

First Person in India (Male & Female)

Complete List of First Person in India (Male)

First Governor of Bengal	Lord Clive
First Governor-General of Bengal	Warren Hastings
First Governor-General of India	Lord William Bentinck
First Viceroy of India	Lord Canning
First President of Indian National Congress	W. C. Banerjee
First Muslim President of Indian National Congress	Badruddin Tayab Ji
First Governor-General of Independent India	Lord Louis Mountbatten
First Indian Governor-General of Independent India	C. Rajagopalachari
First Indian to pass ICS Exam	Satyendra Nath Tagore
First Indian Cosmonaut (to go into space)	Sqn. Ldr. Rakesh Sharma
First Commander-in-Chief of Free India	General K. M. Cariappa
First Indian Noble Laureate	Rabindra Nath Tagore
First Indian Judge of International Court of Justice	Dr. Nagendra Nath
First Indian to get Bharat Ratna Award	C. Rajagopalachari, Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan & C. V. Raman
First Field Marshal General	S. F. J. Manekshaw
First Indian to swim across the English Channel	Mihir Sen
First Indian to get Jnanpeeth Award	G. Shankar Kurup
First Muslim President of India	Dr. Zakir Hussain
First Speaker of Lok Sabha	G. V. Mavlankar
First President of Independent India	Dr. Rajendra Prasad
First Vice-President of Independent India	Dr. S. Radhakrishnan
First Prime Minister of Independent India	Pt. Jawahar Lal Nehru
First Home Minister of Independent India	Sardar Vallabh Bhai Patel
First Education Minister of Independent India	Maulana Abul Kalam Azad
First Chief of the Air Staff	Air Marshal Sir Thomas Elmhirst
First Indian Air Chief	S. Mukherjee
First Chief of Army Staff General	M. Rajendra Singh
First Chief of Naval Staff of India	Vice Admiral R. D. Katari
First-person to get Paramvir Chakra	Major Somnath Sharma
First Indian Scientist to get Nobel prize	C. V. Raman
First Chinese pilgrim to visit India	Fa – Hien
First Indian to win Magsaysay Award	Acharya Vinoba Bhave
First Minister to resign from Indian Union Cabinet	Shyama Prasad Mukherjee
First British to visit India	John Mildenhall

First Election Commissioner of India	Sukumar Sen
First Chief Justice of India	Hiralal J Kania
First Indian Pilot	J.R.D. Tata (1929)
First Chief Justice of Supreme Court	Justice Hiralal J. Kania
First person to receive Nobel Prize in Economics	Amartya Sen
The first person to resign from the Central Cabinet	Shyama Prasad Mukherjee
First person to receive Stalin Prize	Saifuddin Kitchlu
First person of Indian origin to receive Nobel Prize in Medicine	Hargovind Khurana
First person to receive Magsaysay Award	Acharya Vinoba Bhave
First person to get Param Vir Chakra	Major Somnath Sharma
First person to reach Mt. Everest without oxygen	Sherpa Ang Dorjee
First Indian Judge of International Court of Justice	Dr Nagendra Singh
First Home Minister of India	Sardar Vallabh Bhai Patel
First Education Minister	Maulana Abul Kalam Azad
First Vice-President of India	Dr Radhakrishnan
The first Speaker of the Lok Sabha	Ganesh Vasudeva Mavalankar
First Person to receive Jnanpith award	Sri Shankar Kurup
First President of the Indian Republic	Dr Rajendra Prasad
First Indian to win Nobel Prize	Rabindranath Tagore
The first man who introduced the printing press in India	James Hicky (Bengal Gazette)
The First Indian to join the I.C.S	Satyendra Nath Tagore
First man in Space from India	Rakesh Sharma
First Indian Commander-in Chief of India	General Cariappa
First Prime Minister of India who resigned without completing the full term	Morarji Desai
First Chief of Army Staff Gen.	Maharaj Rajendra Singhji
First Prime Minister of India who did not face the Parliament	Charan Singh
First President of India who died while in office	Dr Zakir Hussain
First Muslim President of Indian Republic	Dr Zakir Hussain
First Field Marshal of India	S.H.F.Manekshaw
First person to get Nobel Prize in Physics from India	C.V.Raman

