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Dr. Brajesh Pandey is the Executive Director at the Indian National Science Academy (INSA), New Delhi, a leading organization dedicated to promoting science and technology in India. In his role, Dr. Pandey plays a pivotal role in advancing the Academy's initiatives, fostering scientific research, and facilitating collaborations among scientists and institutions across the country.

Dr. Pandey has a distinguished academic background, having earned his education and training in the field of science. With a strong foundation in scientific research and administration, he has gained a reputation for his leadership and strategic vision in the scientific community. He has been instrumental in organizing national and international conferences, workshops, and symposia to advance scientific discourse and policy. He has been awarded "Dr Vikram Sarabhai National Award" for popularization of Science by Raman Science and foundation in Sep 2018.

As Executive Director of INSA, Dr. Pandey is responsible for overseeing the operational and strategic functions of the Academy, managing its research programs, and supporting the recognition and advancement of Indian science on the global stage. His leadership ensures that INSA continues to play a crucial role in shaping scientific policy, encouraging innovation, and promoting excellence in scientific research.

Under his guidance, INSA has been actively involved in a variety of initiatives that support scientific endeavors across diverse fields, from basic sciences to interdisciplinary research. Dr. Pandey is also deeply committed to fostering the integration of science with societal development, enhancing science communication, and advocating for evidence-based policy making.

In addition to his work at INSA, Dr. Pandey's broad experience and expertise make him a key figure in shaping the landscape of Indian science and technology. His contributions are widely recognized, and he continues to be a driving force behind the Academy's mission to advance scientific knowledge for the betterment of society.

In the upcoming conference, Dr. Pandey is *invited as Chairperson* for the invited talk under the theme of "*R&D and Society*".