

ACHARYA NG RANGA AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY Lam, Guntur-522034, Andhra Pradesh, India Centre for A.P. Sensors and Smart Applications Research in Agriculture (APSARA)



A DGCA Authorised Remote Pilot Training Organisation (RPTO)

# ROLLING NOTIFICATION

FOR AGRICULTURAL REMOTE PILOT COURSE (ARPC) of 12 DAYS DURATION

Note : Apply by filling the Admission Form along with Medical Certificate + Scanned copies of all the certificates only when you passed 10+2 and above and own Indian Valid Passport to rptoangrau2022@gmail.com

Eligible candidates can apply througout the year for admission. Based on slots availablity, ANGRAU-RPTO will consider your candidature for the said training from time to time.



Acharya N. G. Ranga Agricultural University (ANGRAU) was established under the name of Andhra Pradesh Agricultural University (APAU) on the 12th of June 1964 through the APAU Act 1963 and later, it was renamed as Acharya N. G. Ranga Agricultural University on the 7<sup>th</sup> of November, 1996 in honour and memory of the noted Parliamentarian and Kisan Leader, Acharya N. G. Ranga. At the verge of completion of Golden Jubilee Year of the ANGRAU, presently located at Lam, Gutnur, Andhra Pradesh, India. it has given birth to a new State Agricultural University of Telangana namely Prof. Jayashankar Telangana State Agricultural University with the bifurcation of the state of Andhra Pradesh as per the Andhra Pradesh Reorganization Act 2014. The ANGRAU at LAM, Guntur is serving the students and the farmers of 26 districts of new State of Andhra Pradesh with renewed interest and dedication.

Acharya N G Ranga Agricultural University is a state government's autonomous organisation with it's diversified Agricultural Scientific and technical work force is striving hard to bring in cheer in the lives of farmers and consumers in this country by developing high yielding varieties, various crop production and protection technologies, etc.. Further, it has acquired a new expertise in Drones and artificial intelligence Applications in Agriculture. As a part of this, a dedicated project was initiated during 2020-21 in ANGRAU, i.e. Centre for APSARA (A.P.Sensors and Smart Applications Research in Agriculture) to usher drones and artificial intelligence applications in agriculture towards smart and precision farming. Acharya N G Ranga Agricultural University has developed SOP's to enable stakeholders to use agricultural drones, sensors and IoT applications in agriculture for providing pan India BIS standards, Protocols.

*Centre for Andhra Pradesh Sensors and Smart Applications Research in Agriculture* (APSARA) of Acharya N G Ranga Agricultural University established in the year 2020-21 at RARS, Lam, Guntur has taken up experimentation on Performance evaluation of drones on major crops (Table 1) for the past tow years using it's own assembled drones ANGRAU-PUSHPAK series drones (10 L Capacity) by Centre for APSARA.

With the vast experience of research of drones for spraying, seeding and fertiliser granular application, ANGRAU has designed a versatile and unique and first of it's kind Agricultural Remote Pilot Course (12 days Duration) – ARPC along with a conventional Remote Pilot Course (CRPC) (05 days Duration) being offered with an intention to produce world class and highly proficient Agricultural Drone pilots needed for the Indian Agriculture and farmers and other stakeholders by designing the curriculum to teach Crop specific SOP's for major crops in ARPC.

ANGRAU, Lam, Andhra Pradesh introduce two types of Remote Pilot Courses from it's DGCA authorised Acharya N G Ranga Agricultural University (ANGRA) RPTO at Centre for APSARA as detailed below:

Sl.No.	RPC Name	Duration	Eligibility Criteria		Fee Structure
1.	Agricultural	12 days	Essential Eligibility	As per the approved	Rs. 45,000=00
	Remote Pilot		Criteria:	DGCA Norms	
	Course		Agriculture /	+	
	(ARPC) with		Agril.Engg. Diploma	Agricultural Drone for	
	DGCA		/10+2 Pass or	spraying, seeding and	
	Authorised		equivalent and above ;	fertilizer applications	
	RPTO		18-65 years of age		
	Certificate		<b>Essential Requirement</b>	Standard Operating	
			:	Procedures of the crops	
			INDIAN VALID	for drone spraying	
			PASSPORT /		
			DRIVING LICENCE /		
			<b>RATION CARD /</b>		
			VOTER ID CARD		

(Includes accommodation and food at Centre for APSARA, RARS, Lam, Guntur)

