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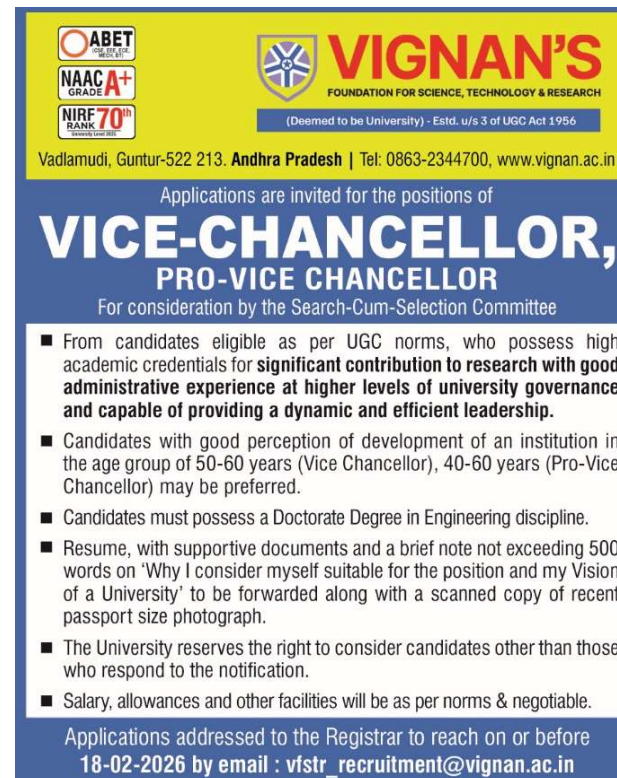
Status of Recruitment of Vice-Chancellor

Advertisement released: 28.01.2026

(The Hindu, Times of India across India)

Last date to receive applications : 18.02.2026

No. of Applications finalized for search-cum-selection committee (Vice-Chancellor)	
Applications Received	89
Finalized	13



The advertisement is a vertical rectangular poster with a yellow top section and a blue bottom section. The top section contains accreditation logos (ABET, NAAC A+, NIRF 70th) and the Vignans logo with the text 'FOUNDATION FOR SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & RESEARCH'. Below this is the address and contact information for Vadlamudi, Guntur-522 213, Andhra Pradesh. The middle section, on a blue background, states 'Applications are invited for the positions of VICE-CHANCELLOR, PRO-VICE CHANCELLOR' and mentions the Search-Cum-Selection Committee. The bottom section, also on a blue background, lists five bullet points detailing eligibility criteria, application requirements, and salary information. At the very bottom, it provides the deadline and email address for applications.

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FOUNDATION FOR SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & RESEARCH
(Deemed to be University) - Estd. u/s 3 of UGC Act 1956

Vadlamudi, Guntur-522 213. **Andhra Pradesh** | Tel: 0863-2344700, www.vignan.ac.in

Applications are invited for the positions of
VICE-CHANCELLOR,
PRO-VICE CHANCELLOR
For consideration by the Search-Cum-Selection Committee

- From candidates eligible as per UGC norms, who possess high academic credentials for **significant contribution to research with good administrative experience at higher levels of university governance and capable of providing a dynamic and efficient leadership.**
- Candidates with good perception of development of an institution in the age group of 50-60 years (Vice Chancellor), 40-60 years (Pro-Vice Chancellor) may be preferred.
- Candidates must possess a Doctorate Degree in Engineering discipline.
- Resume, with supportive documents and a brief note not exceeding 500 words on 'Why I consider myself suitable for the position and my Vision of a University' to be forwarded along with a scanned copy of recent passport size photograph.
- The University reserves the right to consider candidates other than those who respond to the notification.
- Salary, allowances and other facilities will be as per norms & negotiable.

Applications addressed to the Registrar to reach on or before
18-02-2026 by email : vfstr_recruitment@vignan.ac.in

Search cum Selection Committee members Identified

S.No	Name	Details
1.	Prof. Dr. Jaykara Shetty M. (BDS, MDS (Prosthodontics)	Vice-Chancellor Bangalore University Nominated by UGC on 05-05-2026
2.	Prof. D. N. Reddy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presently Working as the Chancellor of Malla Reddy University• Former Vice-Chancellor, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University Hyderabad• Former Member, University Grants Commission• Former Chairman, RAC/DRDO, Ministry of Defence• Former Chairman, NBA Appellate Committee• Former Chairman, Recruitment Assessment Centre (RAC), DRDO for scientist recruitment and career advancement.
3.	Prof. P. Appa Rao	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Former Vice-Chancellor, University of Hyderabad (2015–2021)• Former Chairman & CEO (additional charge), National Council of Rural Institutes (NCRI)• Former Member of scientific committees of the Department of Science & Technology (DST) and Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Government of India

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