institute Award (1999); ICAR Excellent Performance Award (1999-2000); Third National Youth Parliament Competition Award (1999-2000); Sixth National Youth Parliament Award (2002-03); ICAR-JRF Award 2004; Sardar Patel Outstanding ICAR Institutional Award 2007; ICAR-JRF Award 2011; ICAR AICRP-NSP (Crops) Award for the year 2014-15, ICAR Award 2018; 2019 & 2020 consecutively on securing 2nd position in PG Admissions at National Level etc., under the category of Agricultural Sciences.

2. List of Post Graduate Programs (Masters & Doctoral):

The residential post graduate programs offered are as detailed below;

Degree	Duration (years)	College where the programme is being offered
M.Sc (Agriculture) 2		Agricultural College, Bapatla
		 SV Agricultural College, Tirupati
		Agricultural College, Naira
		 Agricultural College, Mahanandi
		 Advanced Post Graduate Centre, Lam, Guntur*

MBA (ABM)	2	o Institute of Agribusiness Management, Tirupati
M. Tech (Ag Engg)	2	 Dr NTR College of Agricultural Engineering, Bapatla
M.Sc (Home Science)	2	Advanced Post Graduate Centre, Lam, Guntur**
Ph D (Agriculture)	3	 Agricultural College, Bapatla SV Agricultural College, Tirupati Advanced Post Graduate Centre, Lam, Guntur*
Ph D (Ag. Engg)	3	 Dr NTR College of Agricultural Engineering, Bapatla
Ph D (Home Science)	3	Advanced Post Graduate Centre, Lam, Guntur**

^{*} Master's and Doctoral Programmes in Agriculture under Advanced Post Graduate Centre, Lam, Guntur will be offered at different campuses viz., Agricultural College, Bapatla [Agronomy (Water Management)], Environmental Sciences & Agricultural Microbiology) and S.V. Agricultural College, Tirupati (Seed Science & Technology & Molecular Biology & Biotechnology).

3. Contact Numbers:

Person		Contact Number/Mail ID/Website
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Agricultural College, Naira	:	7673902146
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Agricultural College, Mahanandi	:	8374729292
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^{**} Master's and Doctoral Programmes in Home Science under Advanced Post Graduate Centre, Lam, Guntur will be offered at College of Community Science, Lam, Guntur.

4. Eligibility for admission:

- i. The upper age limit is **40 years** as on 1st July of the year of admission.
- ii. Candidates seeking admission into any of the following Master's Degree and Doctoral degree courses must have passed the relevant 4 years Bachelor's Degree examination specified against each course from the A.N.G.R. Agricultural University or from any State Agricultural University (SAU) or Central Agricultural University (CAU). Candidates passed out from private Agricultural Universities/Colleges not accredited by ICAR will not be considered for admission.
- iii. For admission into Masters courses, in the qualifying examination, the candidates must have secured minimum OGPA of 6.60 / 10.00 (SC/ ST- 5.60/10.00) or 2.60 / 4.00 (SC / ST- 2.20 / 4.00) or 60% marks in traditional system (SC / ST- 50%).
- iv. For admission into Doctoral courses, Master of Science or an equivalent examination in Agriculture (or) Home Science/ (or) Agricultural Engineering, as the case may be, in the concerned field of specialisation, a minimum of 60% marks in the aggregate under traditional system of examination or an OGPA of 2.60 or above in 4.00 point scale or OGPA of 6.50 or above in 10.00 point scale in grade point system is required. In the case of SC and ST candidates, a pass in the Degree of Master of Science in Agriculture or Home Science or Agricultural Engineering as the case may be under traditional system or OGPA or 2.20 out of 4.00 or 5.50 out of 10.00 under Grade Point system is sufficient.

v. List of the PG Courses offered and eligibility criteria

S.No	Major Subject group/Code No.	Admission into Discipline	Eligibility Qualification
M.Sc.	(Agriculture)		
1.	01- Plant Biotechnology	Molecular Biology & Biotechnology	B.Sc. Agriculture / Horticulture / Sericulture / Forestry / B.Sc. Hons (Ag.) of 4 years duration.
		Crop Physiology	B.Sc.(Ag.)/ B.Sc. Hons (Ag.) of 4 years duration
2.	02- Plant Sciences	 Genetics & Plant Breeding, Plant Pathology, Seed Science & Technology, Agricultural Microbiology, 	B.Sc.(Ag.) / B.Sc. Hons (Ag.)of 4 years duration.
3.	03- Physical Sciences	Soil Science	B.Sc. (Ag.)/ B.Sc. Hons (Ag.) of 4 years duration.

