

**PRO-Media Coordinator's Office  
Jamia Millia Islamia**

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Press Release

**Need the support of the community to take JMI to greater heights: Prof. Najma Akhtar**

Vice-Chancellor, Jamia Millia Islamia(JMI), Prof. Najma Akhtar has been felicitated at a public reception for being a distinguished educationist, administrator and first ever woman Vice-Chancellor of a Central University in India.

The function was organized by Rex Remedies Charitable Trust at India Islamic Cultural Centre,Lodhi Road,New Delhi and was attended by Padma Shri Prof. Akhtarul Wasey, President, Maulana Azad University,Jodhpur,Rajasthan, Mr. A.P. Siddiqui(IPS),Registrar,JMI, Mr.Sirajuddin Qureshi, President,India Islamic Cultural Centre and other distinguished guests, teachers, officers of JMI and general public.

Padmashree Prof. Akhtarul appreciated the vision and efforts of Prof. Najma Akhtar to increase the number of girl students in the university. He said we fully support her vision and mission and ready to contribute in it through all means.

Prof. Najma Akhtar thanked the organizers, dignitaries on the dais and the people present in the auditorium for felicitating her. She informed the audience about the steps she has taken in last three months to improve academic atmosphere in the university.

Prof. Akhtar informed them that more women teachers have been given administrative responsibilities and with her becoming the Vice-Chancellor there is a feeling among the women teachers and students in the university that they can also reach the top post. She said before raising the enrolment of girl students in the university she is trying to increase the hostel facility for them as it gives a sense of security to them and their parents and motivates them for higher education.

Prof. Akhtar sought help from everyone in realising the university's dream of starting a medical college-cum-hospital.

She also informed that the university has revised the syllabus as per the latest requirements and some new departments will be opened soon.

**Ahmad Azeem**  
PRO-Media Coordinator



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first ever woman vice chancellor of a Central University of India.

Prof. (Dr.) Najma Akhtar

5th of August

10:00 P.M.

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**Mohammad Shoyeb Akram**  
Founder President of REX Remedies Charitable Trust  
request you to attend a public reception in honour of most distinguished educationist, administrator and first ever woman vice chancellor of a Central University of India

**Prof. (Dr.) Najma Akhtar**

On Monday the 5th of August 2019  
at 5.00 P.M.

In B.S. Abdur Rehman Auditorium,

India Islamic Cultural Centre, Lodhi Road, New Delhi

Presided By

**Padam Shri Prof. Akhtarul Wasey**

President, Maulana Azad University, Indapur, Rajasthan  
Professor Emeritus (Islamic Studies) Jamia Millia Islamia

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The distinguished guests

- Mr. Saqibuddin Qureshi
- Jamali Masudul Mubarek Masud
- Jamali Masudul Aqbar Imam Mahdi Sahib
- Dr. Waqif Mubarek Masud
- Dr. J.S. Raza
- Mr. A.P. Siddiqui (I.P.S.)
- Dr. Sheikh Asghar Masud
- Dr. Muhammad Khalid

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A woman with dark hair and glasses, wearing a yellow and green patterned sari, is speaking into a microphone at a podium. She is holding a small water bottle in her left hand. The podium has a silver sign with the text "INDIA ISLAMIC CULTURAL CENTRE" in blue capital letters. The background is dark.

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