## Kindly Note :

- 1. First you must apply by sending a mail with the admission form duly filled along with medical certificate and all other certificates of educational qualification to the mail : <u>rptoangrau2022@gmail.com</u> & a copy of Whatsapp to the APSARA Office Number : 6300548489. Only after admission form is received by us, we will attend the calls.
- 2. 10+2 / Agricultural Diploma or equivalent course of 2 years duration and above
- 3. Indian Valid Passport
- 4. Valid Indian Passport is a must to attend the training programmes. Applying with wrong details will amount to cancellation of admission and certification at any stage.
- 5. Fee must be paid only upon confirmation of the admission to the applicant. Pre –Payment doesnot entitle the admission in any way. The fee must be paid well in advance (2-5 days) before reaching the Training Centre after confirmation of the admission from ANGRAU.
- 6. No refund of the fees shall be made in case of withdrawal of admission by the candidate for any reason. All original documents and Photographs are to be carried while reporting for training.
- 7. The candidates must come with good health and if any medical issues are there, it must be informed on the day of induction or before. Those with heart complaints and other life threatening medical issues may restrain from attending.
- 8. First aid will be provided at our end. And further, any medical needs arise during the course, the medical attention and costs must be borne by the candidate or his/her legal heirs.
- 9. Any misbehaviour/ disturbing the fellow trainees or instructors will be viewed seriously and suitable action will be initiated including legal actions in addition to cancellation of admission without fee refund. One must execute the self-declaration as they arrive at the training to this effect and beyond, if needed.
- 10. The facilities available at Centre for APSARA, RARS, Lam, Guntur will be made available.
- 11. Every applicant must submit two passport size photographs
- 12. Only if all the conditions and eligibility criteria is met and agreed to, you are requested to apply for the said training programmes.

Item	Agricultural Remote Pilot Course (ARPC)		
Duration	12 days		
Fees (Including Food and accommodation)	45000/-		
Major Contents of the Training Programme	4 days theory lectures		
	2 days simulator, assembling and lab & briefing sessions		
	6 days of practical flying sessions on rotorcraft agricultural drones		
Dates of Training	1 <sup>st</sup> Fortnight & 2 <sup>nd</sup> Fortnight of Every month		
	Tentative Dates for the Next Batches of ARPC		
	Next Batches :		
	1.ANGRAU RPTO Batch-20 25.10.2023 to 05.11.2023		
	2.ANGRAU RPTO Batch-21 07.11.2023 to 18.11.2023		
	3.ANGRAU RPTO Batch-22 20.11.2023 to 01.12.2023		
	4.ANGRAU RPTO Batch-23 05.12.2023 to 16.12.2023		
	5.ANGRAU RPTO Batch-24 20.12.2023 to 31.12.2023		
	6.ANGRAU RPTO Batch-25 05.01.2024 to 16.01.2024		
	7.ANGRAU RPTO Batch-26 20.01.2024 to 31.01.2024		
	8.ANGRAU RPTO Batch-27 05.02.2024 to 16.02.2024		
	9.ANGRAU RPTO Batch-28 20.02.2024 to 02.03.2024		
	10.ANGRAU RPTO Batch-29 05.03.2024 to 16.03.2024		
	11.ANGRAU RPTO Batch-30 20.03.2024 to 31.03.2024		
	(The dates may change as per the needs of the University and		
	other exigencies. The decision of the University is Final.)		
Batch Size	20 No.s		
Bank Details:	Banks Name : Canara Bank; Branch Name : Lam Farm		
	Account Name : SENIOR SCIENTIST AND PRINCIPAL		
	INVESTIGATOR APSARA PROJECT		
	Account No. : 110072116918		
	IFSC Code : CNRB0006285 ;MICR Code : 520015107		

## **Details of the Residential Course :**

## For Further Details Contact between 9.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M. on working days only. No calls after 4.00 P.M. will be <u>entertained.</u>

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## **ADMISSION FORM**

**Courses Offered at ANGRAU from time to time are :** CRPC – Conventional Remote Pilot Course (05 days) with DGCA Authorised Certification ARPC – Agricultural Remote Pilot Course (12 days) with DGCA Authorised Certification