		Environmental Sciences	B.Sc.(Ag.) / B.Sc. Hons (Ag.)/ Hort. / Forestry of 4 years duration.
4.	04-Entomology & Nematology	Entomology	B.Sc. (Ag.)/ B.Sc. Hons (Ag.) of 4 years duration
5.	05- Agronomy	AgronomyAgronomy (Water Management)	B.Sc.(Ag.)/ B.Sc. Hons (Ag.) of 4 years duration
6.	06- Social Sciences	Agricultural Economics	B.Sc.(Ag.) / B.Sc. Hons (Ag.)/ B.Sc. (CA&BM) of 4 years duration
		Agricultural Extension	B.Sc.(Ag.) / B.Sc. Hons (Ag.)of 4 years duration
7.	07- Statistical Sciences	Agricultural Statistics,	B.Sc.(Ag.)/ B.Sc. Hons (Ag.) of 4 years duration
MBA (Agribusiness Managem	ent)	
8	20- Agribusiness Management	 MBA (Agribusiness Management) 	B.Sc. (Ag.)/ B.Sc. Hons (Ag.)/ Hort. / B.Tech. (Ag.Engg.) / B.Tech. Hons (Ag.Engg.) or B.V.Sc. & AH / B.F.Sc. / B.H.Sc. /B.C.Sc./ B.Tech (Dairying) / B.Tech (Food Technology) / B.Sc. (Food Science & Technology) / B.Sc. (CA&BM) of 4 years duration.
M.Tec	h. (Agril. Engineering)		
9.	10 – Agricultural Engineering & Technology	 Soil & Water Engineering Processing & Food Engineering Farm Machinery & Power Engineering, 	B. Tech (Ag. Engg.) / B.Tech. Hons (Ag.Engg.) of 4 years duration.
M.Sc.	(Home Science) (for Wo	men only)	
10.	12 – Home Science	 Foods & Nutrition, Human Development & Family Studies, Family Resource Management, Home Science Extension and Communication Management. 	B.Sc. (Home Science) / B.Sc.(Hons.) Home Science / Community Science of 4 years duration.

vi. List of Ph D courses offered and eligibility criteria

Code No.	Subject of Specialization	Eligibility Criteria
Ph.D. (Agric	ulture)	,
01	Genetics & Plant Breeding	Masters degree in the same discipline / Seed Science and Technology
04	Plant Pathology	Masters degree in the same discipline
06	Entomology	Masters degree in the same discipline
09	Crop Physiology	Masters degree in the same discipline
10	Molecular Biology & Biotechnology	Masters degree in the same discipline
11	Agricultural Microbiology	Masters degree in the same discipline
64	Agronomy	Masters degree in same discipline / Agronomy (Water Management)
65	Soil Science	Masters degree in same discipline
68	Agricultural Economics	Masters degree in the same discipline
70	Agricultural Extension	Masters degree in the same discipline
71	Agricultural Statistics	Masters degree in the same discipline
Ph.D. (Agril.	Engineering)	
40	Farm Machinery & Power Engineering,	Masters degree in same discipline
41	Soil & Water Engineering,	
42	Processing & Food Engineering,	
Ph.D. (Home	e Science) (for Women only)	
48	Foods & Nutrition	Masters degree in the same
49	Human Development & Family Studies	disciplines

5. Seat position: No of seats available in each major field of study in Masters and Ph.D. programmes are shown in Annexure I & II.

NRI / Industry Quota: In M.B.A. (Agribusiness Management) course 10% (2 Seats) are reserved for NRIs / Industry Sponsored candidates. Five percent of the seats shall be provided to NRIs / and 5% to Industry sponsored candidates. If candidates of one category are not available, they shall be allotted to the other category. The candidates under NRI / Industry quota need not appear for entrance test (ICAR AIEEA (PG)-2020). They shall be selected based on merit.

NRI Quota: NRIs should have studied relevant bachelor degree programme prescribed against the course abroad.

Documents needed:

- A letter sponsoring the candidate for admission
- o Attested copy of Passport with Visa details of the sponsor
- Proof for NRI (to be obtained from Indian Embassy of the respective country) or copy of the Overseas citizen of India card of the sponsor

Note: Resident Card / Green Card / Permanent Resident Card / Residence proof / Employment certificate are not accepted as proof of NRI

o Proof of relationship to the candidate issued in the form of Notarized Affidavit

Industry Quota: The candidates should possess the qualifications prescribed above and also two years relevant experience in Agribusiness Sector. They should be sponsored by the Industry / Organization.

