

# Admission into Ph.D in the Faculty of Veterinary Science

## PROSPECTUS

**2023-24**

Date of Notification	:	21.05.2024
Last date for receipt of Applications	:	03.06.2024
Display of Eligible list	:	07.06.2024
Date of Interview	:	10.06.2024
Registration of 1 <sup>st</sup> semester for Ph.D during the Academic year 2023-24	:	14.06.2024



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## **INTRODUCTION**

The Andhra Veterinary College was started on 15<sup>th</sup> July, 1955 at Bapatla. Subsequently, the College was shifted to Tirupati during 1957. Consequent to the formation of A.P. Agricultural University (presently named as Acharya N.G.Ranga Agricultural University), this college came into its fold from July 10, 1964 and subsequently under the control of Sri Venkateswara Veterinary University.

During Golden Jubilee year celebration of the College of Veterinary Science, Tirupati during July, 2004-2005. The then Hon'ble Chief Minister, while inaugurating the Golden Jubilee Celebration on 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2004 announced the formation of Sri Venkateswara Veterinary University at Tirupati by bifurcating ANGRAU. This was done keeping in view of the improvement of livestock and aquaculture farming for the overall development of the economy of the poor farming community of the State. Accordingly the Andhra Pradesh State Government enacted Act.No.18 of 2005 which came into force on June 21, 2005.

The second Veterinary College in the state viz. NTR College of Veterinary Science was started at Gannavaram, Krishna District during the Academic Year 1997-1998 and the third Veterinary College was established at Proddatur, Kadapa District during the academic year 2008-09. The fourth Veterinary College was established at Garividi, Vizianagaram District during the academic year 2020-21.

The Dairy Technology programme started in the year 1983 was elevated as College of Dairy Technology, Tirupati during 2009. This is only one of its kind of College under A.P. State Government offering B.Tech (Dairy Technology) and PG courses in M.Tech (Dairy Technology) and M.Tech (Dairy Microbiology) with primary objective of imparting Quality education in Dairy processing for generation of manpower much needed by dairy, food and allied sectors. Dairy Technology College is also training rural youth and women dairy farmers in various skill development programmes for self-sustainability by using surplus milk.

The Mandate of the University is to strengthen teaching, farmer oriented research and extension activities in Veterinary and allied fields. The university imparts instruction leading to the UG (BVSc & AG), PG (MVSc) and Ph.D programmes in the faculty of Veterinary Science in 17 (Seventeen) disciplines.

### **1. Institutions under S.V.V.U**

#### **i) Teaching Institutions:**

##### **A) Colleges:**

- a) College of Veterinary Science, Tirupati, Tirupati District
- b) NTR College of Veterinary Science, Gannavaram, Krishna District
- c) College of Veterinary Science, Proddatur, Y S R Kadapa District
- d) College of Veterinary Science, Garividi, Vizianagaram District
- e) College of Dairy Technology, Tirupati, Tirupati District.

##### **B) Affiliated College**

Pydah College of Dairy and Food Technology, Patavala, East Godavari Dist.

In addition of the above Colleges, the SVVU also produces AH Polytechnic Diploma holders through ten (10) University Animal Husbandry Polytechnics and twelve (12) affiliated Animal Husbandry Polytechnics. Further the University takes up the research activities for the improvement of productivity of livestock, germplasm development etc. through 9 (nine) research institutions at various locations of the state. In addition SVVU has one KVK at Lam, Guntur and CCVEC at Tirupati to carryout extension activities and one Super Specialty Veterinary Hospital at Vizag.

### **2. ADMISSIONS**

Applications are invited from the candidates belonging to Andhra Pradesh for 85% seats. The 15% of seats are open for candidates of both Andhra Pradesh and Telengana provided the latter appeared for **ICAR-AICE-SRF/JRF (Ph.D) 2023 Entrance test (Based on the ICAR Rank )**. However candidates from Telengana are not eligible for stipend.

## Number of seats

The details of seats available for fresh candidates for admission into Ph.D course in various major fields of study are as shown in APPENDIX.

### 3 (A) Qualifications

Master of Science or an equivalent examination in Veterinary Science from SVVU/ANGRAU or from an institution accredited by ICAR in the concerned field of specialization with at least 70% marks in the aggregate under traditional system of examination or an OGPA of 2.7 or above in 4.00 point scale or OGPA of 6.50 or above in 10.00 point scale in grade point system. In the case of SC, ST and PH candidates, 60% marks in the aggregate under traditional system in Master of Veterinary Science under traditional system or OGPA of 2.5 out of 4.00 or 6.00 out of 10.00 under Grade Point system. The Basic Degree i.e. B.V.Sc & A.H. is essential. **The candidates awaiting final thesis viva voce result may apply. But they have to produce provisional certificate on or before the date of counseling failing which they shall not be allowed for counseling / interview.**

**3 (B) Age:** The upper age limit is 50 years as on as on the date of notification for all the candidates including ICAR senior Research fellowship holders.

