



**SRI VENKATESWARA COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING (AUTONOMOUS),
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Research Policy

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Statement:

To build a strong Research & Innovation Ecosystem to improve the quality of Research and Innovation in the institution in line with the Vision / Mission of the institution.

Objectives:

- To create Centers of Excellence in emerging areas and to sustain Research through motivation.
- To encourage the students and members of the faculty to involve in inter-disciplinary and multi-disciplinary research.
- To realize sustainable development goals and in the process, find solutions for societal problems.

Provisions:

- An office for Research will be created under the leadership of Dean (Research) to track and coordinate all activities related to research and innovation in the departments and that of the institution.
- Sufficient budget for Research will be created separately under Capital and Revenue heads. Whenever essential, additional grants can be considered with proper justification.

Process:

- National/International travel grant to faculty and students to enable them to participate and present research paper in Conferences abroad.
- Sponsorship to attend conferences, workshops and all Professional Development Programmes.
- Seed money for Under-graduate and Post-graduate students will be provided to support innovative final year projects.
- Incentives will be offered for paper publications based on the quality of publications at the end of each Academic Year.
- Performance Based Incentives will be offered to faculty members based on various activities pertaining to Research & Innovation like consultancy, testing, patents, etc. based on guidelines issued from time to time.
- Incentives for completion of Funded Projects will be given to Principal Investigators equivalent to 2% of the value of the project, paid at the end of every year.
- Financial support to avail Life Membership in Professional Societies will be provided.