Documents needed:

- Industry should be agro-based
- Sponsorship letter
- Photo copy of Sales Tax Registration Certificate (TNGST / CST/ GST)
- Authorized signatory attested photocopy of PAN card of the sponsoring co-pay.
- Self-attested photocopy of PAN card of the sponsoring company.
- Photocopy of Audited Balance Sheet for the last three years attested by company auditor / Authorized signatory
- Photocopy of Certificate of Incorporation
- Documents showing that the candidate is the employee of the organization
- Last one-year payslips of the candidate.
- 6. Admission Procedure: From the academic year 2019-20 onwards, the admission into Master's and Doctoral courses are given considering the marks / rank obtained in ICAR's All Indian Entrance Examination (AIEEA) / ICAR's All India Competitive Examination (AICE) and also previous academic performance. The student applied for a subject group has to produce rank card/marks in that subject group only. The weightage of the academic performance and AIEEA/AICE (ICAR) rank card/ marks for admission is as follows;

For Masters Programme Admission: The selection shall be based on the previous academic record at Under Graduate level and performance in AIEEA (ICAR) test and the weightage would be in the ratio of 30:70.

In case of MBA (ABM), the weightage will be 30: 70 i.e., Academic (30%) and performance in AIEEA test, group discussion and interview (70%) respectively. Again, the 70% weightage is further distributed among, the AIEEA test performance, group discussion and interview as 80:10:10 duly reducing to 70 per cent.

For Doctorial Programme Admission: The selection shall be based on the previous academic record at Under Graduate level, Post Graduate level, AICE (ICAR) test and interview and would be in the ratio of 10:30:50:10.

Qualifying Marks: As per AIEEA / AICE (ICAR) rules, the candidate qualified and secured rank card/marks card in AIEEA / AICE (ICAR) are eligible for admission into Masters Degree and Doctoral Degree, respectively.

In case of a tie, the candidates who secure more marks at previous qualification shall be preferred. In case of a further tie, the marks obtained at B.Sc. level shall be considered. For further tie breaking, date of birth shall be considered and older candidates shall be preferred.

Note: Only women candidates are eligible for M.Sc. & Ph.D. (Home Science) course.

Weightage as indicated below will be given subject to a maximum of 5 marks on production of certificates for achievements in NCC/NSS/Sports/Games/Cultural/Literary activities at B.Sc. level:

International level - 3 marks, Inter State Level - 2 marks, Inter University Level -1 mark

6.1 General Instructions to applicants for admission into Masters/ Doctoral Courses: AY 2021-22

- 1. Only ONLINE application will be accepted. No application will be accepted in any other format and will be summarily rejected.
- 2. The applicant should use only Chrome browsers while filling the application online.
- 3. The applicant has to visit the website: www.angrau.ac.in and do the registration.
- 4. The applicant should read and understand all the instructions and eligibility criteria for admission before proceeding to fill the online application form. The applicant is advised to take a print out of the instructions so that he/she can refer to the same while filling the form.
- 5. Important Dates:

Opening date of online submission of Application form: 19-11-2021 (10:00A.M.)
Closing date of online submission of Application form: 02-12-2021 (11:59P.M.)

- 6. The applicant should furnish all the details while filling the Online Application Form. The applicant is advised to check all the fields before submitting the form
- 7. In case of any submitted information has to be reviewed or edited the candidates can click on edit service in home screen and make necessary changes before making the payment
- 8. No Edit will be provided in any circumstances once the payment is made
- 9. It is the sole responsibility of the applicant to ensure that he/she fulfils the specified eligibility criteria before submitting the online application.
- 10. The applicant should note that the admissions will be made as per the relevant government orders applicable at the time of admission.
- 11. After successful submission of the application form an application reference number will be generated and this can be used for future correspondence.
- 12. Request for change in any particulars in the application after the payment of application fee will not be entertained.
- 13. The documents to be uploaded should be scanned in JPG/JPEG only and it should not exceed 1MB.
- 14. The scanned passport size (3.5 cm x 4.5 cm) photograph of the applicant should be in JPEG format and not exceed 100 Kb file size.
- 15. Documents to be scanned and uploaded:
 - SSC Memorandum of Marks or Equivalent Examination Certificate, showing the evidence of the Date of Birth.
 - Bonafide / Study Certificate from X to Degree for M.Sc. and X to Masters degree for Ph.D programme.
 - The latest certified copy of the Social Status Certificate issued by the competent authority in case of applicants belonging to Backward Classes, Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and EWS.
 - Physically Challenged Certificate. National Cadet Corps (NCC) Certificate, Sports and Games
 - Undergraduate, Post Graduate degree certificates as applicable

