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*I/C DEAN – PRINCIPAL*

**VANBANDHU COLLEGE OF VETERINARY SCIENCE AND ANIMAL  
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**PROFESSIONAL BRIEF:**

- A self-motivated, dynamic and versatile person with unmatched enthusiasm and excellent and consistent academic track record.
- Serving the State Agricultural University set-up since August, 1985 starting with Gujarat Agricultural University at Anand then from February 1989 at Navsari campus, GAU followed by Navsari Agricultural University on various posts.
- Over 33 years Full Time rich and varied experience of research, extension education and teaching activities in the SAUs of Gujarat.
- Served the SAUs of Gujarat in various capacities in the University System and developed holistic understanding of working pattern of the university system.
- Pioneered the establishment of the Vanbandhu College of Veterinary Science & Animal Husbandry under the flagship of NAU, Navsari in 2009 as per the norms of Veterinary Council of India.
- Extensively contributed to the non-academic domains and thereby assisted in polishing the image of the SAUs of Gujarat by effectively serving as the Treasurer in SRC (6 years), Livestock Farm Manager (18 years) and Drawing & Disbursing Officer (15 Years).
- 70+ Research Publications/Presentations at the National & International Forums; and even won “Best Research Paper / Presentation Awards” at the National Levels.
- Successfully organized 100+ Training - Development programmes /Camps for the upliftment of the farming community.
- Well conversant with Gujarati, Hindi and English language with sound rapport with the society at large.

### **ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS:**

<b>Sr. No</b>	<b>Degree</b>	<b>Year of passing</b>	<b>Name of Board / University</b>	<b>Class percent</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
i.	Bachelor's Degree	1985	GAU, SK Nagar	2.58/4.00	Second Class
ii.	Master Degree	1989	GAU, SK Nagar	7.21/10.00	First Class
iii.	Doctorate Degree	1995	TANUVAS, Madras	9.2/10.0	First Class
iv.	Computer course CCC+	2007	SPIPA	74.0%	CCC+

### **EXPERIENCE PROFILE:**

<b>Sr.</b>	<b>Cadre</b>	<b>Teaching</b>		<b>Research</b>	<b>Extension</b>	<b>Administration/ HOD/DDO</b>
		<b>U.G.</b>	<b>P. G.</b>			
i.	Below Assistant Professor and its equivalent	-	-	3 Years & 10 months		-
ii.	Below Associate Professor and its equivalent	2 Yr	-	9 Years		5 Yr
iii.	Below Professor and its equivalent	2 Yr	4 Yr	8 Years		7 Yr
iv.	Professor and its equivalent	6 ½ Yr	13 Yr	7 Yr	13 Yr	3 ½ Yr DDO 6 YR HOD
v.	I/C Dean – Principal ( From 26/10/2018)	-	6 months	6 months	6 months	6 months

### **AWARDS APPRECIATIONS AND ACHIEVEMENTS**

1. Senior Research Fellowship award from Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), New Delhi in 1992.
2. Best Teacher Award for 2012-13 received from Dr. Kamla Beniwalji, Governor of Gujarat at 9<sup>th</sup> Convocation, Navsari Agricultural University on 03.01.2014.
3. Prof. J. P. Trivedi Award sponsored by Hari Om Ashram, Nadiad for Scientific contribution by Gujarat Association for Agricultural Sciences (GAAS) in 1995
4. Hari Om Ashram prerit Shri Bhaikaka Inter University Smarak Trust for Scientific contribution by Sardar Patel University, Vallabh Vidhyanagar in 1995.
5. Prof. Nil's Lagerlof Memorial Award- 2003 for best paper by The Indian Society for Study of Animal Reproduction in 2003.

6. **Best Paper in National Seminar by Navsari Agricultural University, Navsari in 2009.**
7. **Best Paper in National Seminar Oral Presentation by Indian society of Animal Production & Management in 2014.**
8. **Best Paper in National Seminar Poster presentation by Indian society of Animal Production & Management in 2014.**
9. **Worked as Organizing Secretary for a State Level Seminar on “Measures to control economic losses in Dairy animals” on 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2009.**
10. **Appreciation by Vice chancellor for active participation in Krushi Mahotsav-2008.**
11. **Appreciation by Vice chancellor for publication of Gujarati books for farmers**
12. **Appointment as member of moderation committee moderator by ASRB, New Delhi for ARS/NET Examination in Animal Genetics and Breeding.**
13. **Member of Academic and Agricultural Research Council of NAU.**

#### **NEW PROJECT/RESEARCH SCHEME CONDUCTED THROUGH ICAR**

1. **A net work project on survey, evaluation and characterization of Surti buffalo sponsored by NBAGR, Karnal.**
2. **AICRP on Goat Improvement – Surti field unit by CIRG, Makhdum, Mathura.**

#### **MEMBER IN SCIENTIFIC BODIES:**

1. **Society for conservation of Domestic animals biodiversity, Karnal.**
2. **All Gujarat Veterinarians’ Social Security Trust, Gandhinagar.**
3. **The Indian Society of Animal Genetics and Breeding, New Delhi.**
4. **Gujarat Veterinary Association, Gandhinagar**
5. **Indian Society of Buffalo Development, Hissar**

#### **PERSONAL DETAILS**

**Birth Date and Place** : 03/03/1963 at Himmatnagar, Dist. Sabarkantha

**Marital Status** : Married

**Category** : General

**Language Prolificacy** : Gujarati, English, Hindi.