

## Media Coordinator's Office Jamia Millia Islamia

November 10, 2016

## **Press Release**

## Hon'ble MoS HRD Shri M.N. Pandey to be Chief Guest at JMI's Annual Convocation 2016

A total of 4627 degrees and diplomas will be awarded to students who have successfully completed M.Phil., Post-graduation, Graduation and Diploma courses in 2015 from different faculties/departments/centres at the University's Annual Convocation tomorrow, Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November at 11 am where the **Hon'ble Union Minister of State for HRD (Higher Education)** Shri Mahendra Nath Pandey will be the Chief Guest.

Gold medals will be presented to 169 toppers of different courses. 263 Ph. D. degrees will also be awarded to those research scholars whose results have been notified up to October, 2016. The function will be held at the sprawling Mansoor Ali Khan Pataudi Sports Complex of the university.

**Prof. M.C. Misra, Director, AIIMS** will be the Guest of Honour at the Convocation which coincides with 'National Education Day' celebrations across the country to commemorate the birth anniversary of Bharat Ratna and first Education Minister of Independent India, Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, who was also a founding member of Jamia Millia Islamia in 1920.

Prof. Talat Ahmad, Vice-Chancellor, Jamia Millia Islamia will deliver the **Vice-Chancellor's Address** on the occasion.

The function will also be attended by the University's Chancellor, Lt. Gen. (Retd.) M. A. Zaki, Pro Vice-Chancellor, Prof Shahid Ashraf, Registrar, Mr. A. P. Siddiqui, I.P.S., Deans, Heads of Departments and Directors of Centres, faculty members and students.

**Prof. Saima Saeed** Hony. Deputy Media Coordinator # 9891 22 7771