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**Q1.** Who presents the following mentioned awards to the winners?

- Swarna Kamal
- Rajat Kamal
- Dadasaheb Phalke Award

- a) The Prime Minister
  - b) The President
  - c) Vice-President
  - d) Minister of Cultural activities
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**Q2.** Consider the following Statements:

- Madan Mohan Malviya was conferred with Bharat Ratna posthumously.
- He founded Banaras Hindu University in 1916.
- Malviya was 3 time President of the Indian National Congress.

Which of the statements given above is/are **correct**?

- a) 1 and 3 only
  - b) 2 and 3 only
  - c) 1 and 2 only
  - d) All of the above
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**Q3.** Consider the following statements:

- Women scientists Dr Tessy Thomas and Geeta Varadan were jointly named for Dr Y Nayudamma Memorial Award 2014.
- This is the second time in the history of the trust that two eminent women scientists are being concurrently honoured.
- Dr Tessy Thomas is the Director, Advanced Systems Laboratory of the Defence Research and Development Organization (DRDO), Hyderabad and Geeta Varadan is the Project Director (Mission) of Agni V, and Director, Advanced-Data Processing Research Institute at ISRO.

Which of the statements given above is/are **correct**?

- a) 1 and 3 only
  - b) 2 and 3 only
  - c) 1 and 2 only
  - d) All of the above
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**Q4.** Who won the best film award in the **60th Filmfare Awards**?

- a) Haider
- b) Highway
- c) Queen
- d) PK

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**Q5.** Who of the following is **not** a recipient of '**Bharat Ratna**'?

- a) Rajiv Gandhi
  - b) Gulzari Lal Nanda
  - c) Morarji Desai
  - d) Atal Bihari Vajpayee
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**Q6.** In the 21st screen awards, who won the **Best Actress Award**?

- a) Usha Jadhav
  - b) Kangana Ranaut
  - c) Vidya Balan
  - d) Priyanka Chopra
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**Q7.** Which of the following Nobel laureates was never an Indian ?

- a) V.S. Naipaul
  - b) S. Chandrashekar
  - c) Mother Teresa
  - d) H.G. Khurana
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**Q8.** Consider the following statements.

- PV Sindhu defeated Li Xuerui in the 2015 Denmark badminton open women's singles final to win the title.
- India's tennis player Saketh Myneni wins the Vietnam Open tennis trophy in the men's singles category.
- Novak Djokovic wins the 2015 Shanghai Rolex Masters tennis title in the men's singles category.

Which of the above statement(s) is/are correct?

- a) 1 and 3 only
  - b) 1 and 2 only
  - c) 2 and 3 only
  - d) None of these
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**Q9.** The winner of **Indira Gandhi Peace Prize 2013** is

- a) Lydia Davis
  - b) Angela Merkel
  - c) Ela Bhatt
  - d) Christina Legarde
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**Q10.** Who has been crowned Miss Universe, 2008 ?

- a) Miss Philippines
- b) Miss Venezuela
- c) Miss Japan
- d) Miss Malaysia

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**Q11.** Who won the Nobel Prize for Peace in 2012 ?

- a) International Atomic Energy Agency
  - b) U.N. Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change
  - c) European Union
  - d) Liu Xiaobo
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**Q12.** Who was the first posthumous recipient of Bharat Ratna ?

- a) Lal Bahadur Shastri
- b) K. Kamraj
- c) B.R. Ambedkar
- d) M.G. Ramachandran

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**Q13.** Who among the following is **not** the recipient of the Bharat Ratna Award?

- a) Ustad Bismillah Khan
  - b) Lata Mangeshkar
  - c) Satyajit Ray
  - d) Raj Kapoor
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**Q14.** In which year did Amartya Kumar Sen receive the Nobel Prize in Economics ?

- a) 2000
  - b) 1995
  - c) 1998
  - d) 1990
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**Q15.** The first Indira Gandhi Award for International Justice and Harmony has been given to

- a) Hussain Ibrahim Zaki
- b) Larry Pressler
- c) Amnesty International
- d) Yasser Arafat

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**Answers to the above questions :**

**Q1. Answer: (b)**

**Q2. Answer: (c)**

He was **4 time President of the Indian National Congress** and had served his term in

1. 1909,
2. 1918,
3. 1932 and
4. 1933.

**Q3. Answer: (a)**

This is the first time in the history of the trust that two eminent women scientists are being concurrently honoured.

