

ACHARYA N.G RANGA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY
ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE: LAM: GUNTUR – 522 034: A.P.

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Sub: ANGRAU – Foundation Day of ANGRAU to be held on 12th June, 2023 - **"Sri Neelakantapuram Kaverappa 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 Sri Neelakantapuram Kaverappa, i.e., Sri N. Raghuveera Reddy, Ex. Minister for Revenue, Government of A.P. has instituted one Gold Medal to be given to the Best Agricultural Scientist in the name of **"Sri Neelakantapuram Kaverappa Gold Medal"** with a citation. It will be awarded to the selected candidates 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 Sri Neelakantapuram Kaverappa Gold Medal in Agricultural Sciences for the year **2020-21 and with same superscription for 2021-22**" separately (separate application for 2020-21 and 2021-22) should reach this Office on or before **20.04.2023** positively.

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

P.T.O.

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

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

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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 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:

Sri N. Raghu Veera Reddy,
Farmer Minister for Revenue, Govt. of A.P.,
President, APCC, H.No.8-2-293/VIII/481/C,
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F.R. Manjula
Superintendent

31/4/23

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**Application for Award of “Sri Neelakantapuram Gold Medal” for the Best
Research Worker in Agricultural Sciences.**

1. Name, Designation and address of the :
Applicant
2. Date of Birth :
3. Length of Service, in Teaching, Research :
and Administration (Service rendered in
various cadres)
4. 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
5. 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
in 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. :
6. 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. :
 7. 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 :
 8. List of books, bulletins, status reports and popular articles published with complete details :
 - i. 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. :

9. 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
10. 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) :
11. 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. Patents :
 - iii. Any other. :

SIGNATURE OF THE APPLICANT

Note:

1. All the above 11 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 Sri Neelakantapuram Kaverappa Gold Medal for Best Agricultural Scientist in A.P for the year 2020-21 and 2021-22 separately”**.

**GUIDELINES FOR THE AWARD OF SRI NEELAKANTAPURAM
KAVERAPPA GOLD MEDAL FOR THE BEST SCIENTIST IN
AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES**

1. All the Scientists working in any discipline of Agricultural Sciences in a recognized institution are eligible
2. The research work must be original and must have been conducted under an integrated and well-focused research programme
3. The award is meant for individual scientist for their outstanding contributions in any discipline of Agricultural Sciences for enhancement of productivity, profitability and sustainability of Agriculture
4. Research Scientists who are presently working in Teaching/Extension but have put in 5 years in Research during the preceding years ending 31.03.2021 and 30.03.2022 are also eligible for the award to be given for 2020-21 and 2021-22, respectively.
5. This award will be presented to the Best Scientist in Agricultural Sciences every year during the of the University foundation day i.e., June 12th of every year initiating from 2022 onwards.
6. 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.
7. The Award consists of Gold Medal and Citation.
8. The Research Scientists themselves through their Heads of Office shall submit application.
9. In respect of Research Scientist presently working in teaching/extension, they may send their applications through the concerned Heads under whom they are working.
10. While considering the applications, weightage will be given as follows: -
 - 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
11. 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.
12. There should be at least 5 years of gap between two awards for the same teacher.
13. University reserves the right to select or not any teacher from a discipline.
14. The application in the prescribed format shall only be accepted
15. The forwarding authority shall endorse the outstanding contributions made by the concerned scientist