



**Seema Mustafa** (born 20 April 1955) is an Indian print and television journalist. She is currently the Editor-in-Chief of The Citizen, a digital newspaper she founded. She is the elected president of the Editors Guild of India, since 16 October 2020.



**Rahul Kanwal** is a news anchor and journalist for India Today Television and Aaj Tak. He is the host of the prime-time show Newstrac on India Today TV , a weekday and interview-based show, Jab We Met.



**Anup Jalota**, (born 29 July 1953) is an Indian singer, musician and actor, best known for his contributions to the Bhajan genre of Indian Music. He is popularly known as the "Bhajan Samraat" (Emperor of Bhajans). Padma Shri was awarded to him by the Government of India in 2012. He was a contestant on the reality show *Bigg Boss 12*.



**Pravin Srivastava**, Former Chief Statistician of India and Secretary, Ministry of Statistics & Programme Implementation, Government of India.



**Suresh Raina** (born 27 November 1986) is an Indian former international cricketer. He occasionally served as stand-in captain for Indian men's national cricket team as well as in IPL for Chennai Super Kings during the absence of the main captain.



**Sujit Kumar** (born 26 October 1962) is an Indian field hockey player. He competed in the men's tournament at the 1988 Summer Olympics.

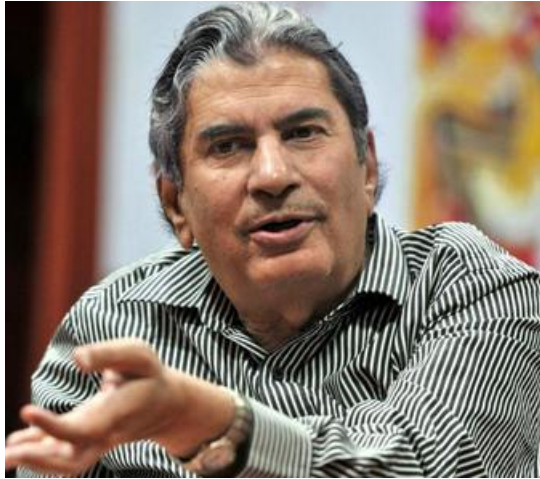


**Dr. V. Mohini Giri** (born 1938) is an Indian Community service worker and activist, who has been Chairperson of the Guild of Service, a New Delhi-based social service organization. Established in 1979, it provides advocacy for women's and children's rights for education, employment, and financial security. She founded War Widows Association, New Delhi in 1972. She has also remained Chairperson of the National Commission for Women (1995–1998).

In 2007, she was awarded the Padma Bhushan, India's third highest civilian honour, given by Government of India.



Swami **Chinmayananda Saraswati** (born **Balakrishna Menon**; 8 May 1916 – 3 August 1993) was a Hindu spiritual leader and a teacher. In 1951, he founded Chinmaya Mission, a worldwide nonprofit organisation, in order to spread the knowledge of Advaita Vedanta, the Bhagavad Gita, the Upanishads, and other ancient Hindu scriptures.



**Vinod Mehta** (31 May 1941 – 8 March 2015) was an Indian journalist, editor and political commentator. He was also the founder editor-in-chief of Outlook from 1995 to 2012 and had been editor of publications such as The Pioneer, The Sunday Observer, The Independent and The Indian Post. He was also the author of several books.



**Farrukh Jaffar** was an Indian actress and radio presenter in Bollywood. Having begun her career with Vividh Bharti in 1963, she made a transition into acting with a supporting role in the 1981 film Umrao Jaan.



**Malini Awasthi** is an Indian folk singer. She sings in Bhojpuri, Awadhi and Hindi, She also presents Thumri and Kajri. The Government of India awarded her the civilian honour of the Padma Shri in 2016. She is known for her contribution in Bhojpuri music.



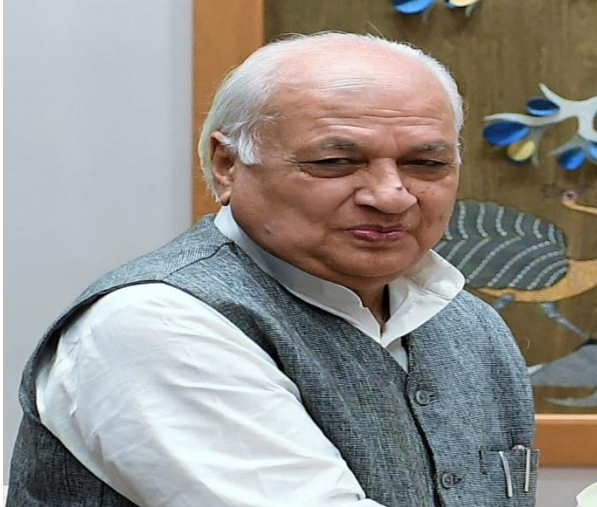
**Amitabh Bhattacharya** is an Indian lyricist and playback singer who works in Bollywood films. He shot to fame with the film Dev.D with the song "Emotional Atyachar" turning an instant hit. He sang this song under the name "Band Master Rangeela And Rasila".