- ICAR AIEEA/AICE examination score card
- Other relevant certificates.
- 16. Uploading of blank pages/false/fake documents will lead to rejection of the application.
- 17. Payment of application fee: Rs.1500/- for OC&BCs (in case of SC/ST/PH applicants Rs.750/-). The applicant has to select Debit Card /Credit Card (Visa / Master Card) / NET banking option to pay the fee and follow the online instructions to complete the payment.
- 18. The fee once paid will not be refunded under any circumstances.
- 19. After successful submission of application and payment of fee, a PDF application will be generated with the particulars furnished by the applicant. The same should be downloaded and hard copy along with attested photo copies of enclosures should reach to the following address on or before 08-12-2021. On the top of the envelope, it should be mentioned that "Application for admission into Masters / Ph.D programme 2021-22".
- 20. The applicant is informed that mere submission of online application does not guarantee allotment of seat.
- 21. If an applicant has been found to have furnished wrong information or deliberately suppressed any relevant information or uploaded improper documents, his/her application will be summarily rejected.
- 22. The particulars furnished by the applicant in the application form are final and the applicants should therefore be very careful in uploading / submitting the application form online.
- 23. The applicant should produce the originals of all the uploaded certificates for verification of the same on the counseling day.
- 24. The candidate applying for PhD admission is requested to upload the Provisional Degree Certificate (PDC) or Thesis final Viva-Voce completions certificate or Thesis submission certificate issued by the concerned institute at the time of filling of the application. The candidates who have uploaded thesis submission certificate should submit PDC or Thesis final viva-voce certificate at the time Ph.D. interviews and he / she will not be allowed to participate in interview, if he fails to submit PDC or thesis final viva-voce certificate.
- 25. No correspondence with the applicants will be entertained.
- 26. Applicants are requested to visit the University's website: **www.angrau.ac.in** frequently for regular updates.

The merit list of eligible candidates within the subject groups will be prepared and counselling will be conducted tentatively on **Third week of December, 2021**. The candidates are advised to visit the University website for regular updates. The selected candidates shall submit the necessary certificates in original and pay the prescribed fee and secure the admission at the allotted colleges. Failure to do so entails forfeiture of claim for seat. For Doctoral degree programmes, seats will be filled and displayed after preparation of merit list within the subject groups duly following the regional, social and rule of reservation as per Government Orders. The date of registration will be intimated in due course of time. Candidates are advised to visit the University website for Latest Updates.

7. Rule of reservations:

A. Reservation of seats in favour of Local/Non Local candidates:

(In accordance with the A.P Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions) Order, 1974.)

- (i) After bifurcation of the A.P State, a new University for the Telangana State was formed as professor Jayashankar Telangana State Agricultural University (PJTSAU). The total no. of seats approved for the combined University ANGRAU were divided in the ratio of 64% (42% for AU, 22% SVU) and 36% (for OU) for ANGRAU and PJTSAU, respectively duly following the provisions under the article 371D. Admission to 85% of the seats shall be reserved in favour of and allocated among the local candidates in relation to the local area in respect of the Andhra University, Nagarjuna University and Sri Venkateswara University in the ratio of 42:22 respectively.
- (ii) Among the seats allotted to respective states, the local seats (85%) will be filled by the respective Universities of the respective States through their admission procedure. The remaining 15% of unreserved (non-local) seats of respective Universities will be filled in open competition.
- (iii) While determining the number of seats to be reserved in favour of the local candidates under Sub-Para (i) any fraction of a seat shall be counted as one provided that there shall be at least one unreserved seat.
- (iv) While allocating under Sub-Para (i) the reserved seats among the local candidates in relation to the different local areas, fraction of a seat shall be adjusted by counting the greatest fraction as one and if necessary also the greater of the remaining fractions as another, and where the fraction to be so counted cannot be selected by reason of the fractions being equal, the selection shall be by lot, provided that there shall be at least one seat allocated for local candidates in respect of each local area.
- (v) If a local candidate in respect of a local area is not available to fill any seat reserved or allocated in favour of a local candidate in respect of local area, such seat shall be filled as if it had not been reserved.

Local Candidates:

- 1. A candidate for admission to any course of study shall be regarded as a local candidate in relation to a local area:
- a) If he has studied in an educational institution or educational institutions in such local area for a period of not less than four consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he appeared, or as the case may be, first appeared in the relevant qualifying examination: OR
- b) Where, during the whole or any part of the four consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he appeared or, as the case may be, first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination, he has not studied in any educational institution, if he has resided in that local area for a period of not less than four years immediately preceding the date of commencement of the relevant qualifying examination in which he appeared or, as the case may be, first appeared.

- 2. A candidate for admission to any course of study who is not regarded as a local candidate under sub-paragraph (1) in relation to any local area shall:
- a) If he has studied in educational institutions in the State for a period of not less than seven consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he appeared or, as the case maybe, first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination be regarded as a local candidate in relation to;
 - i) Such local area where he has studied for the maximum period out of the said period of seven years;

 OR
 - ii) Where the periods of his study in two or more local areas are equal, such local area where he has studied last in such equal periods:

OR

- b) If, during the whole or any part of the seven consecutive academic years ending with the academic year in which he appeared or as the case may be, first appeared for the relevant qualifying examination, he has not studied in the educational institutions in any local area, but has resided in the State during the whole of the said period of seven years, be regarded as a local candidate in relation to:
 - i) Such local area where he has resided for the maximum period out of the said period of seven years;

OR

ii) Where the periods of his residence in two or more local areas are equal, such local area where he has resided last in such equal periods.

