



**VIKRAMA SIMHAPURI UNIVERSITY: NELLORE
ANDHRA PRADESH**

**ACADEMIC AUDIT
(2019-2022)
(preferably type written)**

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1. Basic Information

1.1. Name of the Department : ZOOLOGY

1.2. Year of Establishment : 1982

1.3. Number of teaching staff :

Professor	-
Associate Professor	-
Assistant Professor	3
Academic Consultants	-
Guest Faculty	2

1.3. Number of non-teaching and technical staff : 2

Non-teaching staff	3
Technical staff	-

1.4. Programmes offered :

Degree	No.
UG	-
PG	1
PG.Diploma	-
Ph.D.	1

2. Student enrollment/ Attendance

2.1. Number of applications received and students admitted

Programme	2021-2022			2020-2021			2019-2020		
	Received (State vide entrance)	Admitted		Received	Admitted		Received	Admitted	
		M	F		M	F		M	F
UG	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
PG	2144	8	17	322	8	10	239	5	16
PG. Diploma	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ph.D.	1	-	1	3	1	1	-	-	-

2.2. Is the record of attendance maintained for all the courses offered by the Department for the last three years? : yes

2.3. Number of students who lacked the required percentage of attendance in the last three years : Nil

3. Curricular Aspects

3.1. Has the curriculum been updated (Once in three years)? : Yes

3.2. If 'No', specify the reasons :

3.3. If 'Yes', list the percentage of syllabus changes made :20%

3.4. Have the changes been made in tune with the feedback of the students/employers/alumni? : Yes

3.5. Whether skill/ employability based courses have been included or not : Included

4. Time-table and Workload

4.1. Are copies of the timetable for all courses offered by the department for the last three years maintained? : Yes

4.2. Has provision been made for UG/PG student seminar(s) in the timetable? : Yes

4.3. Are details of seminar presentation for the current

Semester available?

: Yes

4.4. Total number of teaching hours of the Faculty/
Department/Centre :

Year	Semester	Total No. of contact hours/week	Total No. of Theory hours	Total No. of Practicals/Labs hours
2019-2020	Odd	36	18	18
	Even	36	18	18
2020-2021	Odd	36	18	18
	Even	36	18	18
2021-2022	Odd	36	18	18
	Even	36	18	18

4.5. Average no. of contact hours / week /faculty member : 16

4.6. Average no. of hours devoted for research including project Guidance/week/faculty member : 4

4.7. Number of hours devoted for Extension Activities in a week : 2

5. Internal Assessment

5.1. Were the Internal examination held as per the schedule? : Yes

5.2. If 'No', please specify the reason : --

5.3. Average number of days within which answer papers were returned to the students after evaluation : 5 days

5.4. Are Internal examination records maintained for all courses offered by the Faculty/Department? : Yes

6. Outreach programmes in association with NSS unit. if any

6.1. Does the department participated in outreach programme (details may be provided) : **Yes**

6.2. Number of students participated in this programme : 50

7. Student support activities

- 7.1. Does the Department have any student Support activity? : Yes
- 7.2. If 'No', specify the reasons : -
- 7.3. Are the records of such activity maintained? : Yes
- 7.4. Number of students received / receiving financial assistance from the government: 86
- 7.5. Number of field visit / industrial visit made / student projects arranged by the department with University permission : 2
- 7.6. Number of students selected for summer internship/ internship.: 0
- 7.7. Number of popular lectures delivered by subject experts in the department. : 2
- 7.8. Initiatives taken for remedial programme for slow learners : Yes
- 7.9. Initiative taken by the Department to bring out the students' talents : Mentorship
- 7.10. How many students have participated in national level Sports meet. : 0
- 7.11. No. of National/State level awards won by the students : 0
- 7.12. Whether student feedback is obtained for all courses : yes
- 7.13. Any opportunity is given to enhance communication skills of the students: Yes

8. Doctoral Programmes

- 8.1. Number of Scholars admitted : 3
- 8.2. Is admission for Ph.D. done as per UGC norms : Yes
- 8.3. Number of Research scholars getting financial Assistance Provide details : 0
- 8.4. Number of Ph.D.'s awarded in last three years : 02
- 8.5. Have you introduced coursework for Ph.D.? as per UGC norms: Yes

- 8.6. Do you insist on Plagiarism check : **Yes**
- 8.7. Are research pre-synopsis presentation conducted at the Department level? : **Yes**
- 8.8. Whether plagiarism certificate is obtained before submission of Ph.D. thesis : **Yes**

9. Research Activities

- 9.1. Number of research proposals sent by the faculty members to various agencies during the last three years : **nil**
- 9.2. Number of research projects sanctioned during the last three years : **01**
- 9.3. Total funds mobilized through projects in the last three years : **03 Lakhs**
- 9.4. Number of ongoing sponsored projects in the Department during the last three years : **03**
- 9.5. Has the Department applied for FIST : **Yes/No**
- 9.6. No. of collaborative projects with other Institutions/Industries : **NIL**