Paste a Passport Photo

Sl.No.	PERSONAL INFO	RMATION	Remarks
1.	APPLICATION FOR (CRPC / ARPC)	□ CRPC □ ARPC	
2.	Name (As per SSC / 10 <sup>th</sup> Marksheet)		
	Date of Birth & Age		
4.	Gender	□ Male □ Female	
5.	Marital Status	□ Single □ Married	
	Valid Indian Passport Number / Driving Licence Number / Ration Card Number / voter ID		Card Type
	State		
8.	Languages Known	1.Telugu □ Read □ Write □ Speak 2.English □ Read □ Write □ Speak	
9.	Aadhar Number		
10.	Address as per Aadhar card		
11.	Residential Address		
12.	Mobile Number with What's app facility		
	Alternate / Emergency Mobile Number & Person's Name with Relationship		
14.	E-mail Id		

	Any special medical conditions (Heart issues / Epilepsy / Shivering) etc.				
	Blood Group				
	Do you have any experience on drone piloting?	□ Yes □ No			
	EDUCATIONAL QU	ALIFICATIONS			
18.	Examination	10+2/Diploma /ITI/B.Tech / B.Sc. / B.Com/ P.G. and (or) any other	Passed Year		
19.	SSC				
20.	10+2 / Agricultural / Agril.Engg. Diploma				
	Degree				
22.	P.G.				
	ORGANISATION DETAILS				
23.	Employed	□ Yes □ No			
24.	If Employed, Organisation Name & Address				
25.	Designation				
26.	Nominated by the Organisation	□ Yes □ No			
27.	Any criminal Cases pending / filed /acquitted against you in any court of justice in India?. If Yes details.				

#### DECLARATION

I \_\_\_\_\_\_ hereby declare that the above-mentioned details are true to my knowledge and I am applying and willing to attend the CRPC / ARPC with my own interest, willingness and readiness to face the risks involved.

Signature :

Date : Place :

## **CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL FITNESS**

(To be provided by an RPA trainee or Instructor while joining the Remote Pilot Training course)

1.	Name (In Block Letters):	
2.	Father's Name:	
3.	Aadhaar Number:	
4.	Height:	
5.	Weight:	
6.	Chest:	
7.	Heart & Lungs:	
8.	Vision: L:	R:
9.	Color Vision:	
10.	Hearing:	
11.	Remarks:	
12.	I certify that I have carefully examined Shri/Smt	
	son/daughter of Shri presence. He /She has no mental and physical dise	
	gnature of the Candidate	Signature of the Medical
	ace ::	Officer / Practitioner with legible seal
		Registration No.
		Date : : Place ::

#### Prescribed Medical Standards for Admission

1. The candidate should possess good health and physique with a sound mind. He / she should not be suffering from any disease, physical and mental infirmity.

2. Not suffer from a degree of deafness, w h i c h would prevent hearing the ordinary sound signals.

3. Able to distinguish with his/her eyesight with or without eyeglasses/contact lenses/laser corrected eyes, at 25 meters in good day, an object of dimensions 30 CM x 30 CM

4. Do not have any defect, deformity, or loss of member, which would interfere with the efficient performance of his/her duties as a RPA pilot.

5. Able to readily distinguish the VIBGYOR colours and not suffer from Night Blindness.

### **Competent Authority for Issuing Medical Certificate**

Registered Medical Practitioners / Government Medical Officer /Medical Officer of a Government Undertaking, with seal and registration number of the certifying Medical Officer/practitioner.

#### Documents MUST to be submitted along with application / Admission Form by mail :

- 1. SSC /  $10^{th}$  Class Certificate for CRPC & ARPC
- 2. 10+2 / Agril Diploma / Agril.Engg. Diploma & Degree, PG Certificates if any
- 3. Drone experience Certificate, if any
- 4. Medical Certificate for CRPC & ARPC
- 5. Passport / Drving Licence / Voter ID Card / Ration Card Xerox Copy for CRPC & ARPC
- 6. Aadhar Card Copy for CRPC & ARPC
- 7. PAN Card Copy for CRPC & ARPC
- 8. Employee ID Card, If any for CRPC & ARPC
- 9. Medical Certificate in the prescribed format
- 10. Any other certificate sought by the RPTO & or DGCA from to time.
- 11. All the above documents in original got to be verified at ANGRAU- RPTO Office.

## ALL THE ABOVE ADMISSION FORM AND

# CERTIFICATES MUST BE BROUGHT IN ORIGINAL TO ANGRAU WHILE COMING FOR ADMISSION TO PROCESS YOUR APPLICATIONS WITH DGCA, NEW DELHI.

**Application Process :** Please do fill the Admission form and submit the Certified Medical Certificate along with the scanned copies of the documents. All of the duly filled documents must be sent to the <u>rptoangrau2022@gmail.com</u>