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Sub: ANGRAU – Foundation Day of ANGRAU is to be held on 12th June, 2023 - "Smt. Vallabhaneni Lakshmamma and Sri Vallabhaneni Subba Narasiah Gold Medal" for the Best Research worker/scientist in the discipline of Agricultural Sciences to be presented in the ensuing Foundation Day of ANGRAU – Applications called for the year 2020-21 & 2021-22 – Regarding.

Ref: Proc.No.012343/Exams/2021, dt:31-03-2022 of the Registrar, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur.

The family members of Smt. Vallabhaneni Lakshmamma and Sri Vallabhaneni Subba Narasiah, Puttaveedhi, Nellore Town, SPS Nellore District have offered to award one Gold Medal in the name of "Smt. Vallabhaneni Lakshmamma and Sri Vallabhanei Subba Narasiah" to the best researcher in Agricultural Sciences. The Gold Medal with a citation will be awarded to the selected candidate during Foundation Day of the University for the years 2020-21 & 2021-22 separately to be held on 12th June, 2023 vide reference cited.

Applications in the enclosed format are invited from the concerned for 2020-21 & 2021-22 separately for consideration for the Gold medal to be awarded in the ensuing Foundation Day of the University on 12th June, 2023. The applications should be supported with full documents relating to the outstanding Research work carried out by the individual in the last five years i.e., from 2016-17 to 2020-21 ending on 31.03.2021 for the gold medal to be awarded for 2020-21 and from 2017-18 to 2021-22 ending on 31.03.2022 for the gold medal to be awarded for 2021-22.

The Scientists who have received this award in the last five years are not eligible for the award.

The applications in quadruplicate with all enclosures super scribed as "Application for award of Smt. Vallabhaneni Lakshmamma and Sri Vallabhaneni Subba Narasiah Gold Medal in Agricultural Sciences for the year 2020-21 and with the same superscription for 2021-22" separately (separate application for 2020-21 and 2021-22) should reach this Office on or before 17.04.2023 positively.

The applications which do not comply with the above instructions will be summarily rejected.

All the Heads of the Offices noted in the address entry are requested to give vide publicity about the award among the researchers of all the categories of Scientists under their control and call for the applications.

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The application proforma and guidelines may also be obtained from ANGRAU website (angrau.ac.in)

Encl: 1. Application Proforma

2. Guidelines

L. Prasanthi Director of Research

To

All Associate Directors of Research, Regional Agricultural Research Stations,

Chintapalle / Anakapalle / Maruteru / Lam / Tirupati / Nandyal

All the Associate Deans of Colleges, ANGRAU

All the Heads of Research Stations / Schemes, ANGRAU

All the Programme Coordinators of KVKs, ANGRAU

All the Coordinators of DAAT Centres, ANGRAU

All the Principals of Polytechnics, ANGRAU

Cc: to All the Registrars of State Agricultural Universities / Deemed Universities / Central Agricultural University

Cc: to All the Directors of ICAR institutions

Cc: to the Director General, ICRISAT, Pancheru, Medak District

Cc: to the Director, Indian Agricultural Research Institute, Pusa, New Delhi

Cc: to the Director, Indian Institute of Chemical Technology, Tarnaka, Hyderabad

Cc: to the Director, National Institute Geophysical Research Institute, Hyderabad

Cc: to the Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur

Cc: to the Director, APSSCA, ANGRAU Campus, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to the Director (Seeds), ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to the Director (P&M Cell), ANGRAU

Cc: to All the Technical Officers in different peshies, Admn. Office, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to Technical Officer to Dean of Agril. Engg. & Technology, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur with a request to place the application proforma and the guidelines in the University website

Cc: to the Joint Registrar, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to PS to the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to PA to the Registrar, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to PA to the Director of Research, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to PA to the Director of Extension, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to PA to the Dean of Agriculture, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to PA to the Dean of Agril. Engg & Technology, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to PA to the Dean of PG Studies, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to PA to the Dean of Community Science, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to PA to the Dean of Student Affairs, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to PA to the Controller of Examinations, ANGRAU, Lam, Guntur

Cc: to SF/SC.

Copies circulated to: Dr. V. Damodara Naidu H.No.27-01-1270 Puttaveedhi, Nellore Town, SPS Nellore District – 524 002.

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Superintendent 29 3 23

GUIDELINES FOR THE AWARD OF SMT. VALLABHANENI LAKSHMAMMA AND SRI VALLABHANENI SUBBA NARASIAH GOLD MEDAL FOR THE BEST SCIENTIST IN AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

- 1. Scientists/Teachers/Extension Workers in the cadre of Assistant Professors and Associate Professors are eligible for Award.
- 2. Research Scientists who are presently working in Teaching/Extension but have put in 5 years in Research during the preceding 7 years are also eligible for the award.
- 3. This award will be presented to the Best Scientist in Agricultural Sciences every year during the University foundation day i.e., June 12th of every year initiating from 2022 onwards.
- 4. This award will not be given in a particular year if suitable Research Scientists are not available. The award will also lapse and will not be carried to subsequent years.
- 5. The Award consists of Gold Medal and Citation.

