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PADMASHRI NATIONAL AWARD WINNER-2004

Date: 1st March, 2014

Time: 3pm

**VENUE: Pherozeshah Mehta Bhavan,
University Of Mumbai,
Santacruz (E), Mumbai-400098.**

He is a Professor in Centre of Management in Agriculture at IIM-A. He is also the Co-ordinator of **SRISTI** (Society for Research and Initiative for Sustainable Technologies and Institutions). He is founder of Honey Bee Network and a fellow of World Academy of Art and Science. Through the Honey Bee Network, he has demonstrated the pivotal role of innovative ideas and knowledge, possessed by economically poor people, in the sustainable progress of developing countries. He also holds the Executive Vice Chair of National Innovation Foundation.

His interests include ensuring recognition, respect and reward for grassroots inventors and innovators at a local, national and global level and protection of their Intellectual Property rights. Amalgamation of formal and informal science, ethical issues in conservation and prosperity of biodiversity are some of his other research interests.

Every summer and winter, in order to learn from grass root teacher, he has been walking 6000km across the country as for over a week as part of Shodh Yatra for the past 12 years.

List of Award or Honor

2006	Bharat Ashmita Acharya Shrestha National Award	MIT, Pune
2004	Padma Shri National Award	Government of India
2004	Science-in-Society	ICSA
2000	Asian Innovation Award Gold	Far Eastern Economic
1993-96	Pew Conversation Scholar Award	University Of Michigan, USA