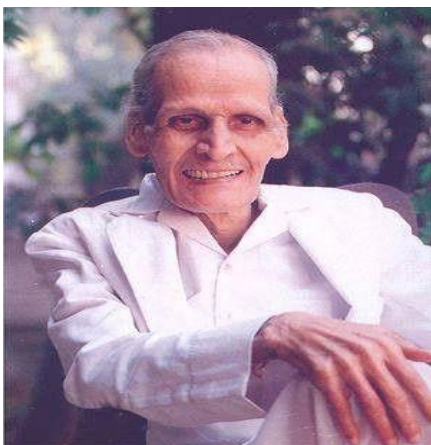
**Lalji Tandon** was an Indian politician who served as the 18th Governor of Madhya Pradesh and 28th Governor of Bihar. He had also served as a member of parliament from 1996 until 2014 and as the Leader of the Opposition of the Legislative Assembly of Uttar Pradesh from 2003 until 2007.



**Ritu Karidhal Srivastava** is an Indian scientist and aerospace engineer working in the Indian Space Research Organisation. She was a Deputy Operations Director to India's Mars orbital mission, Mangalyaan. She has been referred to as one of the many "Rocket Women" of India.



**Arif Mohammad Khan** (born 18 November 1951) is an Indian politician belonging to the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP). He is currently the Governor of Kerala. He is a former Union Minister. He has held several portfolios ranging from energy to civil aviation.



**Kavi Pradeep** was an Indian poet and songwriter who is best known for his patriotic song "Aye Mere Watan Ke Logo" written as a tribute to the soldiers who had died defending the country during the Sino-Indian War. His first recognition came for his patriotic lyrics for the film Bandhan.





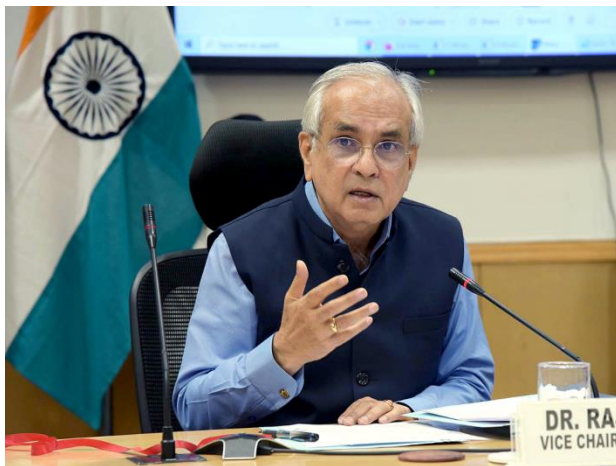
**Pushkar Singh Dhami** is an Indian politician and a member of the Bharatiya Janata Party, serving as the 10th and the current Chief Minister of Uttarakhand since 2021. He represents the Champawat Assembly constituency in the Uttarakhand Legislative Assembly since 2022 and previously from Khatima from 2012 to 2022.



**Qurratulain Hyder** was an Indian Urdu novelist and short story writer, an academic, and a journalist.



**Shankar Dayal Sharma** was an Indian lawyer and politician from the state of Madhya Pradesh who served as the ninth president of India, from 1992 to 1997.



**Rajiv Kumar** (born 6 July 1951) is an Indian economist who had served as the second vice-chairman of the NITI Aayog. He also serves as the chancellor of Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, Pune. His earlier stint in government was initially with the Ministry of Industry and subsequently in the Ministry of Finance, as economic advisor during the reform years of 1991-1994. He has wide experience of having worked in government, academia, and industry associations, as well as in international financial institutions.



**Adarsh Sein Anand** was the 29th Chief Justice of India, serving from 10 October 1998 to 31 October 2001.



**Vinod Bhakuni** was an Indian molecular biophysicist and the head of the Molecular and Structural Biology Division of the Central Drug Research Institute. He was the founder of the Protein Chemistry laboratory of CDRI and was known for his contributions to the study of protein folding.



**Surjit Singh Barnala** was an Indian politician who served as the chief minister of Punjab state from 1985 to 1987. Following that he served as the governor of Tamil Nadu, Uttarakhand, Andhra Pradesh, lieutenant governor of Andaman and Nicobar Islands and a Union Minister on handling various portfolios.



**Navin Khanna**, is a Senior Scientist and Group Leader of the Recombinant Gene Products Laboratory at the International Centre for Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology (ICGEB), New Delhi. He is also an adjunct professor at the Translational Health Sciences and Technology Institute (THSTI), Faridabad.