6. **Procedure for selection:**

- i) The Research Scientists themselves through their Heads of Office shall submit application.
- ii) The Heads of the Research Stations/Colleges/Extension Units may nominate Scientists for the award.
- iii) In respect of Research Scientist presently working in teaching/extension, they may send their applications through the concerned Heads under whom they are working. A Committee consisting of the Associate Director of Research with 2 Senior Officers and one of the Unit Head of Extension center may be constituted to screen the applications received for consideration of the award at each Regional Agricultural Research Station. All the applications received along with recommended list of candidates by the Committee may be forwarded to the University.
- 7. While considering the applications, weightage will be given as follows: -

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- a) Significant research work carried out (Advanced technologies generated / varieties developed / patents obtained / technologies licensed / commercialized etc.)
- b) Research contributions as judged by their popularity and adoption by farmer (area of spread monitory benefit of the technology in quantifiable and verifiable terms) and also contribution to basic research.
- c) Original Research papers published.
- d) Review articles published
- e) Papers presented in National & International Conferences Seminars and Symposia
- f) Books/Manuals prepared and accepted for Teaching/Research/Extension and training programmes.
- g) Extramural research projects conceptualized with original research work obtained, executed / ongoing
- 8. An External Committee appointed by the Vice-Chancellor will evaluate the applications/nominations received, keeping in view the weightage as mentioned above and send their recommendations to the Vice-Chancellor for consideration and approval.
- 9. There should be at least 5 years of gap between two awards for the same teacher.
- 10. University reserves the right to select or not any teacher from a discipline.

Application for Award of "Smt. Vallabhaneni Lakshmamma and Sri Vallabhaneni Subba Narasiah Gold Medal" for the Best Agricultural Scientist

1. Name, Designation : 2. Name of the College / Research Station / Extension unit 3. Date of Birth : 4. Length of Service, in Teaching, Research and Administration (Service rendered in various cadres) Academic qualifications and subjects of specialization -Class, OGPA, Percentage of marks in the examination starting from U.G. Degree on wards and awards of academic merit Titles of Master's and Doctoral thesis along with the University name that awarded the degree Major / outstanding contributions from Research work done other than that for P.G. degree / Diploma and students work during last five years from 2016-17 to 2020-21 ending 31-03-2021 for 2020-21 and from 2017-18 to 2021-22 ending 31.03.2022 for 2021-22 i. Varieties / products / machinery / diagnostic kits / tools / software developed ii. Technology outcome with recommendation and field application in terms of area of spread / monitory benefit quantifiable & verifiable terms (documentary evidence in university publication of technologies developed in difference Agro Climatic Zones) iii. Technologies licensed / commercialized iv. Germplasm registration v. Student's guidance (M.Sc. / Ph.D.) with details of title of thesis, chairman / advisory member / year of completion / ongoing etc. vi. Infrastructure development (labs / farm facilities / sports facilities / virtual class rooms etc.) vii. Farm Management :

- viii. Seed / Planting materials / Biofertilizers / Bio-pesticides / Bio-agents production / Soil / Water sample analysis
- ix. Organization of National Workshops / Seminars / Webinars / Short courses / Conferences / Summer / Winter Schools starting of new professional societies initiating programmes of Science and Technology useful to rural development with details of title, major / Associate, year, duration, place of conducting etc.,
- x. Salient Extension activities
 ICTs / APPs / Innovative extension
 methods developed / formation of FPOs
 / Radio / TV / RBK Channel
 programmes / Short video films / CDs
 developed etc.
- xi. Conduct of University / State / National level common entrance examinations with details of title, chairman / convener / member of organizing committee, year etc.
- 8. Externally funded projects approved and executed (not the University sponsored projects viz., RKVY / Paid up trials etc.)
 - i) Projects conceptualized, obtained and executed as Principal Investigator with details (titles, agency sponsored and grants sanctioned)
 - ii) Projects ongoing as Principal Investigator with details (titles, agency sponsored and grants obtained)
 - iii) Participation in extramural research projects as Co-PI with details of titles, agency sponsored and grants obtained
 - iv) Participation in extramural research projects as collaborating centre PI/Co-PI with details of title, lead centre, agency sponsored and grants sanctioned.
- 9. Research publication (List to be enclosed) giving the names of all authors, title, year, name of the journal with pages and NAAS rating of journal in that particular year
- 10. List of books, bulletins, status reports and popular articles published with complete details
 - Text/reference books with title, authors, ISBN no. etc.
 - ii. Book chapters with title, Name of the book authors, page no's etc.

- iii. Laboratory / practical manuals / study / instructional / course materials / Technical bulletin / RAWEP / AELP / PAMP / PSPP manuals / question books
- iv. Popular articles / contribution to vyavasaya panchangam / Extension literature like folders / pamphlets / leaflets / booklets / posters / cards etc.
- 11. Papers/Abstracts presented and published at Conferences/ Seminars/ Symposia at State / National and International level along with names of all authors, title, year and name of the conference proceedings
- 12. Awards / honors received, for the Research work done
 - i. National level (Govt. organizations) / ICAR
 - ii. State level (Govt. organizations) / University level
 - iii. District level (Govt. organizations)
- 13. Any other notable achievements not covered in the above columns.
 - i. Professional Recognition (External examiner / fellow of academics / editor / review of journals) member of registered / authoritative societies / Boards / advisory councils etc. with details.
 - ii. Patentsiii. Any other.:

SIGNATURE OF THE APPLICANT

Note:

- 1. All the above 13 points shall be supplemented with documentary evidence / proofs for verification. Applications without proofs shall be summarily rejected / will not be evaluated.
- 2. All the enclosures / proof of claims enclosed with the application form must be serially numbered at the bottom of the page.
- 3. The page numbers assigned to the enclosures / proofs must be compulsorily indicated in the last column where the achievements are mentioned in the application.
- 4. Proofs enclosed in absurd manner or without serial numbers shall not be entertained and are liable to be rejected.
- 5. Separate applications for 2020-21 and 2021-22 should be applied by an individual.
- 6. The applications in quadruplicate with all enclosures should be super scribed as "Application for award of Smt. Vallabhaneni Lakshmamma and Sri Vallabhaneni Subba Narasiah Gold Medal for Best Agricultural Scientist for the year 2020-21 and 2021-22 separately".