



VISAYAS
STATE UNIVERSITY

January 26, 2023

Dr. Edgardo E. Tulin

President

Visayas State University

Visca, Baybay City, Leyte

Thru: Dr. Maria Juliet C. Geniza

VP for Research Extension and Innovation

Dear Dr. Tulin:

This is to recommend the appointment of Dr. Anabella B. Tulin as Project Leader of the Project entitled "*Nanomaterial-encapsulated Microbial Inoculant as Tuber Sett Coating to Enhance Growth, Yield and Micronutrient Uptake of Purple Yam*" without an honorarium effective January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023 chargeable to VSU-IP-2021-11 unless sooner terminated due to lack of funds.

As Project Leader, she is entitled to appropriate workload units as prescribed in the Research Manual and is expected to perform the following responsibilities:

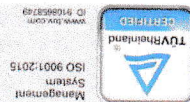
1. Take charge of the overall management of the project.
2. Coordinate with collaborators and project staff in the overall implementation of the project.
3. Supervise the research staff in the procurement of chemicals, reagents and other materials needed in the project implementation.
4. Supervise and assist the research staff in the preparation and evaluation of encapsulated microbial inoculant in nanomaterial-alginate microbeads.
5. Supervise research assistant in evaluating the performance of encapsulated microbial inoculant in pot experiments of purple yam.
6. Prepare reports per requirement by VSU and the funding agency

In case of any changes in the title, methodology, project site, and/or budget, the approval should first be sought from the University President upon recommendation by the concerned College Dean or Center Director and the Vice President for Research, Extension & Innovation.

Very truly yours,

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MA. THERESA P. LORETO
Director, ARI Center



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