Dr. Shekhar Chaudhari joins Shiv Nadar University as Director, School of Management and Entrepreneurship

Dr ShekharChaudhari has joined Shiv Nadar University as the Director and Professor, School of Management and Entrepreneurship.Expressing his pleasure after joining the University, Professor Chaudhuri said, "Shiv Nadar University has a multi-disciplinary approach to higher education and a strong focus on research and industry collaboration has already distinguished it as an institution of repute in India. I look forward to working with Dr. Sinha and the faculty to put into motion the great ambitions we have for the University and to capitalize on the many opportunities that lie ahead."

Prior to joining SNU, Prof. Chaudhuri was the Director of IIM, Calcutta for two consecutive terms of five years from November 25, 2002 till April, 8 2013. During his tenure at IIMC, there was significant improvement in overall performance through several strategic actions. He had worked at IIM Ahmedabad, his alma mater from March 1981 where he taught courses in the area of strategic and international management and management of technology and innovation. He also served IIT Kharagpur as the Dean of the Vinod Gupta School of Management for about two years where he brought about several transformative changes. During August 1989 to August 1990, Prof. Chaudhuri was a Visiting Professor at the College of Business and Administration at the Southern Illinois University at Carbondale,

Illinois, USA. Prof. Chaudhuri also sits on the boards of several public sector companies and institutions and has been a member of several high level committees set up by the Government of India.

Dr. Chaudhuri was conferred the "Bharat AsmitaAcharyaShrestha Award 2009" in the field of management education. He has also co-authored a book titled "Entry Strategies and Growth in Foreign Markets" published by Oxford University Press and published a number of research based papers in national and international journals.