ACHIEVEMENTS: AWARDS AND HONOURS

FELLOWSHIP/AWARDS/HONOURS BY ACCREDITED/PROFESSIONAL BODIES

FACULTY OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES

SOCIOLOGY

- 1. Prof. Gurpreet Bal nominated to Academic Council of Khalsa College, Amritsar for two years from 2015 to 2017.
- 2. Prof. Gurpreet Bal nominated as member of Board of Post Graduate studies of the Department of Sociology, Bhimrao Ambedkar University, Lucknow for three years.
- 3. Dr. Neena Rosey Kahlon appointed as Co-Convenor of Research Committee 12: Population, Health and Society of Indian Sociological Society.
- 4. Dr. Rachana Sharma re-elected as committee member of 'Anti Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace' wing at G.M.C., Amritsar.
- 5. Dr. Rachana Sharma appointed as Treasures of R.C.-03, Economy, Polity and Society of Indian Sociological Society on December 29, 2015.

FACULTY OF ECONOMICS & BUSINESS

COMMERCE

6. Prof. Jaspal Singh awarded 'Top 50 Global Educators Award' at Oxford University conference, UK.

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

COMPUTER SCIENCE

- 7. Life Membership of Punjab Science Congress to Ms. Parminder Kaur.
- 8. Life Membership of Computer Society of India to Ms. Parminder Kaur.

ELECTRONICS TECHNOLOGY

- 9. Best Paper award to Dr. Maninder Lal Singh, "A novel impairment aware routing and wavelength assignment algorithm for optical WDM networks" 6th International Conference and Workshop on Computing and Communication (IEMCON-2015), University of British Columbia, Vancouver Canada.
- 10. Mr. Deepak Bhatia and Mr. Yogeshwar Sharma won 1st prize in propeller design competition at Tech Fest organized by IIT Delhi in February, 2015.

FACULTY OF LANGUAGES

ENGLISH

11. Dr. Sukhdev Singh as Chairman, INTACH Intangible Cultural Heritage Advisory Committee.

SCHOOL OF PUNJABI STUDIES

- 12. Dr. Harbhajan Singh Bhatia awarded "Sharomni Panjabi Literary Critic Award", Khalsa College for Women, Amritsar, April 29, 2015.
- 13. Dr. Harbhajan Singh Bhatia awarded "Best Teacher" (Honour), Rotary Club, Amritsar, September 20, 2015.

FACULTY OF LAWS

LAWS

- 14. Dr. Viney Kapoor appointed Member, Committee to draft Higher Education Council Act, constituted by Punjab Government.
- 15. Dr. Viney Kapoor appointed Member, Juvenile Justice Board, Amritsar, Department of Social Security and Women Empowerment, 2014-17.

FACULTY OF LIFE SCIENCES

BOTANICAL & ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

- 16. Prof. Renu Bhardwaj received Fellowship (FICEE-2015) of International Conference on Environment and Ecology by Foundation for Science and Environment (FSE), Kolkata.
- 17. Prof. Renu Bhardwaj received Nation Builder Award 2015 by Rotary Club Amritsar.
- 18. Prof. Saroj Arora received Fellowship of National Environmental Science Academy (NESA), New Delhi.
- 19. Prof. Satwinderjeet Kaur was appointed as organizing secretary by Environmental Mutagen Society of India (EMSI) to hold 40th EMSI Meet along with International Conference at Manipur University, Imphal.
- 20. Dr Amarjit Singh Soodan received Life membership of Association of Entomologists, Department of Zoology and Environmental Sciences, Punjabi University, Patiala.

PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES

- 21. Mr. Sahil Sharma, Prof. P.M.S. Bedi. First prize for poster presentation at 1st Indo-Korean Conference organized by APP Punjab State Branch at GHG Khalsa College of Pharmacy, Gurusar Sadhar, Ludhiana, Punjab on October 17, 2015
- 22. Mr. Manjinder Singh, Mr. Amrit Pal Singh. First prize poster award for Investigation on the role of mast cell stabilizers against high fat diet induced renal dysfunction in rats. 4th International symposium on Adipobiology and Adipopharmacology (ISAA) Bucharest, Romania on October 28-31, 2015
- 23. Mr. Karan Razdan, Prof. Subheet Kumar Jain. First prize poster award for Self nano emulsifying drug delivery system for poorly water soluble drugs. The Annual Convention of APTI-2015 Rayat-Bahra Institute of Pharmacy, Hoshiarpur on April 3-4, 2015.
- 24. Ms. Geetanjali, Dr. Neena Bedi. Second position prize for poster Presentation. The Annual Convention of APTI-2015 Rayat-Bahra Institute of Pharmacy, Hoshiarpur on April 3-4, 2015.
- 25. Mr. Hasandeep Singh and Dr. Balbir Singh. Best poster award in International conference on "Molecular Pharmacology, Drug Discovery and Nanopharmaceuticals" (MPDDNP-2015) held at Chitkara University on March 27-28, 2015.

