

Target Current Affairs: All upcoming exams!















### PADMA AWARDS

The Awards are given in various disciplines/ fields of activities, viz.- art, social work, public affairs, science and engineering, trade and industry, medicine, literature and education, sports, civil service, etc.

#### 1. Padma Vibhushan:

Padma Vibhushan is awarded for "exceptional and distinguished service". Padma Vibhushan is the second-highest civilian award in India.

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#### 2. Padma Bhushan:

Padma Bhushan for "distinguished service of a high order". Padma Bhushan is the third-highest civilian award in India.

#### 3. Padma Shri:

Padma Shri for "distinguished service" in any of the above field. Padma Shri is the fourth-highest civilian award in India.

### GALLANTRY AWARDS

Gallantry Awards or wartime Chakra honors the acts of bravery and sacrifice of the officers/personnel of the Armed Forces, other lawfully constituted Forces and civilians.

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Gallantry Awards are classified into two types:

- Gallantry in the Face of Enemy
- Gallantry Other than in the Face of Enemy

First Category of Gallantry Awards Comprises of the following Awards:

Param Vir Chakra (PVC) Mahavir Chakra (MVC) Vir Chakra

Second Category of Gallantry Awards Comprises of the following Awards:

- Ashok Chakra
- Kirti Chakra
- Shaurya Chakra



#### Shinzo Abe - Japan



Source: asiasociety.org

#### **Field: Public Affairs**









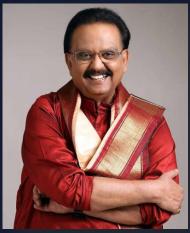






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### S P Balasubramaniam (Posthumous)



Source: Rediff.com

#### **Field: Art**



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### Dr. Belle Monappa Hegde



Source: bmhegde.com

#### **Field: Medicine**















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### Narinder Singh Kapany (Posthumous)



Source: dnaindia.com

### Field: Science & Engineering

Indian-American Narinder Singh Kapany is known as the 'father of fibre optics',

he coined the term fibre optics.







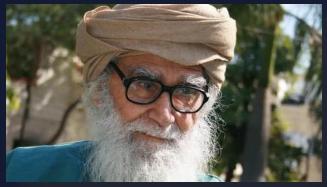






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### Maulana Wahiduddin Khan



Source: Hindustan Times

### **Field: Spiritualism**

Indian Islamic scholar and peace activist known for having written a commentary on the Quran and having translated it into contemporary English.

















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B.B. Lal



Source: trendsmap.com

### **Field: Archaeology**

Professor Braj Basi Lal who a team of archaeologists to the Ramjanmabhoomi site and unearthed the existence of a temple of Lord Ram beneath the Babri structure at Ayodhya.











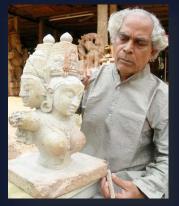






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#### Sudarshan Sahoo



Source: sudarshancrafts.com

#### Field: Arts

Sudarshan Sahoo is a notable sculptor from Odisha.



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### Krishnan Nair Shantakumari Chithra



Source: Srivideo

### **Field: Arts**

She is a veteran playback singer from Kerala.



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### Tarun Gogoi (Posthumous)



Source: Times of India

#### **Field: Public Affairs**

Former CM of Assam (Served 2001 to 2016) and INC leader.













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### Chandrashekhar Kambara



Source: Times of India

### **Field: Literature and Education**

Chandrashekhara Kambara is a prominent Indian poet, playwright, folklorist, film director in

Kannada language.















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#### Sumitra Mahajan



Source: Twitter

#### **Field: Public Affairs**

She represented the Indore constituency of Madhya Pradesh from 1989 to 2019 as a longest

serving Woman Member of Parliament. Ex-Lok Sabha Speaker.











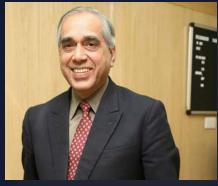




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#### Nripendra Misra



Source: India Today

#### **Field: Civil Service**

He is a retired IAS Commissioner of the Uttar Pradesh Executive, who served as Prime Minister

Narendra Modi's Principal Secretary from 2014-19.

















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### Ram Vilas Paswan (Posthumous)



Source: Twitter

#### **Field: Public Affairs**

Former Union minister and the president of the Lok Janshakti Party.



















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### Keshubhai Patel (Posthumous)



Source: DeshGuiarat

### **Field: Public Affairs**

Former CM of Gujarat and BJP leader.



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### Kalbe Sadiq (Posthumous)



Source: DeshGujarat

### **Field: Spiritualism**

Kalbe Sadiq was an Indian Islamic scholar, reformer, educationist, philanthropist and preacher.

















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### Rajnikant Devidas Shroff



Source: vishvatimes.com

### **Field: Trade and Industry**

UPL Chairman & pioneered red phosphorus manufacturing in 1969.















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### **Tarlochan Singh**



Source: The Economic Times

#### **Field: Public Affairs**

Former Member of Parliament Tarlochan Singh representing Haryana.



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### PADMA SHRI AWARDS

A total 102 Padma Shri Awardee.



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#### Col Bikumalla Santosh Babu



Source: NDTV.com

Colonel Bikumalla Santosh Babu led his troops against the Chinese attack in Galwan Valley in in June last year, has been posthumously named for Mahavir Chakra, for acts of gallantry in the presence of the enemy.













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