



Dr. PANJABRAO DESHMUKH KRISHI VIDYAPEETH, AKOLA

BEST EXTENSION SCIENTIST AWARD

Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapeeth, Akola calls filled in applications from the eligible University scientists / teachers / KVK personnel's for Best Extension Scientist Award, 2025-26

Rules and Guidelines for Best Extension Scientist

1. Awardee: Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapeeth, Akola
2. Objectives:
 - i. To recognize outstanding performance of extension scientist.
 - ii. To provide incentive for outstanding work of an extension scientist.
 - iii. To promote a sense of scientific culture, pride and recognition of his/her achievements
3. Nature of the Award: Annual award consists of a citation and Rs. 25,000/- cash prize.
4. Conferring of Award: Award will be conferred on the University Foundation Day **20th October**.
5. Eligibility Criteria
 - i. The applicant must have at least five years experience in Dr. PDKV, Akola
 - ii. University scientists / teachers / KVK personnel's are eligible for the award.
 - iii. The "applicant" must have not less than "Good" annual appraisal reports for immediate past five reports.
 - iv. Documentary evidence for the marks claimed should be enclosed.
 - v. He/She should not be penalized through the enquiry
 - vi. This award-winning scientists / teachers / KVK personnel's will not be eligible to apply for next three years.
 - vii. Five proposal minimum requirement for pursuing further procedure of said award.
 - viii. All the applicants will be abiding by the decision of the Judging Committee.
6. Award Judging Committee

The Vice Chancellor, Dr. PDKV, Akola will nominate the Chairman for the Judging Committee and its members. In the opinion of the Judging Committee, if no deserving candidate is available, the award will not be given.

Judging Committee for selection of Best Extension Scientist Award of University

SN	Nameand Designation	Position
1.	Anexternalexpert(notbelowtherankofViceChancellor)(1)	Chairman
2.	Director of Extension Education from otherAgriculturalUniversity(1)	Member
3.	Director of ICAR Institute (1)	Member
4.	Coordinator(Registrar,Dr.PDKV,Akola)(1)	Member-Secretary

7. Scrutiny Committee

The Vice Chancellor, Dr. PDKV, Akola will constitute a Scrutiny Committee consisting of members from different disciplines for scrutinizing and scoring the applications.

8. Procedures for selection of recipient

The Applications are invited from university scientists / teachers / KVK personnel's as regular employee of University for the above award duly shall be forwarded through proper channel. Each such application shall be in the prescribed format with detailed statement of the work of the candidate with supportive documentary evidences/documents. The Judging Committee after proper scrutinywill recommend the name of the recipient for the award from the eligible applicants. After the receipt of the recommendations from Judging Committee approved by the Vice Chancellor, Dr. PDKV, Akola, the award will be announced.

9. Other

- a) Certificates / documents submitted in support of various aspects (S. N. 1 to 27) should be attested by respective Head of the Department / Principal/ Associate Dean / Dean / Director of Research / Director of Extension / Head of the institutions.
- b) Fill the information pertaining to the duration of last five years.
- c) The Associate Dean / Head of the Department / Institutions / organizations should not authenticate documents / certificates for own nomination / application.
- d) The application may include only the essentially required information details as per format given and should not contain unnecessary details about individual achievements. The application must contain a summary statement which should quantifiable and in prefect sync with the criteria laid out for the award.
- e) Organizer has full faith that the claim of your application towards your

candidature for the award are true and organizer will not be responsible for any false claims in award application

- f) Assistant Professor/Subject Matter Specialist/Associate Professor/Sr. Scientist & Head/Senior Research Scientist/Professor are only eligible for this award.
 - g) Application received after due date will not be considered for the award.
 - h) All the applicants will be abiding by the decision of the judging committee.
 - i) In all matters relating to the award, the decision of the judging committee shall be final and no correspondence on this account will be entertained
 - j) Organizer will not pay TA/DA for attending the award function.
10. The last date for submission application (one hard copy) is 25/08/2026. Applications received after due date will not be considered.
11. One hard copy of applications should be sent to positive before

Registrar,

Dr. Panjabrao Deshmukh Krishi Vidyapeeth,
Akola – 444 104.