**4. RESERVATIONS OF SEATS :** Residence of A.P(AU/SVU) are eligible for the 85% of the available seats. 15% (AU/SVU/OU) of the total seats are earmarked for unreserved category and are allotted to candidates hailing from A.P State and Telengana State. However stipend will be paid to the eligible candidates of A.P State only.

### 5. How to apply:

The applications shall be downloaded from the University website, [www.svvu.edu.in](http://www.svvu.edu.in). The downloaded and duly filled in downloaded application along with attested copies of required certificates and copy of the counterfoil of Registration **Fee paid @ Rs.1400/-, (Rs.700/- in case of SC/ST/PH candidates) Exclusive of commission charges of Bank through online preferably in Union Bank of India or any Nationalized bank favouring COMPTROLLER, SVVU, payable at Union Bank of India, Thummalagunta branch, Tirupati, Account No:209810100016530, IFSC Code:UBIN0820989 having UTR No./Transaction ID** , should reach the Registrar, SVVU, Administrative Office, Dr.Y.S.R. Bhavan, Tirupati – 517 502 on or before **03.06.2024** by 4.00 p.m. either in person or by Registered Post with Acknowledgement due. Application received after this due date and time will summarily be rejected. The University is not responsible for any postal delay. Those already employed must send the applications through their employers so as to reach on or before the last date prescribed. However, they may send advance copies of applications with certificates to avoid delay in forwarding of applications by the employers.

6. Those already employed shall send their applications through their employers so as to reach the University before the last date prescribed. Applications of employed candidates which are not submitted through employer shall not be considered. **Such candidates who hide the information on employment shall be debarred from appearing for counseling / interview in future**

### 7. CERTIFICATES/ DOCUMENTS AND OTHER ENCLOSURES WITH APPLICATION

The candidates should submit copies of the following certificates along with the application: Documents enclosed to the application shall not be returned. Hence candidates are advised to **enclose only copies of the certificates.**

- a. A counterfoil with self attested UTR NO for Rs.**1400/-** for general category and **Rs.700/-** for SC/ST/PH category candidates.
- b. Memoranda of marks (of all years) of B.V.Sc and M.V.Sc level Examinations or Transcripts.
- c. Provisional/degree certificates of the above examinations.
- d. Date of Birth Certificate or SSC Certificate Where date of birth is mentioned

e. ICAR-AICE (JRF/SRF) Ph.D 2023 :

i) ICAR-- JRF/SRF (Ph.D) Admit Card

ii) ICAR-JRF/SRF (Ph.D Rank Card

f. Study certificates from Heads of recognized educational institutions from IV class onwards. Those who appeared for any examination by private study should enclose residence certificate.

g. Candidates belonging to Backward Classes, Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes should enclose, Social Status Certificate issued by the competent authority. The admission given under this quota shall be provisional till the genuineness of the Social Status claims of the candidates are certified by the respective departments of the Government.

h. Persons with Disabilities certificate should enclose (Sadaram)

Note: As per Indian Veterinary Council Act, 1984 (52 of 1984) and VCI MSVE 2016 Regulations a candidates shall not be allowed admission to Bachelor of Veterinary Science and Animal husbandry degree course if he or she suffers the following disability and the same conditions shall be applicable for admission into Doctoral programme.

- i) Disability of total body including disability of chest or spine more than 50%
- ii) Disability of lower limbs of more than 50%
- iii) Disability of upper limb
- iv) Visually handicapped candidates and those with hearing disability
- v) Candidates with progressive disease like myopathies etc.
- vi) Disabilities which otherwise would interfere in the performance of the duties of veterinarian.

i. *Nativity and Residence Certificate*

j. The candidates claiming reservation under EWS category have to enclose certificate as per format in Appendix-I of the application for the academic year 2023-24.

k. Certificate showing the formula for conversion of OGPA/CGPA into marks in respect of candidates who passed their examination from Universities other than A.P. Agricultural University/ANGRAU/SVVU.

l. 10 +2 (Intermediate) marks memo and

m. Transfer certificate from the institute last studied

n. Migration Certificate if the candidates passed qualifying examination from a University other than SVVU.