FACULTY OF PHYSICAL PLANNING & ARCHITECTURE

GURU RAMDAS SCHOOL OF PLANNING

- 26. Dr. Balvinder Singh was awarded with State Award from Honourable Chief Minister of Punjab, Sardar Parkash Singh Badal at the State Level Function held in Mohali, on August 15, 2015.
- 27. Dr. Balvinder Singh was nominated Member Mission Directorate, Amritsar Municipal Corporation for Heritage City Development and Augmentation Yojna (HRIDAY) March, 2015.

- 28. Dr. Balvinder Singh was recommended by IHCN-F Board of Trustees for inclusion in IHCN-F's National level Expert Panel member on July 9, 2015.
- 29. Dr. Balvinder Singh was incorporated member Research Degree Board, Department of Physical Planning, School of Planning and Architecture, New Delhi, July 2015.
- 30. Mr. Gopal Kumar Johari was nominated for Education Standing Committee of Institute of Town Planner, India, New Delhi, for 2015-16.
- 31. Mr. Gopal Kumar Johari was elected Secretary of Punjab Regional Chapter of ITPI, New Delhi for 2015-16.

FACULTY OF SCIENCES

CHEMISTRY

- 32. Dr. Parampaul Kaur Banipal awarded Best Poster Award for the paper: 'Elucidation of Interactions between D(+)- Glucose and Protic Ionic Liquid in Aqueous Solution: Volumetric and Calorimetric Studies'. Vickramjeet S., P.K. Banipal, R. L. Gardas, T.S.Banipal, at 10th National Conference on Thermodynamics of Pharmaceutical, Chemical and Biological Systems by Panjab University, Chandigarh from November 20-21, 2015.
- 33. Dr. Kamaljit Singh, Professor K. Venkaraman Endowment Lecture Award.
- 34. Dr. Kamaljit Singh, Council member, National Organic Symposium Trust (NOST), India.
- 35. Dr. Kamaljit Singh, Brainpool Visiting Fellow, Kangwon National University, South Korea.
- 36. Dr. Tajwant Singh Kang awarded fellowship for "Special Lecture Tour Program" under the Japan-India Cooperative Science Program between Japan Society for Promotion of Sciences (JSPS) and Department of Science and Technology (DST) India from November 29 to December 12, 2015 to Visit Kyushu University, Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology and Tohoku University, Japan.
- 37. Dr. Rakesh Kumar Mahajan elected Fellow of National Academy of Sciences (FNASc), Allahabad, India
- 38. Dr. Palwinder Singh awarded Bronze Medal by Chemical Research Society of India, Bangalore.
- 39. Dr. Vandana Bhalla awarded Bronze Medal by Chemical Research Society of India, Bangalore.
- 40. Dr. Vandana Bhalla Associate Editor of RSC Advances.
- 41. Dr. Vandana Bhalla Thomson Reuters Research Excellence India citation award for contribution in organic chemistry.
- 42. Dr. Vandana Bhalla Bhagyatara award for contribution in organic chemistry by Panjab University, Chandigarh.
- 43. Dr. Vipan Kumar Post-doctoral fellowship by Carl Trygger Foundation for Scientific Research, Sweden for carrying out research at Umea University, Sweden.

FOOD SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

44. Dr. Maninder Kaur received Award for Best Poster-2015 at National Conference on "Innovative Techniques in Food Product and Processing Technologies", held at Sant Longowal Institute of Engineering and Technology, Longowal, Sangrur, Punjab (October 9-10, 2015).

MATHEMATICS

45. Prof. T.D. Narang. Biography included in Who's Who in the World 2015(32nd Edition) published by Marquis Who's Who Publications, USA.

- 46. Prof. T.D. Narang. Recipient of The Cambridge Certificate for Outstanding Educational Achievement by International Biographical Center, Cambridge, England.
- 47. Prof. Pammy Manchanda appointed Member of Editorial Board of "Industrial and Applied Mathematics Series" Springer-Verlag.

PHYSICS

- 48. Prof. Atul Khanna. Vocational Excellence Award by Rotary Club North Amritsar March, 2015.
- 49. Prof. Atul Khanna. Nation Builder Award by Rotary Club Midtown Amritsar, Teachers Day-2015, September, 2015.
- 50. Dr. Aman Mahajan. Awarded best oral presentation award at International Photovoltaic Solar Energy Conference (IPSEC) Solar Asia-2015.
- 51. Mr. Sukhjit Singh (Research Scholar) Awarded Young Scientist Award by Punjab Science Congress in February, 2016 working under the supervision of Dr. Bindiya Arora.

FACULTY OF SPORTS MEDICINE & PHYSIOTHERAPY

SPORTS MEDICINE & PHYSIOTHERAPY

52. Dr. Amrinder Singh. Sports Rehabilitation Course in 36th Indian Association of Sports Medicine Congress conducted by L.H. Hiranandani Hospital, at Hotel Renaissance Convention Centre, Mumbai, January 9-11, 2015.