APPLICATION PROFORMA

FOR

BEST EXTENSION SCIENTISTS AWARD 2025-26

- I. Name of the Applicant:
II. Date of birth:
III. Designation:
IV. Field of specialization:
V. Postal address (with Phone/Fax/Email etc.):

Passport Size
Photo

1. Educational qualifications

Level	Degree	Board/University	Year of Passing	Subject(s) with Major field	Class / Division / Grade / Marks
Graduation					
Masters					
Ph. D					
NET					
Additional Degree/ Diploma					
Others					

2. Work Experience (in chronological order)

Sr. No.	Name of Employer	Name of Post	Period	Pay Scale (Rs.)	Nature of Work
	Total Work Experience				

3. Training programmes attended

a. Training programme attended (Outside country)

Title	Duration	Institution	Sponsored By	Year

b. Training programme attended (Within country)

Title	Duration	Institution	Year

4. Training Organized / Coordinated for Scientist or Extension Personnel

Title of Programme	Venue	Year	Duration	No. of Beneficiaries	Level of Involvement

5. Training Organized / Coordinated for Farmers

Title of Programme	Venue	Year	Duration	No. of Beneficiaries	Level of Involvement

6. Organization of Farmers Rallies, exhibitions, field days, Foundation days, Innovative meet etc.

Title and location	Year	Duration	No. of Beneficiaries	Level of Involvement

7. Organizations of Frontline/ Result/ Method Demonstrations (support with documents)
8. Number of group discussions conducted (support with documents)
9. Organization of farmers exposure visits (support with documents)
10. Advisory Service provided to farmers (SMS, Diagnostic field visit, Whatsapp group etc.)
11. Acted as facilitator / Co-ordinator for Farmers Scientist Forum / Farmers Producer Organizations etc.
12. Participation in Model Village Activities
13. Participation in University Idols / Sale Counter Activities
14. Publications based on the extension work submitted for award
 - a. Extension based NAAS rated Research Papers
 - b. Bulletins / University Level Publications
 - c. Training manual / compendium of training
 - d. ITKs documented and published
 - e. Popular articles
 - f. Others (folders, leaflets, abstracts etc.)
15. Extension based externally funded projects (International / National / State / District) team leader, Co-PI/Associate / others) (at least 1 years duration required for full marks)

Sr. No.	Title of project	Funding agency	Financial outlay	PI/Co-PI/Member
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				

16. Generation of Revolving Fund
17. Involvement in development activities
18. Awards to farmers: Does any farmer under the leadership of applicant received awards from Local, Regional, State and National forum.
19. Invited lectures/keynote speech/oral or poster presentation in Seminar / Symposia / Workshop / Convention / Model Training etc.

Sr. No.	Particulars	Details of seminar/symposia/workshop/convention/conference (International/ National/State/District level etc.)
1	Invited lectures/keynote speech	
2	Oral presentations	
3	Poster presentations	

20. Radio Talk and TV talk/Video films/CD's/DVD's etc. (Attach evidences)

Topic	Radio/TV/Radio film	Year	Remarks

21. Success stories:

22. Coverage in print and Newspapers:

Title of Coverage	Published in	Page/no. Tears etc.	Remarks

23. Organizer / Convener of National / International Seminar / Symposium / Conference / Workshop etc.

24. Awards / Honours / Recognition International /National/ State awards

Professional Society /Institute/University/District awards) (Awards received from Private agency / NGOS will not be considered)

25. Give a brief account of innovative extension activities you are involved including problems solved, extents of coverage, convergence, collaboration, nature of work, any other.

(Provide suitable subheadings with quantifiable and verifiable information and present in about 2 pages)

24. Future plan/strategies for innovation in extension research/education (based on present/past involvement onlyabout 2 pages)

Declaration by the applicant

I ----- declare that no vigilance / disciplinary proceedings are pending against me and the information given in the form is correct to best of my knowledge.

Date:

Place:

(Signature of applicant)

Recommendation from the Officer Incharge / Head of Office

Dr. PanjabraoDeshmukhKrishiVidyapeeth, Akola
Evaluation Scorecard for Dr. PDKV Best Extension Scientist Award

