Professor (Dr) Sabu Thomas listed in World’s Ranking of top 2% Researchers published by Stanford

The 2020 Stanford-Ranking List (based on citations between 1996 to 2019) ranked Professor (Dr) Sabu Thomas, Vice Chancellor of Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala, India in an international comparison of leading scientists. He in polymer science on position 114 and ranked number 2 from India. This ranking is mainly a result of highly cited publications. Prof. Thomas has more than 57,000 citations with a H index of 110 (on 01.01.2021). He has published over 1200 peer reviewed research papers, reviews and book chapters. He has co-edited 150 books inventor of 15 patents. Prof. Thomas is an outstanding leader with sustained international acclaims for his work in Nanoscience, Polymer Science and Engineering and Green Materials. Professor Thomas has received more than 30 national and international awards which include, FRSC UK, Distinguished Professorship from Josef Stefan Institute, Slovenia, MRSI medal, CRSI medal, Distinguished Faculty Award, Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam Award for Scientific Excellence – 2016, Mahatma Gandhi University- Award for Outstanding Contribution – Nov. 2016, Lifetime Achievement Award of the Malaysian Polymer Group, Sukumar Maithy Award Faculty Research Award, Trila – Academician of The Year, Fellowship of the European Academy of Sciences. He is in the list of most productive researchers in India and holds a position of No.5. Prof. Thomas has been conferred Honoris Causa (D.Sc) by the University of South Brittany, Lorient, France, Siberian Federal University, Russia and University of Lorraine, Nancy, France, awarded Senior Fulbright Fellowship, National Education Leadership Award – 2017 for Excellence in Education. Prof Thomas also won 6th contest of "mega-grants" - Russian Federation. Prof. Thomas has supervised 115 PhD programmes and his students occupy leading positions in academia and industry in India and abroad.