

## ISAE MASON VAUGH AGRICULTURAL ENGINEERING PIONEER AWARD



### **Dr. K.N. Nag**

born on 10th November 1927 at Jaipur, completed B.Sc. (Ag. Engg.) and B.Sc. (Ag.) in 1951 and 1952 from University of Allahabad and awarded degree of M.E. and Ph.D. from Ohio State University, Columbus; USA in 1958 and 1967. He started his professional career in 1952-53 as a Drilling Foreman (Tubewell), Department of Agriculture, Rajasthan. He was the founder Dean of College of Technology and Agricultural Engineering, Udaipur (1967-85) and elevated to the post of Vice-Chancellor, M.L.Sukhadia University, Udaipur (1985-87) and then also served as Founder Vice-Chancellor for Rajasthan Agricultural University, Bikaner (1987-90). He had 32 publications to his credit in national and international journals. He had been chairman and member in number of scientific panel and committee of ICAR, QRTs, establishment of four Agril. Engg. Colleges, establishment of KVKs, etc. He had been member of various National Committees under Ministry of Human Resources, Ministry of Water Resources, Department of Non-Conventional Energy Sources (Now MNES), Divisional Chairman, Agricultural Engineering Board, Institute of Engineers (India). He also had an opportunity to be a member of High Power Delegation (Agri.) to Pakistan in 1986. He has organized many programmers like two International Congress, West Zone Youth Festival, three ISAE Conventions - in the year 1971, 1982 and 1988. Recently he organized a National Seminar on "Status of Senior Citizens - Issues and Challenges" in December, 2013. He was honored with many Awards & Recognitions like distinguished Alumni of College of Engineering, Ohio State University, Columbus(Ohio) in 1976; ISAE gold Medal-1985-86; International Awards, Ohio State University, Columbus, 1990; Life Time Achievement Award, -ISAE ; Eminent Engineering Personality of India award from Institution of Engineers (India). In recognition of his pioneer professional contribution in the field of Agril. Engg. ISAE has also instituted a "Dr K N Nag Gold Medal Ward".