

## **BRIEF-PROFILE**

Prof. Dinesh Kumar, the recipient of prestigious **"Homi J. Bhabha Memorial Award" by Hon'ble Prime Minister Sh. Narendra Modi**, is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice-Chancellor of Gurugram University, Gurugram.

Prior to join Gurugram University, Prof. Dinesh Kumar has also graced the position of Vice-Chancellor of J.C. Bose University of Science and Technology, YMCA, Faridabad (formerly known as YMCA University of Science and Technology) between 2015 and 2021.

The tenure of Prof. Dinesh Kumar as Vice Chancellor of JC Bose University was remarkable as the University made notable achievements under his leadership including NAAC and NBA accreditation, and presence in NIRF ranking at National level. He associated the name of University with great Indian scientist Sir Jagadish Chandra Bose and gave the identity to the University on International arena.

The University also got the status of affiliating University, and the State Government allotted land to the University for its Second Campus, besides major infrastructure development. Due to his untiring efforts, the University succeeded to mobilise funds about Rs 27 Cr. from Central Agencies like TEQIP-3 and RUSA and over 6 Cr. from Alumni Association which boosted the academic and infrastructural development in the University.

On the Academic front, the University has received 'A' Grade accreditation by NAAC and NBA accreditation of its various courses. The University has also made its presence in NIRF ranking at National level. The University has also got affiliating status and Engineering Colleges in district Palwal and Faridabad are now affiliated with the University.

The career of Prof. Dinesh Kumar who is an eminent academician, ardent researcher and able administrator known for his leadership abilities, spans over 30 years. Prof. Dinesh Kumar obtained his Master and PhD degrees from Cambridge University. He began his academic career in the year 1987 as a faculty at Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra. He worked as Director of UIET (Kurukshetra University) from August 2010 to January 2015 and served as He has been Chairman of Department of Electronics Science in Kurukshetra University from May 01, 2006 to April 30, 2009 and then again from May 01, 2013 to November 03, 2015. He has worked as Director, Kurukshetra University Alumni Association for many years.

Prof. Kumar was awarded with Homi J. Bhabha Gold Medal by Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi in Mysuru during the 103<sup>rd</sup> Indian Science Congress on January 3, 2016. He was the first Scientist and Vice-Chancellor of any University in Haryana to receive this

prestigious Award for his contribution to the development of science and technology in the country.

He was also conferred with "Most Eminent Vice Chancellor Award" by All India Council of Human Rights, Liberties & Social Justice (AICHLS) and 'RankBandhu Shiksha Shiromani Samman' by RankBandhu Sahitya Academy for commendable contribution in the field of Education. He was elected as President of the Section of Materials Science of Indian Science Congress Association for the session 2017-2018.

Prof. Kumar is a widely travelled person and has been to France, Italy, Germany, Austria, England, USA, Russia, Australia, Taiwan and many more in connection with his research activities. He has published more than 130 research papers. His research group is engaged in the fabrication and characterization of semiconductor devices and thin films. A total of 20 students have already completed their Ph.D. theses and about 5 students are pursuing under his guidance.

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### **ACADEMIC-PROFILE**

**Name:** DINESH KUMAR

**Present Position:** Vice-Chancellor, Gurugram University, Gurugram

**Date of Birth:** 10<sup>th</sup> October, 1964

#### **Educational Qualifications:**

- 1994- Ph.D. (Electronic Materials & Devices) **Cambridge University, U.K.**
- 1991- M.Phil. in Microelectronic Engineering & Semiconductor Physics, **Cambridge University, U.K.**
- 1985 - M.Phil. in Physics (Solid-State Electronics) Kurukshetra University with First Class, Distinction in dissertation with grade 'O'
- 1984 - M. Sc in Physics (Semiconductor Electronics) Kurukshetra University with First Class.
- 1982- B.Sc. (Non-Medical) Kurukshetra University with First Class securing **Second Position** in the University out of about 1800 students appeared.