## **PRESS NOTE**

Dr. J.V. Desai, Vice Chancellor, MVN University was honored with "India's Most Distinguished Vice Chancellor Award – 2016.



Prof. Dr. JV DESAI, Vice Chancellor, MVN University was honoured with "India's Most Distinguished Vice Chancellor Award – 2016" (Influential Leadership) 2016 at "6<sup>th</sup> Bhartiya Manava Adhikar Samman-2016" on the occasion of International Human Rights Day for Peace, Harmony, Protecting and Promoting Human Rights at India Islamic Cultural Centre Auditorium, Lodhi Road, New Delhi. Dr. J.V. Desai awarded for his commendable services and achievements in the field of higher education and who believes in change for benchmarking educational practices. The award ceremony was organized by All India Council of Human Rights, Liberties & Social Justice (AICHLS), New Delhi.

Dr. J.V. Desai award was presented by jury members namely Lt. General Shokin Chouhan, Lt. General Amit Sarin, Prof. K.K. Aggarwal, Dr. N C Wadhwa (IAS Retd.), Acharya Dr. Lokesh Muni, Chief Imam Dr. Umer Ahmed Ilyasi, Dr. Prasahant Bhalla, Mrs Neera Shastri, Mr Ramesh Bhatt – News Nation. All jury members congratulate Dr. J.V. Desai for this achievement. The Awards was presented at a Grand Award Ceremony taken place in Delhi in the presence of distinguished guests from all the sectors.

The award is Human Rights Council's (AICHLS) most prestigious human rights award. It is given to Individuals/ World Peace Leaders / Business Leaders / Institutions /

Organizations / Corporates, who show exceptional leadership in the fight to protect and promote human rights and service to humanity.

These prominent awards honour for outstanding performance & an increasingly important role in various walks of life, sports, media, arts, culture and community services and significant contribution for Peace, Harmony, Protecting and Promoting Human Rights. The award was based on criteria such as the importance given to strategic planning in the University, quality of infrastructure, future orientation, body of research, emphasis on sustainability, proven record of performance, personal integrity and ethical practices.

The speech of Venerable Bhikku Sanghsena , Acharya Dr. Lokesh Muni , Chief Imam Dr. Umer Ahmed Ilyasi , Dr Sandeep Marwah and Prof. K K Aggarwal has touched the heart of the people. Vote of thanks has been given by Dr. Anthony Raju , Chairman All India Council of Human Rights, Liberties and Social Justice. High tea was served after the National Anthem.

## **Brief Profile of Dr. J.V. Desai (Vice Chancellor, MVN University)**

Dr. J.V. Desai is an alumnus of IIT Bombay and has over three decades of distinguished academic and professional experience to his credit. He has been a part of several national & international academic and accreditation bodies and has served in a string of highly prestigious and reputed universities. Dr. Desai has travelled across the world to attend seminars and deliver lectures on a range of subjects. His insightful research papers are published in a host of noted national and international journals. A staunch votary of global education, in-depth research and cutting-edge technologies, Dr. Desai guides Ph.D. students in the areas like Renewable Energy, Ultra-Capacitors, Sliding Mode Control, Image processing and Energy harvesting nano devices. Prof DESAL has commendable services and J.V.achievements in the field of higher education and who believes in change for benchmarking educational practices.



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