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NATIONAL ANIMAL RESOURCE FACILITY
FOR BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH

Dissertation and Project Work Opportunities

ICMR-National Animal Resource Facility for Biomedical Research invites applications from eligible Master's and Bachelor's degree students to undertake dissertation and project work as part of their academic curriculum. These opportunities are available for a period of six to twelve months, commencing January 2026.

1. **Minimum Academic Eligibility:** The institute accepts only those students who intend to pursue dissertation/project work as an essential part of their curriculum for Master's/Bachelor's degree programs. Candidates enrolled in integrated degree programs who have completed at least three years of study are also eligible.
2. **Number of Students:** The number of students accepted each year will depend on the availability of supervisors.
3. **Selection Criteria:** Students will be shortlisted based on their academic achievements.
4. **Time Commitment:** Only candidates dedicating their full time to the dissertation or project during the study period will be considered.
5. **Duration:** The dissertation or project work duration will be a minimum of six to twelve months.
6. **Application Procedure:** Applications must be submitted in the prescribed format (Appendix-1) and forwarded by the Head of the Department from the institution where the student is pursuing their Master's or Bachelor's degree.
7. **Research Interest Statement:** Each applicant must also submit a one-page write-up outlining their research interests.
8. **Fees:** Selected students are required to pay a dissertation fee of Rs. 10,000/- (per semester) at the time of joining the institute. Payment should be made via a Demand Draft in favour of "Director, ICMR-NARFBR, Hyderabad" payable at Hyderabad.
9. **Stipend and Accommodation:** Please note that ICMR-NARFBR does not provide any stipend to students, and hostel facilities are not available.
10. **Application Submission:** Dissertation applications will only be accepted via email at narfbr.ac@gmail.com. Applicants must attach scanned copies of their educational qualification documents, from 10th grade onwards, along with their application form. The application deadline is **25th December, 2025**.
11. **Selection Announcement:** The list of selected candidates will be displayed on the ICMR-NARFBR, Hyderabad website and/or the ICMR-HQ website during the first week of January 2026. Selected students are expected to join in the third week of January 2026.
12. All communications will be done through E-mail only; No postal communication will be done.

Important Note: Students are requested to adhere strictly to the prescribed admission procedure and **should not directly contact individual Scientists of ICMR-NARFBR for seeking opportunities**. Interim inquiries will not be entertained.

Sd/- x x x
Administrative Officer
Date : 01.12.2025

APPLICATION FORM FOR DISSERTATION/ PROJECT WORK – 2026

1. Name of the Student :
2. Roll No. :
3. Name of the Institute/ University :
4. Program Name and Department :
5. Address for Correspondence :

Insert Photograph

6. Mobile No. :
7. E-mail ID (In capital letters) * :

8. Academic Qualifications from high school onwards:

| Exam Passed | Year of passing | Board / University | Division | Marks (%) or CGPA |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|----------|-------------------|
| Higher Secondary (Class X) | | | | |
| Senior Higher Secondary (Class XII) | | | | |
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9. Intended duration of Project Work (Place ✓ mark): ____6 Months __12 Months

10. List of Documents Attached:

- a) Research Interest Statement.
- b) Scanned copies of Class X, XII, undergraduate/ post-graduate marksheets.
- c) Duly signed Declaration Form by the Student.
- d) Duly signed Certification from the Head of Department/ Institute/ University.
- e) Others: _____

I hereby affirm and declare that all information provided herein is true, complete, and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that all attached certificates and supporting documents are genuine and authentic. I shall not indulge in interim enquiries and/or campaign with Scientists/ employees/ students of ICMR-NARFBR for my selection.

(Signature of the Student)

Date and Place:

*All communications will be made in this E-mail ID ONLY. No postal communication will be done.

DECLARATION BY THE STUDENT

I, _____, understand and agree to the following terms and conditions should I be permitted to undertake dissertation/project work at ICMR-National Animal Resource Facility for Biomedical Research (ICMR-NARFBR):

- I shall strictly adhere to all existing and future rules, regulations, policies, and guidelines of ICMR-NARFBR throughout the duration of my dissertation/project work.
- Any publication, presentation, scientific communication, or intellectual property (IP), including but not limited to inventions, discoveries, data, and copyrighted materials, arising from or developed during my research work at ICMR-NARFBR, shall only be pursued or disseminated with the prior written consent and active collaboration of my assigned guide(s)/co-guide(s) and the Director of ICMR-NARFBR. All such endeavors will duly acknowledge the contributions of all involved parties and ICMR-NARFBR.
- I acknowledge and agree that all intellectual property generated or conceived during the course of my dissertation/project work at ICMR-NARFBR shall be the sole and exclusive property of ICMR-NARFBR.
- I covenant and agree not to publish, disclose, or seek any intellectual property rights in any jurisdiction concerning any IP generated at ICMR-NARFBR without the express prior written approval of ICMR-NARFBR. This approval will be contingent upon proper attribution to my guide(s)/co-guide(s) and ICMR-NARFBR.
- Upon the conclusion or termination of my dissertation/project work, or at any earlier request from ICMR-NARFBR, I shall promptly submit all records, documents, laboratory notebooks, experimental results, data (in both digital and hardcopy formats), and any other materials generated or compiled during my work at ICMR-NARFBR to my assigned guiding/mentoring Scientist at ICMR-NARFBR.
- I understand that the unauthorized use of the logo and trademarks of the ICMR, ICMR-NARFBR, or any other ICMR institutes, in the dissertation, project report, publication, or other communication is strictly prohibited. Any proposed use of such intellectual property must receive explicit prior written approval from the Director, ICMR-NARFBR.
- I undertake to pay the applicable fee of Rs. 10,000/- (per semester) by demand draft or any other means, as required by the ICMR-NARFBR, upon my selection for the dissertation/project work.
- I understand and acknowledge that I will not receive any stipend, remuneration, and/or hostel facility from the ICMR-NARFBR during the entirety of my dissertation/project work.

(Signature of Student)

Name:

Date and Place:

CERTIFICATION BY THE HEAD OF DEPARTMENT/ INSTITUTE/ UNIVERSITY
[To be Printed on the Letterhead of the Department/ Institute/ University]

This is to certify that _____ (Full Name of Student)
bearing Roll Number _____ is currently pursuing
_____ (Program Name) at _____
(Department) of our Institute/ University, and is permitted to undertake dissertation/project work
at the ICMR-National Animal Resource Facility for Biomedical Research (ICMR-NARFBR).

We understand and agree to the following terms and conditions pertaining to our above-referred student's engagement at ICMR-NARFBR:

- We acknowledge that the student shall strictly adhere to all existing and future rules, regulations, policies, and guidelines of ICMR-NARFBR throughout the duration of their dissertation/project work.
- We agree that any Publication, Presentation, Scientific communication, or Intellectual Property (IP), including but not limited to inventions, discoveries, data, and copyrighted materials, arising from or developed during the research work at ICMR-NARFBR by the student, shall only be pursued or disseminated with the prior written consent and active collaboration of the assigned guide(s)/co-guide(s) and the Director of ICMR-NARFBR. All such endeavors will duly acknowledge the contributions of all involved parties and ICMR-NARFBR.
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Shri/Smt. _____ (Name of Student) bears a good and moral character and is permitted by the Competent Authority of our Institute/University to do Dissertation/ Project work at ICMR-NARFBR for a duration _____ months, starting January 2026.

(Signature of Head of Department/ Institute/ University)

Name:

Designation:

Contact Information:

Stamp: