

10.15 AM The Vice-Chancellor, the former Vice-Chancellors, members of the Court assemble for robing.

10.55 AM The Hon'ble Chancellor and the Chief Guest arrive and are received by the Vice-Chancellor, the Registrar and the members of the Court.

10.56 AM The Hon'ble Chancellor hoists the University Flag.

10.58 AM Robing of the Hon'ble Chancellor and the Chief Guest.

11.00 AM The Vice-Chancellor introduces the members of the Academic Procession to the Hon'ble Chancellor.

11.03 AM The Academic Procession enters the auditorium.
(Everyone should rise and keep standing until the members of the Procession are seated.)

11.07 AM **National Anthem.**

11.09 AM **Registrar (Offering of flowers)** : I am privileged to announce that the flowers be offered to Hon'ble Chancellor and other distinguished Guests by the students of Vidyasagar University.

Registrar : The Vice-Chancellor will now present the Memento to the Hon'ble Chancellor.

Vice-Chancellor : The Registrar will now present the Memento to the Hon'ble Chief Guest.

11.10 AM The Hon'ble Chancellor declares the Convocation open :
Chancellor : **" I declare the Convocation open."**

11.12 AM **Address by the Vice-Chancellor.**

11.22 AM **Address by the Hon'ble Chancellor.**

11.32 AM Vice-Chancellor introduces the Chief Guest in appropriate words befitting the occasion and requests him to deliver the Convocation Address.

11.34 AM **Convocation Address by the Chief Guest.**

11.46 AM The Vice-Chancellor presents the recipients of honorary degrees Professor Mihir Kanti Chaudhuri is being presented first :

Vice-Chancellor : **"Sir, I am privileged to present to you Professor Mihir Kanti Chaudhuri for the conferment of the degree of Doctor of Science *honoris causa* which has been recommended by the Court, and confirmed by the Hon'ble Chancellor."**

The Vice-Chancellor may, in his discretion, add such remarks as he may think fit regarding the achievements of the recipient which have led to his being chosen for the high honour.

The Hon'ble Chancellor confers the D. Sc. degree *honoris causa* to Professor Mihir Kanti Chaudhuri :

Chancellor : **"The Court of the Vidyasagar University is pleased to confer upon you the degree of Doctor of Science *honoris causa*."**

Vice-Chancellor : I request Professor Mihir Kanti Chaudhuri to come and receive the scroll and memento from the Hon'ble Chancellor.

The Vice-Chancellor then presents Dr. Nanditha Krishna :

Vice-Chancellor : **"Sir, I am privileged to present to you Dr. Nanditha Krishna for the conferment of the degree of Doctor of Literature *honoris causa* which has been recommended by the Court, and confirmed by the Hon'ble Chancellor."**

The Vice-Chancellor may, in his discretion add such remarks as he may think fit regarding the achievements of the recipient which have led to his being chosen for the high honour.

The Chancellor confers the D.Litt. degree *honoris causa* to Dr. Nanditha Krishna.

Chancellor : **"The Court of the Vidyasagar University is pleased to confer upon you the degree of Doctor of Literature *honoris causa*."**

Vice-Chancellor : I request Dr. Nanditha Krishna to come and receive the scroll and memento from the Hon'ble Chancellor.

12.01 PM The Vice-Chancellor announces the conferment of degrees of D.Litt., D.Sc., Doctor's & Master's Degrees, Postgraduate Diplomas and certificates :

Vice-Chancellor : **"Hon'ble Chancellor Sir, Chief Guest and distinguished guests, members of the University community, ladies and gentlemen - we now come to the significant and impressive ceremony of conferring the D.Litt., D.Sc., Doctor's Degrees and awarding Postgraduate degrees, Postgraduate diplomas and certificates upon those students who have been examined and found qualified to receive them. All of these degrees, diplomas and certificates have been recommended by the appropriate academic authority and by the Executive Council. The candidates for the D.Litt., D.Sc., Doctor's, Master's degrees & Postgraduate diplomas and certificates will be presented by the Deans "**

