

## Dr. A.M. RAWANI, Professor and Dean (Academic)



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**Dr. Rawani** is Professor in Mechanical Engineering and Dean (Academic) at National Institute of Technology, Raipur. He has received his M.Tech. in Industrial Engineering and Management from IIT, Kharagpur and Ph.D. from I.I.T. Delhi. He has more than 29 years of teaching/research and administrative experience in Govt. Engg. Colleges /NIT. He has visited many countries like **USA, Singapore, China, Mauritius, Hong Kong and Thailand** either to deliver keynote speech or to chair the academic conferences.

Dr. Rawani has published more than two dozen papers in International/National Journals and more than two dozen papers in International/National Conferences. He is the Editor-in-Chief of '*International Journal of Strategic Management and Business*' and also of '*Journal of Information and Operations Management*' (ISSN 0976-7762), Bioinfo Publications. He is Editor-in-Chief of '*International Journal of Trade, Economics and Finance*', IACSIT Publication, **Singapore** (ISSN 2010-023X). He is also Editor-in-Chief of '*International Journal of Social Science and Humanity*', IACSIT Publications **Singapore**. (ISSN 2010-3646). He is member of Editorial Board and reviewer of International Journal of Engineering, Science and Technology (IJEST), **Nigeria** (ISSN 2141-2839/2820). He is also Reviewer of African Journal of Business Management, **South Africa**. He has produced one Ph.D. and currently supervising four more candidates for their doctoral program. He has delivered invited lectures at the institutes of national repute. He was offered the post of Associate Professor at Indian Institute of Management, Lucknow in 2002. He was also short listed for Interview for the post of Director for NIT in 2007.

He has edited Conference Proceeding of the International Conference on '*Management Technology and Applications*' published by Research Publishing Services Singapore in 2010 and also edited Conference Proceeding of the International Conference on '*Humanities and Social Sciences*' published by World Academic Union, England UK.

Dr. Rawani is conferred with '**Rashtriya Gaurav Award**' in April-2010 by India International Friendship Society, India. He is the recipient of Best Management Case Award in 'GIFT CASE 2000' competition (executives category), from Global Institute of Flexible Systems Management. He has also received Best Paper Award in TECHNOLOGIA 2002 National Seminar. He has topped in India in the subject 'Engineering Insurance' and passed Licentiate exam. conducted by the Institute of Insurance Surveyors and Adjusters, Mumbai. He has also topped in M.P. in *Rashtra Bhasha Pravesh Pariksha* conducted by *Rashtra Bhasha Prachar Samiti*, Wardha. He has been nominated for 'International Gold Star Award 2010', 'Rashtriya Gaurav Award 2005' and short listed for 'Bharat Jyoti Award 2005' by India International Friendship Society. He has also been nominated consecutively for two years i.e. 2005 and 2006 for 'Best Citizen of India Award' by International Publishing House. He was honored by The Institution of Engineers (India) Chhattisgarh State Centre in 2009 for his valuable contribution in the field of Technical Education.

Dr. Rawani is a Life Member of Global Institute of Flexible Systems Management, Life Member of Indian Society for Technical Education, Fellow Life Member of Institution of Engineers (India), Member of International Association of Engineers, Hong Kong and also Senior Member of International Association of Computer Science and Information Technology, Singapore. Dr Rawani has been invited as expert for Research Development Committee (RDC) of Mech. Engg. , MANIT Bhopal and also by Guru Ghasidas University, Bilaspur. He was nominated as an expert by Department of Technical Education, C.G. Govt. for inspection of various Engg. Colleges of the state. He was a member of State Level Committee for grant of approval to New Diploma Level Institutions

(Engineering/Pharmacy) in 2005-06. He is nominated as Expert of AICTE inspection committee for inspection of new Degree Engineering Institutes. He was nominated as a member of core committee for *Industry Institute Linkage Model Project* of Confederation of Indian Industry (CII), Chhattisgarh State Council and Invitee member of *Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) HR & Training Program Panel* for 2003-04.

Dr Rawani has about ten years of experience of heading the department. He has worked as Chairman Anti-Ragging Committee and currently working as member of Apex body of Anti-Ragging Committee of NIT Raipur. He has more than three years of experience of working as Deputy Controller (Exam), and he has also worked as Controller (Exam) of autonomous examination cell of this institute. He has also worked as Dean (Administration), Dean (Faculty Welfare), Dean (R & C) and currently working as Dean (Academic) of NIT, Raipur.

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