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Prof. Sharma presently working as Vice Chancellor, GNA University, Phagwara, Punjab is an accomplished academician and a visionary administrator having a total experience of around 24 years. During his long stay in academics, he has immensely contributed to all verticals of academics from strategic planning, policy formulation, teaching, research, guiding PhD scholars, outcome-based curriculum development with CO and PO, continuous evaluation, mentoring of teachers and students, accreditations and rankings, and profitability of different management programs etc. He is an acclaimed auditor for NAAC and NBA accreditations & different rankings mainly including NIRF and NIRF INNOVATION and many quality surveys. At current, he is instrumental in implementing the different provisions of New Education Policy 2020 such as designing new credit framework aligning with revised NHEQF and NHSQF, setting Academic Bank of Credits, multidisciplinary education, technological upgradation of academic delivery, designing short term skill development programs, and internationalization of higher education.

He is a perfect blend of corporate and academics. He obtained his Bachelor of Engineering from National Institute of Technology, Nagpur, and Master of Management Sciences from Birla's TITS, Bhiwani in the year of 1997 and 1999 respectively. Having served in corporate sector almost for five years, he finally came into academics in 2004 and thereafter served in various prestigious institutions and Universities in different capacities. He obtained his PhD from M.D. University, Rohtak in 2009. His most of the research work is on the power sector but not limited to. He has (has been) guided/ guiding many PhD scholars and is the member of consolidated panel of PhD examiners of many reputed Universities in India. He is an invited expert in the Board of Studies of many reputed business schools. He has conducted over 50 FDPs/workshops for faculty members/ research scholars on research methods and data analysis tools. He is a well-recognized expert of statistical software's such as SPSS, ADENCO, JAMOVI, and R etc. He has many publications in the National and International journals of

repute including Emerald, ABDC and Scopus etc. He has chaired large number of technical sessions in seminars/ conferences in India. He is a subject expert and has developed new courses in the operations management, supply chain management and production technology. He has developed MOOCs for Quantitative Methods under the ePG Pathshala, an initiative of MHRD, Govt of India and student learning material of many subjects for the MBA students of various state government universities. Recently, his e-book on Production Planning and Control has been ratified by Indian Institute of Material Management, New Delhi (An Institution of National Eminence). *Recipient of the most prestigious "Indian Achievers' Award 2022 for excellence in education" and Rashtriya Shiksha Ratan Samman 2022".*