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## 'Sarabhai Honorary Award, 2021' | Bihar | 07 Sep 2021

### Why in News

- The **National Council of Teacher Scientist (NCTS)** honored **Anand Kumar**, mathematician and the **founder of Super-30**, with the '**Sarabhai Teacher Scientist National Honorary Award, 2021**'.
  - He has been given this award **for making it easier to teach mathematics and making poor children successful in the entrance examinations of IITs.**

### Key Points

- In a virtual program held on the occasion of Teachers' Day Anand Kumar of Bihar was also given **lifetime membership of this organization.**
- Anand Kumar has been providing **coaching to underprivileged children** for nearly two decades for **JEE Advanced, an entrance exam for admission to the Indian Institute of Technology.**
- NCTS, **headquartered in Delhi**, was **established by the Raman Science and Technology Foundation of Gujarat** to develop scientific temper among the teachers.

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