

Padma Awards and Bharat Ratna 2019

Bharat Ratna Award 2019

Bharat Ratna is the highest civilian award of the Republic of India. Instituted in 1954, the award is conferred "in recognition of exceptional service/performance of the highest order", without distinction of race, occupation, position, or sex.

C. Rajagopalachari was the first recipient of Bharat Ratna Award.

Pranab Mukherjee

Pranab Mukherjee is an Indian politician who served as the 13th President of India from 2012 until 2017. In a political career spanning five decades, Mukherjee has been a senior leader in the Indian National Congress and has occupied several ministerial portfolios in the Government of India. Prior to his election as President, he was Union Finance Minister from 2009 to 2012.

Bhupen Hazarika

Hazarika was an Indian playback singer, lyricist, musician, singer, poet and film-maker from Assam, widely known as Sudhakantha. His songs, written and sung mainly in the Assamese language by himself, are marked by humanity and universal brotherhood and have been translated and sung in many languages, most notably in Bengali and Hindi.

Nanaji Deshmukh

Chandikadas Amritrao Deshmukh also known as Nanaji Deshmukh (11 October 1916 – 27 February 2010) was a social activist from India. He worked in the fields of education, health, and rural self-reliance. He was a leader of the Bharatiya Jana Sangh and also a member of the Rajya Sabha.

Padma Awards 2019

The Padma Vibhushan, Padma Bhushan and the Padma Shri are three separate awards given by the Government of India which seek to recognize achievements in all fields of activities or disciplines where an element of public service is involved. **The Padma Awards were instituted in the year 1954, and is announced every year on the occasion of Republic Day except for brief interruption(s) during the years 1978 and 1979 and 1993 to 1997.**

The Awards are given in three categories: **Padma Vibhushan (for exceptional and distinguished service), Padma Bhushan (distinguished service of higher order) and Padma Shri (distinguished service).**

Padma Vibhushan:

It is the second highest civilian honour of India is given for exceptional and distinguished service in any field including service rendered by the government servants.

The highest award in India is the Bharat Ratna.

Padma Bhushan:

This award is given to recognize distinguished service of a high order to the nation.

Padma Shri:

It is given by distinguished service in any field including service rendered by the Government servants.

Padma Vibhushan

Name	Field
Ms. Teejan Bai	Art-Vocals-Folk
Shri Ismail Omar Guelleh	Public Affairs Djibouti
Shri Anilkumar Manibhai Naik	Trade & Industry-Infrastructure
Shri Balwant Moreshwar Purandare	Art-Acting-Theatre

Padma Bhushan

Name	Field
Shri John Chambers	Trade & Industry-Technology
Shri Sukhdev Singh Dhindsa	Public Affairs
Shri Pravin Gordhan Foreigner	Public Affairs
Shri Mahashay Dharam Pal Gulati	Trade & Industry-Food Processing
Shri Darshan Lal Jain	Social Work
Shri Ashok Laxmanrao Kukade	Medicine-Affordable Healthcare
Shri Kariya Munda	Public Affairs
Shri Budhaditya Mukherjee	Art-Music-Sitar
Shri Mohanlal Viswanathan Nair	Art-Acting-Film
Shri S Nambi Narayan	Science & Engineering-Space
Shri Kuldip Nayar Posthumous	Journalism for Literature & Education
Ms. Bachendri Pal	Sports-Mountaineering
Shri V K Shunglu	Civil Service
Shri Hukumdev Narayan Yadav	Public Affairs

Padma Shree

Person Awarded	Field
Shri Rajeshwar Acharya	Art-Vocal-Hindustani
Shri Bangaru Adigalar	Others-Spiritualism
Shri Illias Ali	Medicine-Surgery
Shri Manoj Bajpayee	Art-Acting-Films
Shri Uddhab Kumar Bharali	Science & Engineering-Grassroots Innovation
Shri Omesh Kumar Bharti	Medicine-Rabies
Shri Pritam Bhartwan	Art-Vocals-Folk
Shri Jyoti Bhatt	Art-Painting