Sr. No.	Particulars	Maximum Marks	Score Achieved
1.	Educational qualifications (Ph. D : 03 mark for first class with distinction, 01 mark for first class M.Sc. : 01 mark for first class with distinction, 0.5 mark for first class) Only highest degree will be considered Additional Degree or Diploma from recognized institute - 01 Mark each	3	
2.	Work Experience (0.5 Marks for each year of service above 5 years e.g 7 years experience will get 01 marks)	3	
3.	Training programme attended by applicant	2	
	a. Training programme attended (Outside country) (01 mark for each training) (Max. 02 Marks)		
	b. Training programme attended (Within country) (01 mark for each training) (Max. 02 Marks)		
4.	Training Organized/Coordinated by the applicant Scientist or Extension Personnel (03 mark for each training of 7 days and above 5 days - 2 mark, 3-4 days -1 mark, 1-2 days - 0.5 marks, Only for course coordinators / organiser)	5	
5.	Training Organized / Coordinated for Farmers (03 mark for each training of 5 days and above, 3 days - 2 mark, 2 days -1 mark, 1 days - 0.5 marks, Only for course coordinators / organisers)	5	
6.	Organization of Farmers Rallies, exhibitions, field days, Foundation days, Innovative meet etc.(1marks for each event)	3	
7.	Organizations of FLDs/Demonstrations (0.5 marks per activity)	2	
8.	Number of group discussion conducted (0.5 marks per activity)	2	
9.	Organization of farmers exposure visits (1 marks per activity)	2	
10.	Advisory Service provided to farmers (SMS, Diagnostic field visit, Whatsapp group etc) : 0.5 mark per activity	2	
11.	Act as facilitator / Co-ordinator for Farmers Scientist Forum / Farmers Producer Organisations (0.5 mark per activity)	2	
12.	Participation in Model Village Activities (Co-ordinator 2 marks and Members 1 marks)	2	

13.	Participation in University Idols / Sale Counter Activities (Co-ordinator 2 marks and Members 1 marks each activities)	2																					
14.	Publications based on extension work submitted for award	10																					
	Extension based Research papers 5 or more NAAS rating 2 marks per article each for 1 st three authors and 50% marks for rest of the authors. Less than 5 NAAS rating 1 marks each article for 1 st three authors and 50% marks for rest of the authors (Max. 5 marks)																						
	Bulletins (each bulletin of 6 pages or above 1 mark) (Max. 1 marks)																						
	Training manual / Compendium of training / University level publications (each publication 1 mark each) (Max.1 marks)																						
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1.	>100 lakhs	6	4																				
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3.	25-50 lakhs	3	1.5																				
4.	<25 lakhs	2	1																				
16.	Generation of Revolving Fund Above 3 Lakhs - 3 marks, 1 to 3 Lakhs - 2 marks, Below 1 Lakhs – 1 marks	3																					
17.	Direct involvement in development activities Establishment of Bio fertilizer / Bio pesticide / Micro nutrients / Poultry / Goatry unit / Fruit orchard / Nursery Unit etc. Unit Incharge 1 marks each and supporting members 0.5 marks	2																					
18.	Awards to farmers Does any farmer under the leadership of applicant received awards from Local, regional, State and national forum. (2 Marks for National, 1 mark for State and 0.5 mark for regional awards by any recognized body)	2																					
19.	Invited lectures/keynote speech/oral or poster presentation in Seminar/Symposia/Workshop/Convention/Model Training etc.	3																					

	International/National Invited lectures/keynote speech/ Oral or Poster Presentation (1.5 marks each) State/University level Invited lectures/keynote speech/ Oral or Poster Presentation (1 marks each), District level Invited lectures/keynote speech/ Oral or Poster Presentation (0.5 marks each) Other than above presentation (0.25 marks each)		
20.	Radio Talk and TV talk/Video films/CD's/DVD's etc (produce evidence) (0.5marks for each activity)	3	
21.	Success stories (with evidence such as publication, annual report, recognition certificate, newspaper coverage etc., 0.5 marks for each story)	3	
22.	Coverage in print and Newspapers (0.5 marks), e-publications. (0.25 marks/ each)	3	
23.	Organizer/Convener of National/International seminar/ symposium / conference /workshop etc. National Convener/Co-ordinator (1.5 marks each) Co-Convener/Co Co-ordinator/ Organizing Secretary (1 marks each) Members of Organising Committee (0.5 marks) International Convener/Co-ordinator (3 marks each) Co-Convener/Co Co-ordinator/ Organizing Secretary (2 marks each) Members of Organising Committee (1 marks)	3	
24.	Awards / Honours / Recognition International (4 marks each), National (3 marks each), State (2 marks each), professional Society / Institute / University awards (1.5 marks each), District authority (1 marks each) and recognition 1 marks each	4	
25.	Give a brief account of innovative extension activities you are involved including problems solved, extents of coverage, convergence, collaboration, nature of work, any other. (Provide suitable subheadings with quantifiable and verifiable information and present in about 2 pages)	3	
	Total marks	80	
	Judging Committee	20	
	Total	100	

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Result Sheet

Sr.No.	Name of Extension Scientist	Marks Obtained

Checked by

Member Secretary

Chairman