

## 'Uttarakhand Ratna' award

## Why in News?

On May 9, 2022, in the 44th anniversary of the All India Conference of Intellectuals, celebrated in Nainital, Prof. N.K. Joshi was awarded the 'Uttarakhand Ratna' award for his remarkable work in the field of higher education.

## **Key Points**

- Pro. Joshi has been awarded this honor in recognition of his outstanding work in the field of higher education, innovation implemented in the university, implementation of innovative, innovative action plans and academic services done with excellence.
- With the efforts of Prof. Joshi, Kumaun University is making a place as the top center of higher education.
- Due to the efforts of Prof. Joshi, Kumaun University has been ranked 58th in Pharmacy Category in the National Institutional Ranking Framework of Higher Education Institutions. The university has been ranked 551-600 in the QD Asia rankings.

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