

Nalini Joshi

(b. mid 1900s)



Joshi was born in Burma (now Myanmar) and grew up there and in Australia. She was the first female full professor in mathematics at the University of Sydney (2002) after holding positions at other Australian universities. Joshi's expertise is in nonlinear differential and difference equations. She has supervised 14 doctoral students, 3 of them female. She is a Fellow of the Australian Academy of Science (2008), was the London

Mathematical Society's 150th anniversary Hardy Lecturer (2015), served as the President of the Australian Mathematical Society (2008–2010), and was named Australian Research Council's Georgina Sweet Australian Laureate Fellow (2012). In 2015, Joshi co-founded Science in Australia Gender Equity (SAGE).

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