

# CENTRAL BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL EXCELLENCE (CBPE)

(Autonomous Body)

## **PUBLIC NOTICE / OFFICIAL GAZETTE NOTIFICATION**

Honorary Doctorate Award – 2026

In exercise of the powers conferred under its autonomous regulations, the Central Board of Professional Excellence (CBPE) hereby notifies that applications are invited for the Honorary Doctorate Award to be conferred upon distinguished individuals in recognition of their outstanding professional experience, leadership, and contribution to society. This award is purely honorary in nature and shall not be treated as an academic or research-based doctoral degree.

### **1. Nature of the Award**

The Honorary Doctorate is a lifetime recognition awarded as a mark of honour and respect. It does not involve academic coursework, examinations, or research submission.

### **2. Eligibility Criteria**

Applicants must possess a minimum of 10–15 years of proven field or professional experience with demonstrable contribution in education, skill development, healthcare, social service, business, industry, arts, culture, science, technology, or public service. Academic qualification is not mandatory if experience is substantiated.

### **3. Mode of Award & Fee Structure**

(A) Courier Mode (Without Physical Convocation): Total Fee ■68,800/- (Rupees Sixty-Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Only).

(B) Convocation Mode (Physical Ceremony): Total Fee ■1,08,000/- (Rupees One Lakh Eight Thousand Only).

### **4. Honorary Doctorate Kit (Courier Mode)**

Honorary Doctorate Certificate (Lifetime Validity), Square Academic Cap (Mortar Board), Academic Regalia (Long Gown), CBPE Pen, CBPE T-Shirt, CBPE Diary, and LSC Logo & Stickers for promotional purpose.

### **5. Application & Selection Process**

Submission of application, document verification, evaluation by CBPE Award Committee, issuance of approval, and conferment of award.

### **6. Timeline**

Application scrutiny: 5–7 working days; Committee evaluation: 10–15 working days; Approval intimation: within 21 working days; Convocation (if applicable): within 30–60 days.

### **7. Usage of Title**

The title “Doctor (Dr.)” may be used strictly as an honorary designation only.

### **8. Legal Disclaimer**

CBPE is an autonomous, non-government organization. The Honorary Doctorate is not equivalent to any UGC, AICTE, or university-recognized Ph.D. and does not confer academic or teaching rights.

By Order of the Board

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