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# MAHATMA AWARD महात्मा पुरस्कार

India | 2023



Ram V. Sutar - Lifetime Achievement for Exemplary Work Saeed Naqvi - Social Impact by contribution in Syncretic Writing and Creating Social Consciousness Dr. Raghunath Anant Mashelkar - Lifetime Achievement in contribution in Technology, Science

and Innovation **Dr. P Madhavankutty Varier** - Lifetime Achievement in restoring and promoting India's rich history of traditional system of Ayurvedic medicine

**Baba Kalyani -** For Lifetime Achievement in Sustainable Business Practices

Ravi Pandit - Mahatma Award for Lifetime Achievement in Sustainable Business Practices Justice Nazmi Waziri - Mahatma Award for integrating Environmental Conservation and Social Responsibility in dispensing justice Snorre Westgard - Leadership in Social

Responsibility and Social Impact

Chetna Gala - Path breaking contribution in Micro
Finance and Empowering Rural Women

Geeta Chandran - Path Breaking contribution in

Dance and Creating Social Consciousness **Ritu Kumar -** For Sustaining and Promoting
Indigenous Indian Textile Industry and Creating
Social Consciousness

Piyush Babele - For Fearless Writing
Lavina Baldota - For creating Social
Consciousness around Indigenous Indian Textile
through "Sutr Senteti"

through "Sutr Santati" **Dr. Shubha Maudgal** – For Exemplary Work in Cancer Care **Sarika Minda** - Leadership in Social Impact through CSR **Aishwarva Mahajan** - Leadership in Social Impact through C

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Deepa Menon - Leadership in Social Impact through CSR
Dr. Naresh Tyagi - Leadership in Social Impact through CSR
Gopal Kumar - Leadership in Social Impact through CSR
Shiv Santra - Leadership in Social Impact through CSR
Uma Seth - Leadership in Social Impact through CSR

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Asim Khan - Mahatma Award for Young Leader in CSR Ahaana Bharat Ram - Mahatma Award for Young Change Maker Ananya Birla - Mahatma Award for Young Change Maker Mahatma Award for Social Good and Impact for Corporate Foundation and Non-profits

AJSA | Anil Agarwal foundation | Arpan | Aasraa Trust
Abhinav Bindra Foundation Trust | Apollo Foundation - Total Health
Bansidhar & Ila Panda Foundation | Don Bosco Tech Society
Dalmia Bharat Foundation | Electrical Research and Development
Association | Indian Deaf Cricket Association | Infosys Foundation

Jehangir Hospital | Karuna Football Foundation | Rotary
Foundation (India) | Schneider Electric India Foundation
Sparsh Social Foundation | Spark Minda Foundation
Smile Train | Swades Foundation | Sterlite EdIndia Foundation
Sakhi Utpadan Samiti | Tiara Kids | Tech Mahindra Foundation
TSG Foundation | Vision Spring | Vikram A Sarabhai Community
Science Centre | Vodafone Idea Foundation | Mobile Creches
Union Bank Social Foundation | Harijan Sevak Sangh

#### Mahatma Award for CSR, Sustainability CER and ESG for Corporations and Public Sector Enterprises

**Ayana Power | Amazon** Data Services India Private Ltd. **ArcelorMittal** Nippon Steel India Ltd. | **Bangalore** International Airport Ltd | Bharat Forge Ltd. | Cadence Design Systems | Chennai Petroleum Corporation Ltd. Dabur India Ltd. | Educational Initiatives - P&G Shiksha Hindustan Copper Ltd. | Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd. | Indus Towers Ltd. | Infosys Ltd. JK Tyre | Jamna Auto Industries Ltd. | JM Financial Khadi & Village Industries Commission | KPIT Technologies L&T Finance | Lowe's India | Maruti Suzuki India Ltd. Mahanagar Gas Ltd. | Nayara Energy Ltd. NLC India Hospital - NLC India Ltd. | Natco Pharma Ltd. Newgen Software Technologies Ltd. | NetApp REC Ltd. | Tata Communications | UST | WNS Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Ltd. | SJVN Ltd. JM Financial - Best Team in Creating Social Impact



# **UNDP Mahatma Award** for Biodiversity

Hindalco | Honeywell | International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics | ITC One Step Greener | Tata Power Ltd. | Tata Realty and Infrastructure Ltd. | Wildlife Conservation Trust

The Mahatma Award stands as a beacon of recognition and celebration for social impact leaders and change makers from all corners of the world. This prestigious accolade puts a spotlight on individuals and organizations who are dedicated to making a profound difference in our society and are leading the way toward a more sustainable and compassionate future. Since its inception, the Mahatma Award has been a platform for honoring the most accomplished and influential social and community initiatives. It spans across both the private and public sectors, acknowledging excellence in diverse fields such as sustainability, philanthropy, shared value, and corporate social responsibility. From combating global poverty and hunger to battling diseases, from promoting education to mitigating the effects of climate change, from disaster response and preparedness to improving healthcare accessibility, the Mahatma Award celebrates the tireless efforts of those who strive to make the world a better place.

The recipients of the Mahatma Award are not just ordinary achievers; they are extraordinary change makers who are actively contributing to the betterment of humanity. Their work extends far beyond personal gain, and their impact reaches deep into the heart of our society, touching the lives of countless individuals. Moreover, the award also recognizes those who use their literary and creative genius to bring social consciousness to the forefront, further emphasizing the power of art and culture as vehicles for change.

#### **Special Address**



**Tara Gandhi Bhattacharjee**Granddaughter
of Mahatma Gandhi
Chairperson
National Gandhi Museum

## **Inaugural Address**



Rajashree Birla
Chairperson
Aditya Birla Centre for
Rural Development
and Community Initiative

## **Keynote Address**



Lord Raj Loomba CBE
Member of the House of Lords
(Crossbench Peer)
Founder and Chairman Trustee,
The Loomba Foundation

#### Welcome Address



Amit Sachdeva
Gandhian
Founder
Mahatma Award
Mahatma Foundation