- 12.04 PM The Vice-Chancellor requests the Dean, Faculty Council for Postgraduate Studies in Arts & Commerce, to present the recipient of the **D.Litt degree** :
Vice-Chancellor : "**The Dean of the Faculty of Arts & Commerce, will present the recipient of the D.Litt. degree**"
- 12.05 PM The Dean of the Faculty of Arts & Commerce, requests the recipient of D.Litt. degree to stand up :
Dean : "**Will the candidate for the conferment of the degree of Doctor of Literature please stand up and remain standing until I request him to resume his seat ?**"
- 12.06 PM The Dean of the Faculty of Arts & Commerce, present the recipient of the D.Litt. degree to the Vice-Chancellor :
Dean : "**Sir, I present to you the candidate for the degree of Doctor of Literature and I pray that the degree for which he has been recommended may be conferred on him.**"
Dean (to the recipient) : "**Please be seated.**"
- 12.08 PM The Vice-Chancellor confers the D.Litt. degree to the recipient :
Vice-Chancellor : "**Will the candidate who has been presented for Doctor of Literature degree please stand up? (pause). The Court of the Vidyasagar University is pleased to confer upon you the degree for which you have been recommended and admit you to all the rights and privileges respectively pertaining thereto and I, by virtue of the authority vested on me as Vice-Chancellor of this University, charge you that ever in your life and conversation you show yourselves worthy of the same (pause). Please be seated.**"
- 12.09 PM The Vice-Chancellor requests the Dean, Faculty Council for Postgraduate Studies in Science, to present the recipient of the **D.Sc. degree** :
Vice-Chancellor : "**The Dean of the Faculty of Science, will present the recipient of the D. Sc. degree**"
- 12.10 PM The Dean of the Faculty of Science, requests the recipient of D.Sc. degree to stand up :
Dean : "**Will the candidate for the conferment of the degree of Doctor of Science please stand up and remain standing until I request her to resume her seat ?**"
- 12.11 PM The Dean of the Faculty of Science, present the recipient of the D.Sc. degree to the Vice-Chancellor :
Dean : "**Sir, I present to you the candidate for the degree of Doctor of Science and I pray that the degree for which she has been recommended may be conferred on her.**"
Dean (to the recipient) : "**Please be seated.**"
- 12.13 PM The Vice-Chancellor confers the D.Sc. degree to the recipient :
Vice-Chancellor : "**Will the candidate who has been presented for Doctor of Science degree please stand up? (pause). The Court of the Vidyasagar University is pleased to confer upon you the degree for which you have been recommended and admit you to all the rights and privileges respectively pertaining thereto and I, by virtue of the authority vested on me as Vice-Chancellor of this University, charge you that ever in your life and conversation you show yourselves worthy of the same (pause). Please be seated.**"
- 12.15 PM The Vice-Chancellor requests the Dean, Faculty Council for Postgraduate Studies in Arts & Commerce, to present the recipients of the Ph.D. degrees in Arts and Commerce :
Vice-Chancellor : "**The Dean of the Faculty of Arts & Commerce, will present the recipients of the Ph.D. degrees in Arts and Commerce.**"
- 12.16 PM The Dean of the Faculty of Arts & Commerce, requests the recipients of the Ph.D. degrees in Arts and Commerce to stand up :
Dean : "**Will the candidates for the conferment of the degree of Doctor of Philosophy under the Faculty of Arts and Commerce please stand up and remain standing until I request them to resume their seats?**"
- 12.18 PM The Dean of the Faculty of Arts & Commerce, presents the recipients of the Ph.D. degrees in Arts and Commerce to the Vice-Chancellor :
Dean : "**Sir, I present to you the candidates for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy under the Faculty of Arts and Commerce and I pray that the degree for which they have been recommended may be conferred on them.**"
Dean (to the recipients) : "**Please be seated.**"

12.19 PM The Vice-Chancellor requests the Dean, Faculty Council for Postgraduate Studies in Science, to present the recipients of the Ph.D. degrees in Science :

Vice-Chancellor : "**Dean of the Faculty of Science will present the recipients of the Ph.D. degrees in Science.**"

12.20 PM Dean of the Faculty of Science, requests the recipients of the Ph.D. degrees in Science to stand up :

Dean : "**Will the candidates for the conferment of the degree of the Doctor of Philosophy under the Faculty of Science please stand up and remain standing until I request them to resume their seats?**"

12.21 PM Dean of the Faculty of Science, presents the recipients of the Ph.D. degrees in Science to the Vice-Chancellor :

Dean : "**Sir, I present to you the candidates for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy under the Faculty of Science and I pray that the degree for which they have been recommended may be conferred on them.**"

Dean (to the recipients) : "**Please be seated.**"

12.22 PM The Vice-Chancellor confers the Ph.D. degrees in Arts & Commerce and Science to the recipients :

Vice-Chancellor : "**Will all the candidates who have been presented for Doctor's degrees under the Faculty of Arts & Commerce and Science please stand up?** (pause). **The Court of the Vidyasagar University is pleased to confer upon you the degree for which you have been recommended and admit you to all the rights and privileges respectively pertaining thereto and I, by virtue of the authority vested on me as Vice-Chancellor of this University, charge you that ever in your life and conversation you show yourselves worthy of the same** (pause). **Please be seated.**"

12.24 PM The Registrar prays that the absentee recipients of the Ph.D. degrees in Arts & Commerce and Science till date, those who are not here to be presented, may have their conferment *in absentia* :

Registrar : "**Sir, I pray that the candidates who have been recommended for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Arts & Commerce and Science -- all of them who are not here to be presented may have their conferment *in absentia*.**"

12.25 PM The Vice-Chancellor confers these degrees to the absentee recipients *in absentia* :

Vice-Chancellor : "**The Court of the Vidyasagar University is pleased to confer upon the candidates *in absentia* the Doctor's degree under the Faculty of Arts & Commerce and Science for which they have been recommended and admit them to all the rights and privileges respectively pertaining thereto and I, by virtue of the authority vested on me as Vice-Chancellor of this University, charge them that ever in their life and conversation they show themselves worthy of the same.**"

12.27 PM The Registrar prays that the recipients of all the Master degrees, Postgraduate diplomas & certificates of the year 2014 may have their conferment *in absentia* :

Registrar : "**Sir, I pray to you that the candidates who have been recommended for the Master degrees, Postgraduate diplomas & certificates in Arts, Commerce & Science and M.Phil degrees from the University and different affiliated colleges of the year 2014 may have their degrees conferred on them *in absentia*.**"

12.28 PM The Vice-Chancellor confers the Master degrees, Postgraduate diplomas & certificates upon the recipients *in absentia* :

Vice-Chancellor : "**The Court of the Vidyasagar University is pleased to confer upon the candidates *in absentia* the degrees, Postgraduate diplomas and certificates for which they have been recommended and admit them to all the rights and privileges respectively pertaining thereto and I, by virtue of the authority vested on me as Vice-Chancellor of this University, charge them that ever in their life and conversation they show themselves worthy of the same.**"

12.30 PM The Registrar prays that the recipients of all the Bachelor degrees of the year 2014 may have their conferment *in absentia* :

Registrar : "**Sir, I pray to you that the candidates who have been recommended for the Bachelor degrees in Arts, Commerce and Science in the three-year Honours and General Courses and the Bachelor degrees in Law, Education, Physical Education, Computer Applications and Paramedical & Vocational Courses from the different affiliated colleges of the year 2014 may have their degrees conferred on them *in absentia*.**"

12.32 PM The Vice-Chancellor confers the Bachelor degrees upon the recipients *in absentia* :

Vice-Chancellor : **"The Court of the Vidyasagar University is pleased to confer upon the candidates *in absentia* the degree for which they have been recommended and admit them to all the rights and privileges respectively pertaining thereto and I, by virtue of the authority vested on me as Vice-Chancellor of this University, charge them that ever in their life and conversation they show themselves worthy of the same."**

12.34 PM Vice-Chancellor : **"The Dean of Faculty of Arts & Commerce will now call out the name of the recipient of the degree of Doctor of Literature."**

Dean calls out the name of the recipient of the Doctor of Literature.

Vice-Chancellor hands over the degree scroll to the Hon'ble Chancellor for offering to the recipient.

The recipient come and receive the degree scroll from the Hon'ble Chancellor.

Vice-Chancellor : **"The Dean of Faculty of Science will call out the name of the recipient of the degree of Doctor of Science."**

Dean calls out the name of the recipient of the Doctor of Science.

Vice-Chancellor hands over the degree scroll to the Hon'ble Chancellor for offering to the recipient.

The recipient come and receive the degree scroll from the Hon'ble Chancellor.

Vice-Chancellor : **"The Dean of Faculty of Arts & Commerce will now call out the names of the recipients of the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Arts & Commerce."**

Dean calls out the names of the recipients of the Doctor of Philosophy in Arts and Commerce.

Vice-Chancellor hands over the degree scrolls to the Hon'ble Chancellor for offering to the recipients.

The recipients come one by one and receive the degree scroll from the Hon'ble Chancellor.

Vice-Chancellor : **"The Dean of Faculty of Science will call out the names of the recipients of the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in Science."**

Dean calls out the names of the recipients of the Doctor of Philosophy in Science.

Vice-Chancellor hands over the degree scrolls to the Hon'ble Chancellor for offering to the recipients.

The recipients come one by one and receive the degree scroll from the Hon'ble Chancellor.

12.59 PM The Hon'ble Chancellor authorizes the Vice-Chancellor to continue the Convocation.

Chancellor : **I, the Chancellor of Vidyasagar University, authorize the Vice-Chancellor to continue the Convocation.**

01.00 PM The Hon'ble Chancellor leaves the dais.

Everyone should rise and remain standing until the Hon'ble Chancellor leaves the auditorium.

01-05 PM The Vice-Chancellor declares the Convocation continued :

Vice-Chancellor : **"By virtue of the authority conferred upon me by the Hon'ble Chancellor, I declare the Convocation open."**

Vice-Chancellor : **"Registrar will now call out the names of the recipients of the University Medals on the results of the Postgraduate Examinations of the year 2014 for both regular and distance mode and 2013 only for distance mode and Undergraduate Examinations of the year 2014 and the Bachelor of Law, Bachelor of Education, Bachelor of Physical Education and B.C.A. 2014 – first Postgraduate and then Undergraduate."**

The Registrar calls out the names of the recipients of the University Medals of the Postgraduate of the year 2014 both for regular and distance mode first and then Postgraduate of the year 2013 in distance mode and thereafter Undergraduate - 2014.

The recipients come one by one and receive the Medal from the Vice-Chancellor.

Vice-Chancellor : **"Registrar will call out the names of the recipients of the Endowment Medals, Scholarships and Prizes."**

The Registrar calls out the names of the recipients of the Endowment Medals, Scholarships and Prizes.

The recipients come one by one and receive the Medal / Scholarship/ Prize from the Vice-Chancellor.

The Vice-Chancellor declares the Convocation closed.

Vice-Chancellor : **"By virtue of the authority conferred upon me by the Hon'ble Chancellor, I declare the Convocation closed."**

The members of the academic procession leave the dais.

(Everyone should rise and remain standing until the Members of the Academic Procession leave the auditorium)