Note: **All the originals of the above certificates should be produced at the time of Counseling / interview.**

## 8. Selection:

a) **Selection Criteria :** Selection of candidates for admission into Ph.D courses shall be based on ICAR-AICE (JRF/SRF) 2023 ranks under the respective streams.

b) Allocation of seat to Ph.D course in different departments shall be done as per the procedure given below:

i) As Number of seats in all departments in each stream put together are small in number, common roaster system for all departments will be followed.

ii) The seats shall be reserved in favour of SC, ST, BC as follows: 15% to scheduled Caste (SC), 6% to Scheduled Tribes (ST) and 29% to Backward Classes (BC). Reservation to BC will be further divided as follows; BC-A 7%, BC-B 10%, BC-C 1%, BC-D 7% and BC-E 4%.

iii) 33% seats will be reserved for women and 5% of seats to Persons with Disabilities (PwD) as per the Government norms. The eligibility under PwD is as per VCI specifications.

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iv) 10% seats over and above the sanctioned seats are earmarked for EWS as per G.O.Ms.No.60 (BC w(f) department, Dated: 27.07.2019 & G.O MS.No.39 HE (EC), Dated: 30.07.2019.

v) Note: As it is not possible to represent all social groups/local areas in a single discipline, candidates belonging to different social groups shall be distributed in different major fields of study available in such courses. Reservation for Muslim candidates shall be as per the norms of the AP State Govt.

vi) Candidates applying for admission should appear for counseling at their own cost.

vii) Selected candidates shall have to produce all necessary original certificates including those of educational qualifications, ICAR-AICE (JRF/SRF) 2023 hall ticket and rank card, pay the prescribed fee and register the courses at allotted college on the prescribed date. Failure to do so entails forfeiture of claim for the seat.

viii) Allocation of departments through counseling:- The top ranker will be called first and department will be allotted and roster point meant for OC-General will be ticked (considered as filled up).

ix ) The selection will be based on ICAR AICE- JRF/SRF (Ph.D) 2023 ranks in respective departments. In-service fresh candidates belonging to other states shall be treated as fresh candidates. However they will not be eligible for stipend.

## 10. SELECTION COMMITTEE

Selection of candidates for admission to Ph.D courses shall be made by a Selection Committee constituted by the Vice-Chancellor. The candidates who are eligible for admission to the course should appear for interview before selection committee at Sri Venkateswara Veterinary University, Tirupati at their own expenses. The list of eligible candidates for counseling / interview will be displayed on University Website on 07.06.2024

## 11. General

- i. All admissions shall be deemed as provisional and subject to further scrutiny. They shall be liable for cancellation at any stage during the study of the students if it is found that admission is in anyway contrary to the rules or invalid by reason of incorrect or false information furnished by applicants or their parents/guardians at the time of admission. Any cancellation of admission shall not exclude penal action under the relevant criminal law.
- ii. The Ph.D students should not be on the active rolls of employment of Government or University or any other organization private or public – during the period of fulfilling the minimum residential requirements for the course.
- iii a. The candidates should not register for any other degree/diploma programme and continue the studies concurrently on regular or part-time basis either in this University or in any other University/Educational Institution.
- b. Those who were withdrawn from Ph.D courses in SVVU for not maintaining minimum OGPA and again applying during subsequent years, should appear seek admission afresh as per the eligibility.

- c. Those who joined Ph.D courses in SVVU but could not complete the requirement and applying again shall appear afresh. However, stipend if any paid earlier shall be recovered in full.
- d. Those who completed Ph.D course in one discipline and applying for admission into a different discipline shall not be considered for admission.
- iv. When the same course is offered at more than one campus, the University reserves the right to allot a student to any of the campuses irrespective of the region to which he/she belongs.
- v. The University reserves to itself the right to cancel or vary any of these rules without prior notice.
- vi. If seats reserved for ST are not filled up they shall be open to SC's and vice versa. In the event of candidates from SC & ST are not available these seats shall be allotted to the candidates under open competition. If qualified candidates belonging to BC of particular group are not available the left over seats will be adjusted for the candidates of next group. If qualified candidates belonging to BC are not available to fill up the seats reserved for them, the left over seats shall be treated as open competition.
- vii. If Persons with Disabilities (PwD) category candidates are not available those seats shall be filled as per existing rules of conversion.
- viii. Candidates shall visit the University website from time to time for the updates and no personal communication shall be sent to the applicants
- ix. The ICAR seats if remain vacant shall not be filled by University with candidates belonging to AP.
- x. The selected candidates should admit themselves on **14.06.2024** at allotted colleges failing which his /her admission stands cancelled.

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**REGISTRAR**

## **Reservation of seats in favour of Local/Non Local candidates**

(Vide A.P. Educational Institutions (Regulation of Admissions) Order, 1974 as amended from time to time)

- A (i)** Admissions to 85% of the seats in each major field of study after excluding those reserved for the Candidates from outside the State, shall be reserved in favour of the allocated among the local candidates in relation to the local area in respect of the **Andhra University** and **Sri Venkateswara University** at the ratio of 42 & 22% respectively.
- ii) 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.
- iii) While allocating under Sub-Para (i) the reserved seats among the local candidates in relation the different local areas, fraction of 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 the local candidates in respect of each local area.
- iv) 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 year 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 (i) 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 may be, 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 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 resided last in such equal periods:

**Explanations:** For the purpose of this paragraph.

- i) "Educational institution" means a University or any educational institution recognized 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 for 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.

