

<u>Professor Narayana Rao has received birthday wishes from the Hon,blePrime</u> Minister, Shri Narendra Modi

A renowned Radar and Atmospheric scientist, Prof.D. Narayana Rao, Pro Vice-Chancellor SRM University-AP, has received birthday wishes from Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi on Saturday, 12th Sept. 2020. The Prime Minister wished him a 'Happy, Healthy and Prosperous Life,' with many new achievements ahead this year.

Prof. Narayana Rao is an outstanding scientist, former director National Atmospheric Research Laboratory, aninstitution of ISRO, served as general president to the 104th Indian Science Congress held at Tirupati in January 2017. The Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi was the Chief Guest of the 104th Indian Science Congressand addressed the Scientists & Nobel Laureates. On that occasion, Prof. Narayana Rao had an excellent opportunity to discuss with the Prime Minister on future prospects of Science & Technologyin the country and shared his vision to make India technologically self-reliant, today's AtmaNirbhar Bharat, In this context, Prof. Narayana Rao said, it is indeed a great gesture by our Prime Minister to congratulate unique and remarkable people who contributed to different sectors in India. This certainly motivates people to contribute to the society, thereby to the growth of the country in a more significant manner. On this occasion, Dr. P.Sathyanarayanan, President SRM University-AP, Prof. V. S. Rao Vice-Chancellor SRM University-AP, along with other faculty members, conveyed special birthday greetings to Prof. Narayana Rao.