Explanation: For the purpose of this paragraph.

- i) "Educational Institution" means a University or any educational institutions recognised by the State Government or a University or other competent authority;
- ii) "Relevant Qualifying Examination" in relation to admission to any course of study, means the examination a pass in which is minimum educational qualification of admission to such course of study:
- iii) In reckoning the consecutive academic years during which a candidate has studied, any period of interruption of his study by reason of his failure to pass any examination shall be disregarded. Any period of his study in a State wide University or a State-wide Educational Institution shall also be disregarded:
- iv) The question whether any candidate for admission to any course of study has resided in any local area shall be determined with reference to the places where the candidate actually resided and not with reference to the residence of his parent or other guardian.

3. LOCAL STATUS OF STUDENTS MIGRATED FROM TELANGANA TO ANDHRA PRADESH

As per the G.O.Ms.No.132 & 132 GA, dated 13.06.2020 & G.O.Ms. No. 171, dated 20-11-2017 of the General Administration (SPF&MC) Department, it is stated that:

"A candidate who migrates to any part of the State of Andhra Pradesh from the State of Telangana within a period of FIVE years from the 2nd day of June, 2014 shall be regarded as the local candidate in the State of Andhra Pradesh at the place of his residence and be treated at par with the local candidates residing in that area, in accordance with such guidelines as may be issued by the Government of Andhra Pradesh for the purpose of education."

Hence, the candidates who are migrated to any part of the state of Andhra Pradesh from the state of Telangana from 02-June-2014 to on/before 01-June2021 and wish to apply local status certificate are requested to upload the local status certificate (issued by concerned Tahsildar). The format of local status certificate enclosed in annexure for information.

Local Area:

The part of the State comprising the districts of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam, West Godavari, East Godavari, Krishna, Guntur and Prakasam shall be regarded as the local area in respect of the **Andhra University** / **Nagarjuna University**. The part of the State comprising the districts of Anantapuramu, YSR Kadapa, Kurnool, Chittor and Sri Potti Sreeramulu Nellore shall be regarded as the local area in respect of **Sri Venkateswara University**.

(i)	Andhra University Area:								
	1.	Srikakulam, Viziayanagaram& Visakhapatnam	Agricultural College, Naira						
		Districts							
	2.	East Godavari, West Godavari, Krishna,	Agricultural College, Bapatla						
		Guntur & Prakasam Districts							
(ii.)		S.V. University Area	a:						
	1.	Chittoor, YSR Kadapa and Sri	S.V. Agricultural College,						
		PottiSreeramuluNellore Districts	Tirupati						
	2.	Anantapuramu and Kurnool Districts	Agricultural College, Mahanandi						

- B. The following categories of candidates will be considered against the 15% of the available seats left **unreserved.**
 - a) All candidates belonging to Andhra Pradesh and Telangana States.
 - b) Candidates who have resided in the State for a total period of ten years excluding periods of study outside the State or either of whose parents have resided in the State for a total period of ten years excluding period of employment outside the State;
 - c) Candidates who are children of parents who are in the employment of this State or Central Government, Public Sector, Corporations, Local Bodies, Universities and similar other Quasi- Government Institutions within the State.
 - d) Candidates who are spouses of those in the employment of the State or Central Government, Public Sector, Corporations, Local Bodies, Universities and similar other Quasi-Government Institutions with in the state.
 - e) Candidates who are employees in the State, Central Government undertakings, Public Sector Corporations, Local Bodies, Universities and other similar Quasi-public Institutions with in the state.
 - B. Reservation for S.C., S.T., and B.C. candidates: 15%, 6% and 29% of the seats in each course of study in each faculty shall be reserved for the candidates belonging to SCs, STs and BCs respectively.
 - C. **Reservation for differently abled candidates:** 3% seats in each course are reserved as per the Govt. norms.
 - D. Reservation for Economically Weaker Sections of citizens other than the SC, ST & BC: 10% reservations in admissions (supernumerary) are provided.

Note:

- State means Andhra Pradesh.
- In the case of candidates who passed B.Sc.(Ag.) / B.Sc.(Hort.) / B.Sc.(Home Sci.) / B.Tech (Dairying /

B.Sc.(Dairy Technology) / B.V.Sc. Degree etc. from A.N.G.R. Agricultural University (formerly A.P. Agricultural University) only the period of study prior to joining the University will be reckoned for determining the Local/Non-local status of the candidate.