Shri Dilip Chakravarty	Others-Archaeology
Shri Mammen Chandy	Medicine-Hematology
Shri Swapan Chaudhuri	Art-Music-Tabla
Shri Kanwal Singh Chauhan	Farmer
Shri Sunil Chhetri	Sports-Football
Shri Dinyar Contractor	Art-Acting-Theatre
Ms. Muktaben Pankajkumar Dagli	Social Work-Divyang Welfare
Shri Babulal Dahiya	Others-Agriculture
Shri Thanga Darlong	Art-Music-Flute
Shri Prabhu Deva	Art-Dance
Ms. Rajkumari Devi	Others-Agriculture
Ms. Bhagirathi Devi	Public Affairs
Shri Baldev Singh Dhillon	Science & Engineering-Agriculture
Ms. Harika Dronavalli	Sports-Chess
Ms. Godawari Dutta	Art-Painting
Shri Gautam Gambhir	Sports-Cricket
Ms. Draupadi Ghimiray	Social Work-Divyang Welfare
Ms. Rohini Godbole	Science & Engineering-Nuclear
Shri Sandeep Guleria	Medicine-Surgery
Shri Pratap Singh Hardia	Medicine- Ophthalmology
Shri Bulu Imam	Social Work-Culture
Ms. Friederike Irina Foreigner	Social Work-Animal Welfare
Shri Joravarsinh Jadav	Art-Dance Folk
Shri S Jaishankar	Civil Service
Shri Narsingh Dev Jamwal	Literature & Education
Shri Fayaz Ahmad Jan	Art-Craft-Papier Mache
Shri K G Jayan	Art-Music-Bhakti
Shri Subhash Kak Foreigner	Science & Engineering-Technology
Shri Sharath Kamal	Sports-Table Tennis
Shri Rajani Kant	Social Work
Shri Sudam Kate	Medicine-Sickle Cell
Shri Waman Kendre	Art-Acting-Theatre
Shri Kader Khan Posthumous-Foreigner	Art-Acting-Films
Shri Abdul Gafur Khatri	Art-Painting
Shri Ravindra Kolhe and Ms. Smita Kolhe	Medicine-Affordable Healthcare
Ms. Bombayla Devi Laishram	Sports-Archery
Shri Kailash Madbaiya	Literature & Education
Shri Ramesh Babaji Maharaj	Social Work-Animal Welfare
Shri Vallabhbbhai Vasrambhai Marvaniya	Others-Agriculture
Ms. Gita Mehta Foreigner	Literature & Education
Shri Shadab Mohammad	Medicine-Dentistry
Shri K K Muhammed	Others-Archaeology
Shri Shyama Prasad Mukherjee	Medicine-Affordable Healthcare
Shri Daitari Naik	Social Work
Shri Shankar Mahadevan Narayan	Art-Vocals-Films
Shri Shantanu Narayen Foreigner	Trade & Industry-Technology
Nartaki Natraj	Art-Dance-Bharatnatyam
Shri Tsering Norboo	Medicine-Surgery

Shri Anup Ranjan Pandey	Art-Music
Shri Jagdish Prasad Parikh	Others-Agriculture
Shri Ganpatbhai Patel Foreigner	Literature & Education
Shri Bimal Patel	Others-Architecture
Shri Hukumchand Patidar	Others-Agriculture
Shri Harvinder Singh Phoolka	Public Affairs
Ms. Madurai Chinna Pillai	Social Work-Microfinance
Ms. Tao Porchon-Lynch Foreigner	Others-Yoga
Ms. Kamala Pujhari	Others-Agriculture
Shri Bajrang Punia	Sports-Wrestling
Shri Jagat Ram	Medicine-Ophthalmology
Shri R V Ramani	Medicine-Ophthalmology
Shri Devarapalli Prakash Rao	Social Work-Affordable Education
Shri Anup Sah	Art-Photography
Ms. Milena Salvini Foreigner	Art-Dance-Kathakali
Shri Nagindas Sanghavi	Literature & Education-Journalism
Shri Sirivennela Seetharama Sastry	Art-Lyrics
Shri Shabbir Sayyad	Social Work-Animal Welfare
Shri Mahesh Sharma	Social Work-Tribal Welfare
Shri Mohammad Hanif Khan Shastri	Literature & Education
Shri Brijesh Kumar Shukla	Literature & Education
Shri Narendra Singh	Others-Animal Husbandry
Ms. Prashanti Singh	Sports-Basketball
Shri Sultan Singh	Others-Animal Husbandry
Shri Jyoti Kumar Sinha	Social Work-Affordable Education
Shri Anandan Sivamani	Art-Music
Ms. Sharada Srinivasan	Others-Archaeology
Shri Devendra Swarup Posthumous	Literature & Education-Journalism
Shri Ajay Thakur	Sports-Kabaddi
Shri Rajeev Tharanath	Art-Music-Sarod
Ms. Saalumarada Thimmakka	Social Work-Environment
Ms. Jamuna Tudur	Social Work-Environment
Shri Bharat Bhushan Tyagi	Others-Agriculture
Shri Ramaswami Venkataswami	Medicine-Surgery
Shri Ram Saran Verma	Others-Agriculture
Shri Swami Vishudhananda	Others-Spiritualism
Shri Hiralal Yadav	Art-Vocals-Folk
Shri Venkateswara Rao Yadlapalli	Others-Agriculture