10. Seminars/Conferences / webinars

- 10.1. Number of Seminars/ Conferences/ webinars Organized by the Faculty/Department in the last three years :
- | | |
|---------------|-------------|
| National | : 02 |
| International | : 01 |
- 10.2. Number of participants in the above seminars/conferences from outside the University : **200**
- 10.3. Number of papers presented per Faculty member in the last three years
- | | |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| National Conferences : | |
| International Conferences: | 03 |
- 10.4. How many international visits were made by the Faculty members in the last three years (show Faculty, Country visited and purpose in a tabulated form) : ---

11. Research

- 11.1. Number of books and chapters in edited volumes Publications in the last three years : **23**
- 11.2. Number of Research papers Published in the last three years: **18**

11.3. Highest impact factor of the article published in last 3 years : 8.5

11.5: Has the Department/Faculty applied/granted for any patent : Yes/No

If Yes: give details

12. Any Others

12.1 Details of awards/recognition won by the staff in the last three years : 02

Awarded Outstanding Science Service Award 2019, Awarded National Distinguished Educator and scholar Award -2021

12.2. Major contribution in the extension domain : --

12.3. How many MoU's have been signed in the last three years and with whom? (show in tabular form) : NO NIL

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IQAC Remarks:

1. Suggested to focus on MoU's with other institutions / Universities / industries.
2. Suggested to focus on patents by the faculty.

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1. Recommended to apply funded Research projects to Government Agencies.
2. Recommended to organize Guest Lectures by inviting eminent Speakers from other institutions / Universities etc

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		M	F		M	F
UG	-	-	-	-	-	-
PG	196	8	8	33	9	18
PG. Diploma	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ph.D.	-	-	-	-	-	-

2.2. Is the record of attendance maintained for all the courses offered by the Department for the last three years? : Yes

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the Faculty/Department? : Yes

6. Outreach programmes in association with NSS unit. if any

6.1. Does the department participated in outreach programme (details may
be provided) : **Yes**

6.2. Number of students participated in this programme : **35**

7. Student support activities

7.1. Does the Department have any student
Support activity? : Yes

7.2. If 'No', specify the reasons :

7.3. Are the records of such activity maintained? :

7.4. Number of students received / receiving financial assistance from the government: **70**

- 7.5. Number of field visit / industrial visit made / student projects arranged by the department with University permission : 02
- 7.6. Number of students selected for summer internship/ internship. 0
- 7.7. Number of popular lectures delivered by subject experts in the department. : 1
- 7.8. Initiatives taken for remedial programme for slow learners : Yes
- 7.9. Initiative taken by the Department to bring out the students' talents : Yes
- 7.10. How many students have participated in national level Sports meet. : 0
- 7.11. No. of National/State level awards won by the students : 0
- 7.12. Whether student feedback is obtained for all courses : Yes
- 7.13. Any opportunity is given to enhance communication skills of the students: No

8. Doctoral Programmes

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9. Research Activities

- 9.1. Number of research proposals sent by the faculty members to various agencies during the last two years : **NIL**
- 9.2. Number of research projects sanctioned during the last two years : **02**
- 9.3. Total funds mobilized through projects in the last two years: **2 lakhs**
- 9.4. Number of ongoing sponsored projects in the Department during the last two years : **02**
- 9.5. Has the Department applied for FIST : **Yes/No**
- 9.6. No. of collaborative projects with other Institutions/Industries : **NIL**

10. Seminars/Conferences / webinars

- 10.1. Number of Seminars/ Conferences/ webinars Organized by the Faculty/Department in the last two years :
National : **02**
International :
- 10.2. Number of participants in the above seminars/conferences from outside the University : **150**
- 10.3. Number of papers presented per Faculty member in the last two years
National Conferences : **08**
International Conferences: **05**
- 10.4. How many international visits were made by the Faculty members in the last two years (show Faculty, Country visited and purpose in a tabulated form) : **NIL**

11. Research

- 11.1. Number of books and chapters in edited volumes Publications in the last two years : **9**
- 11.2. Number of Research papers Published in the last two years: **19**
- 11.3. Highest impact factor of the article published in last 2 years : **0.7**

11.5: Has the Department/Faculty applied/granted for any patent : Yes/**No**
If Yes: give details

12. Any Others

12.1 Details of awards/recognition won by the staff
in the last two years : **03**

Awarded Distinguished scholar and Icon -2017, Outstanding
Educator and Scholar Award-2017, Awarded Exemplary Teacher Award -2018

12.2. Major contribution in the extension domain : **nil**

12.3. How many MoU's have been signed in the last two
years and with whom? (show in tabular form) : **NO**

IQAC Remarks:

1. Sponsored Research Projects are
encouraged by the faculty.
2. University - Industry Collaborations are
Recommended.

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1. Recommended to organize National / International Conferences / Seminars /
Workshops by the faculty and department.
2. Suggested to focus on Consultancy Projects by the faculty.
3. Recommended MoU's with other institutes / University / industries.

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