8. Application & Enclosures:

Candidates shall apply through online application. The link for online application is shown in the website www.angrau.ac.in. The candidates are advised to go through the guidelines thoroughly before filling the application form. The candidates are requested to upload all the documents needed as specified in the application form. One copy of hard copy of the application (downloaded form) submitted through online along with attested photo copies of enclosures should reached to the following address on or before 08-12-2021. On the top of the envelope, it should be mentioned that "Application for admission into Masters / Ph.D programme 2021-22".

The Registrar,

Acharya N.G. Ranga Agricultural University, Administrative Office, Lam, Guntur – 522034, Andhra Pradesh

- a) **Memorandum of marks** (all years) obtained at the *qualifying (B.Sc. level) examination* or transcript.
- b) **Provisional/degree certificate** of the qualifying examination.
- c) ICAR admit card/ Hall ticket
- d) ICAR rank card (AIEEA for Masters and AICE for Doctoral courses)
- e) Study Certificates / Residence Certificate or a certificate from the employer as the case may be (vide Appendix). Those who continuously studied in recognised educational institutions should enclose study certificates. Residence Certificates will not be accepted in such cases. Those who had a break in the years of study for reasons other than failure or those who passed the examination by private study have to submit residence certificates in the proforma included in the Annexure.
- f) **Social Status Certificates** issued by the competent authority, in case of candidates belonging to BC/ SC/STs. The admission given under this quota shall be provisional till the genuineness of the social status claim of the candidate is certified by the respective Directorate of the Government.
- g) Certificate regarding achievements at B.Sc. level inNCC / NSS / Sports / Games / Cultural / Literary activities at Inter National / InterState / InterUniversity level, if applicable.
- h) Date of Birth Certificate.
- i) Certificate towards differently abled, if any.
- j) The candidates who are selected for admission should submit the following certificates/documents in **original at the time of admission in addition to the originals of the certificates listed above.**
 - i) Migration Certificate if the candidate passed from a University other than ANGRAU.
 - ii) Transfer Certificate from the College/Institution where the candidate last studied.

9A. Application Fee:

The application fee is Rs.1500/- for General and Rs.750/- for SC/ST/PH.

9B. Counselling Fee

10. General Information:

- a. The University does not offer any financial assistance to the post-graduate students. However, the post-graduate students may avail the financial assistance either in the shape of stipends or long-term loans, if offered by Government or any other agencies on such terms and conditions as prescribed by the respective agencies.
- b. If a particular course is offered in more than one college, allotment of students to a college shall be based on preference of the student and availability of the seats in the respective college. PG students should necessarily complete the PG programme in the college where they join. However, they can conduct the research work elsewhere with the prior permission of the University.

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- i. PG students should not register for any other degree/diploma programme concurrently on regular or part-time basis either in this University or in any other University/Educational Institution.
- ii. Those who joined M.Sc. in ANGRAU but could not complete the requirement or withdrawn from M.Sc. courses in ANGRAU for not maintaining minimum OGPA and apply again shall appear for Entrance Test and seek admission afresh. However, stipend if any paid earlier shall be recovered in full.
- iii. Those who completed M.Sc. in one discipline and apply for admission into a different discipline shall not be considered for admission.
- d. All admissions shall be deemed as provisional and subject to further scrutiny. The admission shall be liable for cancellation without notice at any stage during the study of the students if it is found that this admission is in any way repugnant to the rules/regulations or invalid by reason of incorrect or false information furnished by the applicants or their parents/guardians at the time of admission. Any cancellation of admission shall not exclude penal action under the relevant criminal law.
- e. The University reserves to itself the right to cancel or vary any of these rules without notice.

Note: The candidates shall note that the admissions will be made as per the relevant Government orders applicable at the time of admissions. Payment of stipend is subject to the guidelines issued by the Government from time to time.

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ANNEXURE – I
Number of seats in Masters Programme for the Academic Year 2021-22