Complete List of First Person in India (Female)

First Woman President of India	Pratibha Devi Singh Patil
First Woman Prime Minister of India	Indira Gandhi
First Woman Governor of Indian State	Sarojani Naidu
First Woman ruler of Delhi Throne	Razia Sultan
First Woman IPS Office	Kiran Bedi
First Woman Chief Minister of Indian State	Sucheta Kripalani (UP)
First Woman Union Minister	Rajkumari Amrit Kaur
First Woman President of Indian National Congress	Annie Besant
First Woman Judge of Supreme Court	Meera Sahib Fatima Bibi
First Woman to get Ashoka Chakra	Nirja Mishra
First Indian Woman Ambassador at United Nations	Vijayalakshmi Pandit
First Indian Woman to swim across the English Channel	Arati Saha Gupta
First Indian Woman to get the Noble Prize	Mother Teresa
First Indian Woman to climb the Mount Everest	Bachendri Pal
First Indian Woman to become Miss World	Reita Faria
First Indian Woman to become Miss Universe	Sushmita Sen
First Indian Woman to climb Mt. Everest twice	Santosh Yadav
First Indian Woman to get Bharat Ratna	Indira Gandhi
First Indian Woman to win WTA Title	Sania Mirza
First Indian Woman Airline Pilot	Durga Banerjee
First Indian Woman president of INC	Sarojani Naidu
First Indian Woman to win Booker Prize	Arundhati Roy
First Indian Woman to go into Space	Kalpana Chawla
First Woman to get Jnanpith Award	Ashapura Devi
First Woman Musician to get Bharat Ratna	M.S. Subbulakshmi
First Woman Chief Justice of High Court	Leela Seth
First Woman Pilot in Indian Air Force	Harita Kaur Dayal
First Indian woman to win the Olympic Medal	Karnam Malleswari
First Woman Lieutenant General	Puneeta Arora
First Indian woman appeared on Time Magazine cover	Parveen Babi
First Indian woman to receive Bharat Ratna	Mrs. Indira Gandhi
First Indian woman to receive Ashoka Chakra	Neerja Bhanot
First Indian and last Muslim woman ruler of India	Razia Sultan
First Indian woman IPS officer	Mrs. Kiran Bedi
First Indian woman Lieutenant General	Puneeta Arora
First Indian woman Chief Justice of High Court	Mrs. Leela Seth (Himachal Pradesh High Court)
First woman Judge of India	Anna Chandy (She became the

First Indian woman Director General of Police	judge in a district court in 1937) Kanchan Chaudhary Bhattacharya
First Indian woman Chairman of Union Public Service Commission	Roze Millian Bethew
First Indian woman Lawyer	Cornelia Sorabjee
First Indian woman to win Gold Medal in Asian Games	Kamlijit Sandhu
First Indian woman Olympic Medal Winner	Karnam Malleswari, 2000
First Indian woman Honours Graduate	Kamini Roy, 1886
First Indian woman who got Graduates degree	Kadambini Ganguly and Chandramukhi Basu, 1883
First Indian woman President of United Nations General Assembly	Mrs. Vijay Laxmi Pandit
First Indian woman Minister in a Government	Rajkumari Amrit Kaur
First Indian woman Speaker of a State Assembly	Shanno Devi
First woman Ambassador from India	Mrs. C.B. Muthamma
First Indian woman judge in Supreme Court	Mrs. Meera Sahib Fatima Bibi

India's first test-tube baby "Durga" (Kanupriya Agarwal). She was brought into life in the year 1978 by the hands of Dr. Subhas Mukhopadhyay