The award was established in 1986 in memory of distinguished chemical scientist, leather technologist and former Director General of CSIR Yelavarthy Nayudamma.

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**Q4. Answer: (c)**

60th Filmfare Awards were announced in Mumbai. Best film award was given to film Queen and its Director Vikas Bahl won the Best Director award. Shahid won the Best Actor award for the film Haider and Kangana Ranaut won the Best Actress award for film Queen.

Kamini Kaushal was honoured with the Filmfare Lifetime Achievement Award.

**Q5. Answer: (d)**

Independence activist and the fourth Prime Minister of India,

1. Morarji Desai won the Bharat Ratna in 1991;
2. Gulzarilal Nanda (Independence activist and interim Prime Minister) in 1997; and
3. Rajiv Gandhi (Sixth Prime Minister) was posthumously awarded the Bharat Ratna in 1991.

**Q6. Answer: (d)**

21st screen awards were announced on 15 January 2015 in Mumbai.

- Priyanka Chopra won the Best Actor (Female) award for the film Mary Kom.
- Shahid Kapoor won the Best Actor (Male) award for Haider.
- The best film award was given to the film queen. Hema Malini was honoured with Lifetime Achievement Award.

**Q7. Answer: (a)**

Sir Vidiadhar Surajprasad "V. S." Naipaul is a Trinidadian-British writer of Indo-Trinidadian heritage known for his novels focusing on the legacy of the British Empire's colonialism.

Naipaul was born in Chaguanas, Trinidad and Tobago, to parents of Indian descent.

But, he was never an Indian citizen. Mother Teresa was originally a Yugoslav, but she became an Indian citizen in 1950.

**Q8. Answer: (c)**

PV Sindhu was defeated by Li Xuerui in the 2015 Denmark badminton open women's singles final.

**Q9. Answer: (b)**

German Chancellor Angela Merkel was awarded the Indira Gandhi Prize for Peace, Disarmament and Development, 2013 for steering Germany, Europe and the world economy through exemplary leadership during the financial crisis.

The award is given by the "Indira Gandhi Memorial Trust".

**Note:** Indira Gandhi Prize for Peace, Disarmament and Development for 2015 was awarded to the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR).

**Q10. Answer: (b)**

Miss Universe 2008, the 57th Miss Universe pageant, was held at the Crown Convention Center in the Diamond Bay Resort, Nha Trang, Vietnam on July 14, 2008.

Dayana Mendoza, Miss Venezuela, was crowned Miss Universe 2008 by outgoing titleholder Riyo Mori from Japan. Eighty contestants competed in the event which was broadcast and distributed globally via NBC in English and Telemundo in Spanish to TV outlets in more than 180 countries. The pageant was watched by a live audience of 7,500 and nearly a billion television viewers worldwide.

This is the first major USA-based television production to take place in Vietnam since the end of the Vietnam War. This is also the first time that the Miss Universe pageant was broadcast in 1080i High-definition.

This pageant was held in a contemporary Communist state for the first time as well. The final presentation show was on July 8, the dress rehearsal on July 13, and the live telecast on July 14. Most activities were held successively in Ho Chi Minh City (formerly Saigon), Ha Noi, Da Nang, Hoi An, Ha Long and finally NhaTrang.

**Note:** Recently, Noida girl Srishti Kaur bags Miss Teen Universe 2017title. Miss Universe 2016, the 65th Miss Universe pageant, was held on 30 January 2017. Pia Wurtzbach of the

Philippines crowned Iris Mittenaere of France as her successor at the end of the event.

**Q11. Answer: (c)**

The Nobel Peace Prize 2012 was awarded to European Union (EU) “for over six decades contributed to the advancement of peace and reconciliation, democracy and human rights in Europe”.

**Note:** The Nobel Peace Prize 2016 was awarded to Juan Manuel Santos “for his resolute efforts to bring the country’s more than 50-year-long civil war to an end”.

**Q12. Answer: (a)**

Lal Bahadur Shastri was the first person to have received the Bharat Ratna posthumously in 1966. Other posthumous recipients of the Bharat Ratna include: K. Kamaraj: 1976, M. G. Ramachandran: 1988, and B.R. Ambedkar: 1990.

**Q13. Answer: (d)**

**Q14. Answer: (c)**

Prof. Amartya Sen was the recipient of the Nobel Prize for Economics for the year 1998, becoming the first Asian to receive this award. The Shantiniketan born economist is a pioneer in Welfare Economics.

**Q15. Answer: (d)**

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