Masters Programme										
					Seats 21-22)		Agri	imp cult olleg	ura	l
Group Code	Major Subject Group	MAJOR FIELD (CODE)	Regular	EWS (10 %)	Total	Bapatla	Tirupati	Naira	Mahanandi	Guntur*
Facult	y of Agriculture	2								
1	Plant Sciences	Genetics & Plant Breeding (GP) Plant Pathology (PL PATH) Seed Science & Technology (SST)	20 8 4	2 1 1	22 9 5	10 5	9 4	-	3	- - 5
		Agricultural Microbiology (MICRO)	3		3	_	-	-	_	3
2	Physical Sciences	Soil Science (SOILS) Environmental Sciences (EST)	10 3	1	11	5	6	-	-	3
3		Molecular Biology & Biotechnology (MBB) Crop Physiology (CP)	5 6	1	5 7	- 4	3	-	-	2
4	Entomology & Nematology	Entomology (ENT)	13	1	14	6	5	3	-	-
5	Agronomy	Agronomy (AGRON) Agronomy (Water Management) (AWM)	19 3	2	21	9	6	3	3 -	3
6	Social Sciences	Agricultural Economics (AGECON) Agricultural Extension (EXT)	8 6	1	9	5	3	-	-	-
7	Statistical Sciences	Agricultural Statistics (STAT)	4	1	5	3	2	-	-	-
		Total	112	11	123					
	Agricultural	Soil and Water Engineering (SWE)	5	-						e of
10	Engineering &	Process and Food Engineering (APF) Farm Machinery and Power (FMP)	3	1	3		Agri Engi R		ing	
		Total	13	1	14		D	ıpaı	ıa	
*Two se	eats in process and	Food Engineering are reserved for students of B.Te				logy)	<u> </u>			
		Foods & Nutrition (F&N)	5	-	5		Gı	ıntu	r*	
13		Human Development & Family Studies (HDFS)	3	1	4					
12	Home Science	Family Resource Management (FRM) Home Science Extension and	3 2	-	3 2					
		Communication Management (HECM)								
		Total	13	1	14		.			
20	Agribusiness Management	Agribusiness Management (ABM)	16	2	18		IAB Agri olleg	cult	ura	l

* Master's in Agriculture under Advanced Post Graduate Centre, Lam, Guntur will be offered at different campuses viz., Agricultural College, Bapatla [Agronomy (Water Management)], Environmental Sciences & Agricultural Microbiology) and S.V. Agricultural College, Tirupati (Seed Science & Technology & Molecular Biology & Biotechnology).

ANNEXURE – II

Number of Seats in Ph.D Courses for the Academic Year 2021-22

Code No.			of S		Campus			
	Subject of Specialization	Regular	EWS (10%)	Total	Bapatla	Tirupati	Guntur*	
Faculty of	Agriculture							
01	Genetics & Plant Breeding	6	1	7	4	3	-	
04	Plant Pathology	3	-	3	2	1	-	
06	Entomology	3	1	4	2	2	-	
09	Crop Physiology	2	-	2	2	-	-	
10	Molecular Biology & Biotechnology	3	-	3	-	3	-	
11	Agricultural Microbiology	1	-		-	-	1	
64	Agronomy	4	ı	4	2	2	-	
65	Soil Science	3	1	4	2	2	-	
68	Agricultural Economics	3	-	3	1	2	-	
70	Agricultural Extension	3	-	3	2	1	-	
71	Agricultural Statistics	2		2	2	-	-	
	Total	33	3	36				
Faculty of	Agricultural Engineering & Technology							
40	Farm Machinery and Power	2	-	2				
41	Soil and Water Engineering	1	1	1	\mathbf{C}	AE, B	PT	
42	Process and Food Engineering		1	1				
	Total	4	•	4				
Faculty of	Faculty of Home Science							
48	Foods & Nutrition	1	-	1				
49	Human Development & Family Studies	1	1	1	G	Guntu	r*	
	Total	2		2				

^{*} Doctoral Programmes in Agriculture under Advanced Post Graduate Centre, Lam, Guntur will be offered at different campuses viz., Agricultural College, Bapatla [Agronomy (Water Management)], Environmental Sciences & Agricultural Microbiology) and S.V. Agricultural College, Tirupati (Seed Science & Technology & Molecular Biology & Biotechnology).

Doctoral Programmes in Home Science under Advanced Post Graduate Centre, Lam, Guntur will be offered at College of Community Science, Lam, Guntur.

^{*}Master's Programmes in Home Science under Advanced Post Graduate Centre, Lam, Guntur will be offered at College of Community Science, Lam, Guntur.

ANNEXURE -III

<u>FEES</u>: The following fee are payable by the candidates selected for admission into Masters & Doctorial level Courses admitted during the Academic Year 2021-22 and also to all earlier admitted batch students.