**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 / Nagarajuna University. The part of the State comprising the districts of Ananatpur, Cuddapah, Kurnool, Chittoor and Nellore shall be regarded as the local area in respect of Sri Venkateswara University.

- B.** The following categories of candidates will be considered against the 15% of the available seats left **unreserved**.
- a) All candidates belonging to different local areas (AU, SVU and OU).
  - 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 Governments 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.

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**Note:**

- State means Andhra Pradesh
- In the case of candidates who passed their M.V.Sc degree from state wide University / Institution, only the period of study prior to joining the University i.e. MVSc will be reckoned for determining the Local/non-local status of the candidate.

**APPENDIX II**

**Number of seats in Ph.D Courses for fresh candidates for the Academic Year 2023-2024**

<b>Sl.No</b>	<b>Major Field of Study</b>	<b>No. of seats</b>	<b>College at which the courses will be offered</b>
	<b>VETERINARY SCIENCE</b>		
1.	Animal Genetics and Breeding	1	Sl.No. 7, 8, 13, 15 shall be offered only at College of Veterinary Science, Tirupati
2.	Animal Nutrition	2	
3.	Livestock Production Management	2	
4.	Livestock Products Technology	-	
5.	Veterinary Anatomy	1 + 1*	Sl.No. 1, 9, 14, 16 shall be offered at NTR College of Veterinary Science, Gannavaram
6.	Veterinary & A.H. Extension and Education	-	
7.	Veterinary Biochemistry	1	
8.	Veterinary Gynaecology & Obstetrics	1	
9.	Veterinary Medicine	2	
10.	Veterinary Microbiology	2	Sl.No. 2, 3, 5, 10, 11, 12 shall be offered both at CVSc, Tirupati and NTR CVSc, Gannavaram
11.	Veterinary Parasitology	2	
12.	Veterinary Pathology	1	
13.	Veterinary Pharmacology & Toxicology	1	
14.	Veterinary Physiology	1	* 10% over and above for Economically Weaker Section (EWS)
15.	Veterinary Public Health and Epidemiology	1	
16.	Veterinary Surgery & Radiology	2 + 1*	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>20+2*</b>	

### ANNEXURE – III

**FEES:** The following fees shall be payable by the candidates selected for admission into Ph.D level courses Academic Year 2023-2024

		<b>Amount (Rs.)</b>
	<b>At the time of admission</b>	
1.	Admission fee	865
2.	Identity Card	75
3.	Student Welfare Fund	360
4.	Laboratory Deposit (Refundable)	1890
5.	Library Deposit (Refundable)	1890
	<b>Semester Fee (Payable for each semester)</b>	
6.	Registration Fee (per semester)	630
7.	Tuition Fee M.V.Sc (per semester)	7260
8.	Late Registration fee 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> , 5 <sup>th</sup> , 6 <sup>th</sup> , 7 <sup>th</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> , 9 <sup>th</sup> and 10 <sup>th</sup> day is fees+Rs.100/-, 200/-,300/-, 400/-, 500/-, 600/-, 700/-, 800/-& 900/- respectively	
9.	Laboratory Fee (Per Semester)	2935
10.	Library Fee (Per Semester)	950
11.	Examination Fee (Per Semester)	925
12.	Examination stationary fee	925
13.	Sports & Games (Per Semester)	520
14.	Medical Fee (Per Semester)	380
	<b>Annual Fee</b>	
15.	Inter-college/Inter-University Sports/Cultural meet Fee	1260(per annum)
16.	College Magazine & Student Activities	1000 (per annum)
17.	Student Health Care schemes	1045 (per annum)
18.	Red Cross Society	10 (per annum)
	<b>Other Fee</b>	
19.	Thesis Evaluation Fee (Payable during the final semester)	7080
20.	Alumni Fee (in the final semester of study) – (only for First time admission in SVVU)	1030
21.	Transcript & Provisional Certificate	520
22.	Migration Certificate	690
23.	Seat Cancellation fee	Rs. 4550 (SC & ST for Rs. 2300)
	<b>Hostel Fee</b>	
24.	Hostel Deposit (Refundable)	9345
25.	Mess Deposit (Refundable)	9345
26.	Room Rent (Per Semester)	1790
27.	Hostel Establishment charges (per Head/per month)	585

**Note:**

- a) Other fee for certificates etc. shall be common for both UG & PG courses