Complete list of First Person in India (Male & Female) – General Knowledge

1. First-ever Indian Institute of Skills of the country at Kanpur in – **Uttar Pradesh**
2. **Maharashtra** is the first state in the country to have a cyber police station in each district simultaneously.
3. Maharashtra became the first Indian state to adopt Fly Ash **Utilisation Policy**
4. First Children's Court inaugurated in **Hyderabad**
5. **Haryana** – first state to implement the benefit of 7th Central Pay Commission
6. **Gujarat** becomes the first state to distribute 2 crore LED bulbs under Unnat Jyoti by Affordable LEDs for All (UJALA) scheme.
7. First Happiness Junction of India – **Sonepur (Bihar)**
8. Punjab government has launched country's first amphibious bus project at the Harike wetland near – **Amritsar**.
9. In Himachal Pradesh, the first Cyber Crime Police Station has been opened at – **Shimla**.
10. **Hailakandi** has become the first district in **Assam** to pay wages to tea garden workers through individual bank accounts.
11. **Chhattisgarh** has become the first state to adopt a resolution welcoming the demonetization of high-value currency notes
12. Palampur Assembly Constituency of **Kangra district, Himachal Pradesh** became the first e-assembly constituency of the country
13. **Jharkhand** has become the first state in the country to implement Direct Benefit Transfer in Kerosene

14. First underwater restaurant – **Ahmadabad**
15. First railway university – **Vadodara**
16. First rail auto transportation and logistics hub – **Chennai**
17. First defense park – **Ottapalam, Kerala**
18. First LCD panel plant – **Maharashtra**
19. First civil aviation park – **Gujarat**
20. First-ever gender park – **Kerala**
21. First space park – **Bengaluru**
22. First digital state – **Kerala**
23. First cash giving app – **CASHe**
24. First online interactive heritage portal – **Sahapedia**
25. First textile university – **Surat**
26. First tiger cell of India – **Dehradun**
27. World's tallest girder rail bridge – **Manipur**
28. India's first underground museum – **New Delhi**
29. India's first design yatra – **Kerala**
30. **Nagpur** – first digital **district of India**
31. Asia's biggest Jungle Safari – **Naya Raipur, Chhattisgarh**
32. Asia's first longest cycle highway – **Uttar Pradesh**
33. **Akodara village (Gujarat)** – the first digital village in India
34. India's first liquefied natural gas-driven bus – **Kerala**
35. First island district – **Majuli, Assam**
36. First children's court – **Hyderabad**
37. First water metro project – **Kochi**
38. The first state to approve sewage and water policy – **Rajasthan**
39. The first state to adopt the Street Lighting National program – **Rajasthan**
40. The first state to implement Direct Benefit Transfer in Kerosene – **Jharkhand**

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Complete list of First Person in India (Male & Female) – Question and Answers

- 1. Who is the first woman most recently participated in WWE?**
Ans: Kavita Devi
- 2. Who is the first female officer in the Indian army?**
Ans: Priya Jhingan
- 3. Who is the first Defence Minister of India?**
Answer: Baldev Singh
- 4. Who is the first Indian ever to go to space?**
Ans: Rakesh Sharma in 1984
- 5. Who is the first Nobel Prize winner ever in India?**
Ans: Rabindranath Tagore 1913
- 6. Who is the first Oscar Awards winner ever in India?**
Ans: Satyajit Ray
- 7. Who is the first Indian to win the Miss Earth title?**
Ans: Nicole Faria in 2010
- 8. Who is the most recent Indian to win first Miss Universal Peace and Humanity Title?**
Ans: Ruhi Singh in 2014
- 9. What is the first Inter Continental Ballistic Missile in India most recently launched?**
Ans: Agni V launched successfully in 2017(Range – 5500 to 8000 km)
- 10. Who is the first Prime Minister of India?**
Ans: Jawaharlal Nehru
- 11. What is the first silent film in India?**
Ans: Raja Harishchandra made by Dadasaheb Phalke in 1913
- 12. Who is the first lady judge of the Supreme Court in India?**
Ans: Mirasahib Fathima Beevi
- 13. Who is the first female railway driver ever in India?**
Ans: Surekha Yadav
- 14. Who is the first female Indian to go to space?**
Ans: Kalpana Chawla
- 15. Who is the first Indian female ever to win an Olympic medal?**
Ans: Karnam Malleswari from Andhra Pradesh

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