

Prof. R K Singh, Department of Biotechnology & Biochemistry assumed office as Officiating Vice Chancellor of the University on 28<sup>th</sup> August 2020

Prof. R. K. Singh earned his M. Sc, Ph. D and D. Sc degree in Zoology in 1979, 1983 and 1997, respectively from University of Lucknow, (UP) and specialized in Toxicology of drugs, vaccines and natural products. He has research, teaching and academic experience of more than 40 years in research Institutes and Universities. In his research laboratories, 51 students have worked for their Ph. D degree, and 121 students completed dissertation for M. Pharm, M. Tech & M. Sc degrees. He has tested more than 100 new chemicals/vaccines/phytochemicals in experiment animals like mice/rats/rabbits/guinea-pigs/monkeys. Out of these, seven new drugs are available in markets. He was awarded Tasmia Trophy, for excellent publications in the field of Toxicology, membership of International Association of Distinguished Leadership, USA and Life Time Achievement Award by American Biographical Institute, USA. He has also been conferred “U.P. Ratan Award – 2019”.



**Prof Singh was greeted by Dr. Gauravdeep Singh Secretary Board of Governors, Registrar Shri K B S Rawat, Dr. Maneesh Arora, Dean Student Welfare, & Prof. Veerma Ram Director, School of Pharmaceutical Science.**