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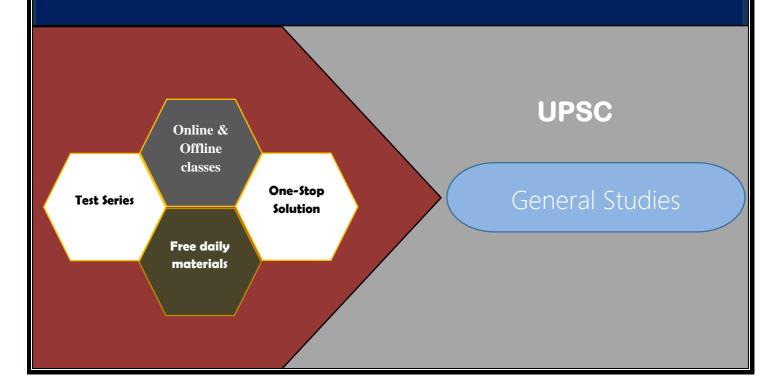


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Recently, the **Prime Minister of India has been conferred** by **Bhutan's highest civilian award,** 'Order of the Druk Gyalpo' also known as "**Ngadag Pel gi Khorlo''.**

Key Points

About:

The announcement of the award coincided with the occasion of the

114th National Day of Bhutan.

- o This is the **highest decoration of Bhutan** and is awarded in recognition of a **lifetime of service to the people** and the Kingdom of Bhutan.
- Order of the Dragon King was founded on 7th November 2008, to reward those who devoted a lifetime of service to the nation andpeople of Bhutan.
- o The honours exist in two categories. **Order of the Dragon King** is thepinnacle of the honour system in Bhutan and also takes precedence over all other orders, medals and decorations.

Other Awards Won by the Indian PM

- Order of Abdulaziz Al Saud (2016): The highest honour of Saudi Arabia awarded to non-muslim dignitaries.
- State Order of Ghazi Amir Amanullah Khan (2016): The highest civilianhonour of Afghanistan.
- Grand Collar of the State of Palestine Award (2018): The highest honour of Palestine awarded to foreign dignitaries.
- Order of Zayed Award (2019): The highest civilian honour of the UnitedArab Emirates.
- Order of St. Andrew award (2019): The highest civilian honour of Russia
- Order of the Distinguished Rule of Nishan Izzuddin (2019) The highesthonour of the Maldives awarded to foreign dignitaries.
- King Hamad Order of the Renaissance First Class (2019): Bahrain's tophonour.
- Legion of Merit by the US Government (2020): The United States Armed Forces award given for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services and achievements.
- Seoul Peace Prize (2018): Seoul Peace Prize Cultural Foundation's biennialaward (South Korea) to those individuals who have made their mark through contributions to the harmony of mankind, reconciliation betweennations and world peace.







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- Champions of The Earth Award (2018): The United Nation's highest environmental honour
- First Philip Kotler Presidential award (2019): Offered to the leader of anation.
- Global Goalkeeper Award: Honour by Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation for Swachh Bharat Abhiyan (2019)
- Global Energy and Environment Leadership Award (2021): Awarded by the Cambridge Energy Research Associates CERA for commitment of leadership towards the future of global energy and the environment.



