

# Competition Cosmos

## Women Achievers 2019

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| Minty Agarwal    | First women to receive Yudh Seva medal by the President of India   |
| Muthayya Vanitha | Project Director of Chandrayaan-2 lunar mission of ISRO  |
| Bianca andresca  | She won her first Grand slam title in 2019 US Open by defeating Serena Williams  |
| Naomi Osaka      | She won 2019 Australian open and also has been ranked as Asia's 1 <sup>st</sup> No.-1 in Tennis.                                   |
| Kavitha Gopal    | First Girl student to win President of India Prize   |
| Kalli Puri       | Honored with India's most powerful women in Media  |
| Aparna Kumar     | First IPS Officer to be honored with prestigious Tenzing Norgay National Adventure Award   |
| Payal Jangid     | Received the Changemaker Award at the Goalkeepers Goal Awards in New York for her campaign against child labour and child marriage |
| Gita Gopinath    | First woman Chief Economist of IMF   |
| M.A Sneha        | First Indian woman to be recognised caste and religion-less legally  |
| Garima Arora     | First Indian female chef to be conferred with the Michelin star and also named as Asia's best female chef for 2019                 |
| Hina Jaiswal     | First woman flight engineer to be inducted into the Indian Air Force   |
| Dr. G C Anupama  | First woman to head Astronomical Society of India, the prime association of professional astronomers in the country                |
| Shikha Surabhi   | First and only woman officer in the Indian Army's Motorcycle Daredevils Squad at the Republic Day parade 2019                      |
| Bhavana Kasturi  | First woman army officer to lead an all-men contingent at the Republic Day parade 2019   |
| Chandrima Shaha  | First woman to get elected as President of Indian National Science Academy (INSA)  |
| Aishwarya Pissey | First Indian to claim a world title in motorsports by winning FIM World Cup  |
| Shalija Dhani    | India's First Women Officer to be appointed as flight commander of a flying unit   |
| Anshula Kant     | First woman Chief Financial officer of the World Bank Group  |

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| Priyanka Chopra    | First Indian Actress to represent our Nation in Hollywood.   |
| P V Sindhu         | First Indian women to win a silver medal in Olympic  |
| Nirmala Sitharaman | India's First Woman Defence and Finance Minister.  |
| Karen Uhlenbeck    | First woman to receive Abel Prize  |
| Bhawana Kanth      | First woman fighter pilot of Indian Air Force  |
| Jayshree Vyas      | First independent women director of Bombay Stock Exchange  |
| Aarohi Pandit      | First woman to cross the Atlantic Ocean flying solo in an ultra-light aircraft.  |
| G.S. Lakshmi       | First woman to be inducted into ICC match referee panel  |
| Mithali Raj        | First female cricketer to play 200 ODIs  |
| Mary Kom           | First female boxer to win 6 gold medals at Women's Boxing World Championships  |
| Arunima Sinha      | First female amputee to climb the highest peak of Antarctica - Mt Vinson and also to rescue dangerous reptiles like crocodiles, gharials |
| Claire Polosak     | First woman to umpire a men's one-day international.   |
| Stéphanie Frappart | First ever woman to act as a main referee in the top tier of French men's football.  |
| Nahida Manzoor     | First woman from Jammu and Kashmir to scale the world's highest peak -- Mount Everest.   |
| Mati Diop          | First black woman to win award at Cannes (2019) Film Festival in 72 years  |
| Tengku Maimun      | First Woman Chief Justice of Malaysia  |
| Saray Khumalo      | First black woman from Africa to summit Mount Everest  |
| Vedangi Kulkarni   | Fastest Asian to cycle the globe.  |

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