Honorary Doctorate Degrees Conferred by

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Apart from the regular Under Graduate, Post Graduate & PhD degrees, USTM confers Honorary Doctorate of Letters (**D. Litt.**) and Honorary Doctorate of Science (**D.Sc.**) to selected eminent personalities of the country & abroad who excels in different domains of work as a special recognition by the University. The names of such nominated persons are thoroughly judged and selected by the Board of Governors which are further placed in the University Academic Council for ratification.

These degrees are conferred during its Convocations held annually as well as in special Convocations. The details of such honorary doctorate degrees conferred by University of Science & Technology, Meghalaya are as follows :

SI. No	Honorary Degree	Name	Designation	Awarded in recognition	Convocation detail
01	D.Litt	Shri J. M. Lyndoh	Former Chief Election Commissioner of India	Contribution to the field of administration, policy formulation & electoral reforms	1 st Convocation
02	D.Litt	Allama Tayeebur Rahman Barbhuiya	Ameer-e-Shariat, NE India	Contribution to the greater cause of the society specially in the field of literature, spirituality, brotherhood and communal harmony	Date : 22.04.2016
03	D.Litt	Dr. D. D. Lapang	Former Chief Minister of Meghalaya	OutstandingcontributioninthefieldofPoliticalAdministration,Policyformulation & Social reforms	
04	D.Sc	Dr. Mihir Kanti Choudhuri	Former Vice Chancellor, Tezpur University	Outstanding contribution in the field of Academic Administration, promotion of Science & Technology and elevating Tezpur University to greater heights	2 nd Convocation Date : 10.06.2017
05	D.Sc.	Prof. Darlando Khathing	FoundingViceChancellor,CentralUniversityofJharkhand	Outstanding contribution in the field of academic administration, promotion of Science, Technology & innovation	
06	D.Litt	Dr. Abdul Gafoor	Founder, Ibin Sina Medical Center, Ajman & Chairman, Amina Hospitals, Dubai, UAE	Outstanding contribution as a successful Entrepreneur running charitable activities for the underprivileged in India & also for extending entrepreneurship ventures in UAE	3 rd Convocation Date : 09.09.2017
07	D.Litt	Prof. Abdul Mannan	Chairman, University Grants Commission (UGC), Bangladesh	Outstanding contribution in the field of Academic administration, policy formulation and promotion of quality higher education and research in Bangladesh to the	Special Convocation Date : 24.10.2018

				greater good of the society specially in the field of literature, social reform, peace and harmony	
08	D.Litt	Dr P. A. Ibrahim	Founder & Chairman, PACE Group, Dubai, UAE	Outstanding contribution as a successful Entrepreneur, his commitment and dedication in philanthropic cause and for creating opportunities that are sustainable and uplifting for humanity	
09	D.Sc.	Shri Frank Islam	Chairman & CEO, FI Invest Group, USA	Outstanding contribution in civic, educational, philanthropic and artistic cause and for creating opportunities that are sustainable and uplifting for humanity	Special Convocation
10	D.Litt	Prof David R. Syiemlieh	Ex Chairman, UPSC, (from Shillong, Meghalaya)	OutstandingcontributioninAcademicAdministration,Promotion ofQuality HigherEducation & Research, PolicyFormulation& SocietalDevelopment	Date : 11.02.2019
11	D.Litt	Shri Sudip Dutta	Chief Managing Director, Ess Dee Aluminum Ltd, Singapore	Outstanding contribution as a successful Entrepreneur, his commitment and dedication in philanthropic cause and for creating opportunities that are sustainable and uplifting for humanity	
12	D.Sc.	Prof Nirmal Kr Chaudhury	Former Vice Chancellor of Gauhati University	Outstanding contribution in the field Academic Administration, promotion of Science, Technology & Innovation and social transformation in the academic arena of North East	5 th Convocation
13	D.Litt	Bishop George Mamalassery	Bishop Emeritus of Tura, Meghalaya	Outstanding contribution to the greater good of the society specially in the field of education, health, spirituality, brotherhood, social reform and communal harmony	Date : 23.09.2019

The first convocation of University of Science and Technology, Meghalaya was held on 22nd April, 2016 amidst enthusiasm of students, parents and University fraternity. The convocation was held to confer Graduation, Post-Graduation and PhD degrees to students who had passed out in the years, 2013, 2014, 2015. The convocation was held at the Techno City, USTM. The Hon'ble Governor of Meghalaya and Visitor of the University Shri V. Shanmuganathan conferred the degrees and delivered the convocation address. A total of 534 passed out students received their Bachelor's and Master's Degree while lone scholar Shri Siddique Ali Ahmed was awarded PhD Degree in School of Biological Science.

In the first convocation of the University Honorary Doctorate Degrees were awarded to Shri J.M. Lyngdoh, former Chief Election Commissioner of India and Maulana Tayebur Rahman Barbhuiya, Ameer-e-Shariat, North East India in recognition of their outstanding achievement and contribution for greater good of the Society. In the Convocation eighty students were decorated with Gold Medals in recognition of their brilliant performance. The convocation was attended by luminaries from different parts of India and the world.



Hon'ble Governor of Meghalaya is presenting 1st Ph.D to Siddique Ali Ahmed





Hon'ble Governor of Meghalaya delivering the Convocation Address



Dr Ampareen Lyngdoh, Minister of Science and Technology, Govt of Meghalaya delivering address at the Convocation



Hon'ble Governor of Meghalaya is presenting Honorary Degree of D.Litt. to Sri James Michael Lyngdoh



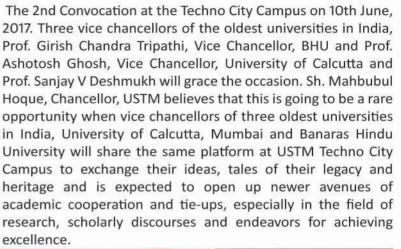
Hon'ble Governor of Meghalaya is presenting Honorary Degree of D.Litt. to Maulana Tayebur Rahman Barbhuiya



Prof. Girish Chandra Tripathi, Vice Chancellor, BHU delivering at the Convocation

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Prof. Ashutosh Ghosh, Vice Chancellor, University of Calcutta delivering at the Convocation

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Prof Mihir K Chaudhuri & Dr DD Lapang receiving the honorary degrees





3rd Convocation-2017 INIVERSITY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOL

Prof. Jagadesh Kumar, Hon'be Vice Chancellor, JNU delivering the Convocation Address

The 3rd Convocation at the Techno City Campus today. Prof. Jagadesh Kumar, Hon'be Vice Chancellor, JNU, Prof. Jayant M Modak, Dy. Director, IISC, Bangalore, Prof. G D Sharma, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Bilaspur University had graced the occasion as Chief Guest and Guest of Honors respectively. Along with them, Dr. P G Rao, Vice Chancellor, USTM, Prof. Amarjyoti Chaudhury, C V Raman Chair Professor, USTM, Dr. R K Sharma, Pro-VC, USTM, Deans and HoDs of different schools were present.







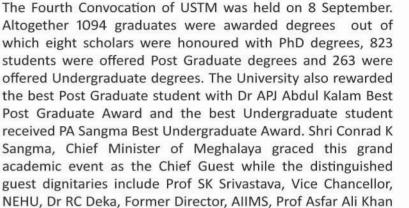


Honorary D.Litt. & D.Sc. Conferred to Dr Abdul Gafoor & Prof D Khathing

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Shri Conrad K Sangma, Chief Minister of Meghalaya delivering at the Convocation







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