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PADMA AWARDS FOR GURU-SHISHYA WITH UP CONNECTION.

When the padma awards for 2010 were being announced on the media, one uniqueness in awards this year was missed by everyone. Actually this is probably the first time that A *Guru*, Shri B.K. Chaturvedi, Member Planning Commission and Ex – Cabinet Secretary received the Padma Bhushan and his *Shishya*, Shri Deep Joshi, Magsaysay Award winner 2009 also won the Padmashri award. The story goes back to the year 1964 when Shri B.K. Chaturvedi took the teaching assignment at MNR Engineering College, Allahabad after doing his MSc in Physics from Allahabad University and his now famous disciple Deep Joshi was in his first year at the same college who finally passed out as topper of the college in 1968. Isn't that amazing. This interesting UP connection has been identified by Lucknow chapter of Monereco Alumni Association, Allahabad.

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