S.No.	Fee Particulars	Amount (Rs.)
UNIVE	RSITY FUNDS	
1.	Admission Fee (at the time of admission)	790/-
2.	Identity Card (at the time of admission)	220/-
3.	Registration Fee (per semester)	700/-
4.	Tuition Fee (per semester) All P.G. & Ph.D. Courses	6840/-
5.	Library Fee (per semester)	990/-
6.	Laboratory Fee (per semester)	2940/-
7.	Medical Fee (per semester)	300/-
8.	Inter College / Inter University Sports, Games & Cultural meet	1310/-
	er (per annum)	
9.	Seat Cancellation Fee (including ICAR) – for General	3120/-
	-for SC / ST / PH	1570/-
40	Academic Regulation & Course Catalogue	310/-
10.	(at the time of admission)	
NON -	JNIVERSITY FEE	-
11.	Hostel Room Rent (per semester / per head)	1610/-
12.	Sports & Games Fee (per semester)	590/-
13.	Hostel Establishment Charges (per head / per month)	900/-
14.	Examination fee including stationary (per semester)	1770/-
15.	College Magazine and student activities (per annum)	900/-
16.	Student Health Care Scheme (per annum)	660/-
17.	Student Welfare Fund (only at the time of admission)	300/-
18.	Alumni Fund (in the final semester of study)	900/-
OTHER	FEE (REFUNDABLE):	
19.	Library Deposit at the time of Admission (Refundable)	1940/-
20.	Laboratory Deposit at the time of Admission(Refundable)	1940/-
21.	Hostel Deposit at the time of Admission (Refundable)	6460/-
22.	Mess Deposit at the time of Admission (Refundable)	6460/-
<u>OTHER</u>	CERTIFICATE FEE	
23.	Thesis Guidelines	100/-
	Thesis Evaluation Fee for P.G. Students	
2.4	(in the final semester of study)	2260/-
24.	Thesis Evaluation Fee for Ph.D. Students	6660/-
	(in the final semester of study)	
25	Transcript of Academic Record - cum – Provisional	700/-
25.	Degree Certificate (TARPC)	/00/-
26.	Migration Certificate	310/-

Note: Other fee for the remaining certificates etc. Shall be common for both UG, PG & Ph.D. Courses (Annexure-II).

The selected candidates has to pay the entire fee (<u>Approximately Rs.40,000/</u>-) at the time admission on the day of counselling itself.

ANNEXURE IV

RESIDENCE CERTIFICATE

(This certificate should be furnished by only such candidates who have not studied in any recognized institution during the whole or any part of seven consecutive academic years immediately preceding the qualifying examination. As per presidential order period of study in a state-wide University shall not be considered. Those who have studied Bachelor Degree course B.Sc.(Ag.)/B.Tech (Ag Engg) / B.Sc.(Home Sc.) in ANGR Agricultural University / AP. Agricultural University(state-wide University) should furnish information pertaining to places of residence before joining ANGR Agricultural University. i.e. upto Intermediate Level.

ADMISSION FOR COURSE

1.	It is	hereby certified									
(a)) thatSon/Daughter of										
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	course appeared for the first time for the										
	examination (being the minimum qualifying examination for admission to the course mentioned										
	above) in										
(b)	that	he/she has not studied i	n any educational institution	on during the whole/a part	of the seven						
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		aforesaid examination.	J	•							
(c)	that	in the seven years imme	diately preceding the comn	nencement of the aforesaid	l examination						
(0)		· ·	lowing place/places falling v								
			University, namely.	within the local area in resp	cct of the						
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2. The above candidate is therefore, a local candidate in relation to the local area specified in paragraph ** 3(1) / 3(2) / 3(3) of the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions) Order, 1974.

OFFICE SEAL (not below the rank of Mandal Revenue Officer of the area concerned.)

Officer of Revenue Department

**strike-off the items, if not applicable.

ANNEXURE V

LOCAL STATUS CERTIFICATE

(As per G.o.Ms.No.132 & 133, GA (SPF&MC) Department, dt.13.6.2016 and circular Memo.No.4l36/SPF&MC/2015-5, Dated: 08-08-2016 & Memo.No.4136/SPF&MC/2015-9 dated 03-092016)

[vide sub-paragraph (3) of paragraph 4 of the Andhra Pradesh Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions) order 1974 and vide sub-paragraph (3) of paragraph (7) of the Andhra Pradesh Public Employment (organization of local cadres and regulation of Direct Recruitment) Order, 1975.]

Scanned passport size photograph with self attestation

This is to certify that the candidate whose particulars are mentioned below is declared to be local candidate of district of Andhra Pradesh.

1	Full name of the applicant in block letters	
2	Father's name/Husband's name/ Guardian's Name	
3	Aadhar Number	
4	Date of Birth	
5	Place of Birth	
6	Caste (OC/BC/SC/ST)	
7	Previous study particulars from Class-IV to Class-X	
8	If he/she is studying, the class and address of the school/college in which he/she is studying	
9	Previous residential address in the state of Telangana	
10	Present residential address with PIN in the state of Andhra Pradesh	
11	Mobile Number	
12	E-mail address	
13	The period of residence / the date from which applicant is residing at the above referred place.	
14	The District to which the applicant seeks to declare him / her as local candidate	

(The above certificate is issued basing on FORM-I & the declaration furnished by the candidate/

Parent/ guardian in FORM-II. If, the information furnished in Form-I & the declaration in Form-II are found false, this certificate shall stand cancelled and he/she shall be liable for prosecution.) *(This certificate in Form-III is meant for only Local Status and it does not confirm the rest of the information in the certificate)