

# NOBEL PRIZES IN THE SCIENCES: THE MINIMUM TARGET FOR AHMADI SCIENTISTS

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# Why do we care about a Nobel Prize?

- ▣ Global Recognition
  - Impact and Influence
  - Emblem of International Prestige
  - A Symbol Of Success
- ▣ Gold Medal
- ▣ 1.5 Million Dollars



# Why is this Award so Prestigious?

- ▣ Named after Alfred Nobel
  - Had 355 patented inventions i.e ballistite, dynamite
  - Nicknamed “Merchant of Death”
- ▣ Used his last will to create a series of prizes for those who confer the "greatest benefit on mankind in"
  - Physics
  - Chemistry
  - Peace
  - Literature
  - Medicine



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- ▣ People Who Have Received a Nobel Prize Include
  - **Marie Curie**. Discovered Radium and Polonium.
  - **Robert Koch**. Revolutionary Research on Tuberculosis.
  - **Max Planck**. Discovery of energy quanta
  - **Albert Einstein**. Discovered the photoelectric effect
  - **Enrico Fermi**. Discovery of new radioactive elements, and discovery of nuclear reactions brought about by slow neutrons
  - **Otto Hahn**. Discovery of the fission of heavy nuclei
  - **Abdus Salam**. Unification of the Forces of Nature

# Huzur's message to the youth

Regarding the 2014 and 2015 Quran and Science Symposium

May Allah help you to continue this important development of knowledge derived from the Holy Qur'an and thereby show the truth of Islam Ahmadiyyat to the scientists of the world, to **our youngsters and our young aspiring students.** Ameen.

It is gratifying to note that the Holy Qur'an is such a source of knowledge and research for scientists of this age. Do continue to pursue this sort of work and encourage others to do so as well. Motivate younger members of the Jama'at to become scientists and take advantage of this knowledge in their career advancements.

Yours Sincerely



**Mirza Masroor Ahmad**  
**KHALIFATUL MASHIH V**

# Huzur's message about the Nobel Prize

- ▣ “Advance so much in every field of education that **your minimum target is a Nobel Prize**. That requires hard work over a long period. When nations want to develop and progress, they make plans on a long-term basis. I pray that Allah may grant you the strength to do so.” -2008, Ghana
- ▣ 2013 Gulshan-e-Waqfe-Nau girls, on Research and the Nobel Prize
- ▣ <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QGFVT8tDLrc&feature=youtu.be>

# Quick English Summary

- ▣ Get the Highest Excellence in Education Possible
- ▣ There should be 100's of Abdus Salams in our future
- ▣ Go into Research with the Nobel Prize as your minimum target in the sciences, history, etc.