



## **NARENDRA MOHAN**

**Director**

**National Sugar Institute, Kanpur**

Prof. Narendra Mohan was born on 6<sup>th</sup> February 1964 at Kanpur, the industrial city of Uttar Pradesh. After completing his graduation from Christ Church College, Kanpur, he did his Post Graduation in Sugar Technology from the premier institute of Government of India, National Sugar Institute, Kanpur in 1986. He had been a meritorious student all during his school and institute life and received state government scholarships for his exemplary academic performances.

After completing his Post Graduation in Sugar Technology, Prof. Narendra Mohan joined M/s Mahalakshmi Sugar Mills Co. Ltd., Iqbalpur (Haridwar) in 1986 where he worked for two seasons. His aptitude towards academic and research work brought him back to the National Sugar Institute, Kanpur where he carried out work on "Corrosion of Process Equipments and its Prevention in Cane Sugar Industry" for award of Fellowship of National Sugar Institute in Sugar Technology. Prof. Mohan worked at various positions at National Sugar Institute, Kanpur and at present he is working as Director, National Sugar Institute, Kanpur since May 2013.

He has been an active research worker who has published more than 50 papers in various international and national journals of repute. Many of his innovations on "Production of Sulphur-less Sugar" are under patent. He has been a source of inspiration for many budding technologists who have taken up research work under his able guidance. Prof. Narendra Mohan has been an eminent sugar consultant too who has rendered technical advice to large no. of sugar factories situated in U.P., Uttrakhand, Haryana, Punjab, West Bengal, Madhya Pradesh, Gujarat, Maharashtra, Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh and Nepal and advised on various technical issues.

Prof. Narendra Mohan is serving on various committees constituted by Central and State Government's as a technical expert. During his tenure as Director, National Sugar Institute, Kanpur he has carried out commendable work in addressing the problems/issues of the sugar industry and discussing them at various decision making levels for meaningful solutions.

He also served as Referee and Associate Referee of ICUMSA on various topics besides serving as member in its national committee. Prof. Mohan is also the Chairman of Expert Committee on Sugar Standards and of Sectional Committee on Sugar constituted by Bureau of Indian Standards. Besides these, he is acting as technical expert on sugar in various committees constituted by FSSAI, MNRE, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food & Public Distribution and various State Government's.

Prof. Narendra Mohan is a member of various international and national sugar related organizations viz.

# Technical expert, Senate of IIT - Kanpur

# Technical expert, Governing councils of Vasantdada Sugar Institute, Pune

# Technical expert, Governing councils of S. Nijlingappa Sugar Institute, Belgavi.

# Vice President, The Sugar Technologists' Association of India

# Member, International Society of Sugarcane & Sugar Technologists

# Member, South Indian Sugarcane & Sugar Technologists Association

# Member, North Indian Sugarcane & Sugar Technologist of India

Prof. Narendra Mohan has been conferred with many prestigious awards:

1. Sardar GMS Mann Gold Medal for being "Professional of the Year 2013".
2. ISGEC Gold Medal –Engineering for Excellence.
3. Deccan Sugar Technologists Association of India Award in 2015 for best research paper on "Innovative approach to enhance the profitability of North Indian Sugar Factories.