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Thru: **DR. MANUEL D. GACUTAN, JR.**
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Dear **President Tulin**:

Greetings!

I am writing to express my interest in applying for the Assistant Professor IV position posted by your esteemed unit, the Department of Animal Science (DAS), Visayas State University, Visca, Baybay City, Leyte. I finished my Doctor of Philosophy in Agriculture specializing in Animal Genetics at Hiroshima University, Japan, in September 2022. I have been working as an Instructor in the same department for the past five years, and I have a strong interest in teaching and research in my field of expertise.

I have extensive teaching experience. I have taught undergraduate courses in Principles of Animal Science, Breeding of Farm Animals, and Animal Production-related courses. After completing my doctoral studies, I prepared to teach graduate courses in my area of interest while working as an instructor in DAS. I am a passionate educator, and I believe that I have the skills and experience necessary to be an effective teacher. I am also committed to providing students with a rigorous and challenging education.

My research interests focus on population-evolutionary genetics and the application of bioinformatics in animal science. I am particularly interested in the animal genetic resources study in the Philippines. I have published several papers in top academic journals in this area and co-authored a review article. In addition, I participated actively in a number of trainings and scientific forums, was actively involved in various professional associations both locally and internationally, and was a member of the National Research Council of the Philippines.

I am confident that I would be a valuable addition to the Department of Animal Science, Visayas State University. I work diligently, and I am dedicated to my research and teaching. I am also a team player, and I am confident that I would be able to contribute to the department's research and teaching missions.

I have attached my CV and a list of references for your review. I would be grateful for the opportunity to discuss my application with you in more detail. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely yours,


Cyrill John P. Godinez, Ph.D.

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