

## Influential women in bioscience industry

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It is a well known fact that men dominate the biotech industry. But over the past decade or so, many outstanding women have excelled in this niche sector. Throughout history many brilliant women have contributed globally for the growth of life sciences. While committed to her busy professional career, she had to balance the demands of her family, as well.

In an effort to laud their accomplishments, BioSpectrum presents some of the women who in their roles as CEOs, CSOs, directors, regulators, entrepreneurs, vice presidents, and scientific researchers, helped change the course of bioscience in the country.

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Following are the women achievers profiled in the list:

Anu Acharya  
Anuradha Rajput  
Anu Singh  
Bharathi Sriram  
Bindhya Cariappa  
Bindu Dey  
Chandra Viswanathan  
Chandrima Shaha  
Deepanwita Chattopadhyay  
Deepshikha Kiyawat  
Gayatri Saberwal  
Gita Sharma

Kalpana Krishnaswami  
Kavitha Iyer Rodrigues  
Kiran Mazumdar-Shaw  
Kumud Sampath  
Latha P Lakshman  
Mahima Datla  
Malathi Lakshmikumaran  
Manju Bansal  
Manjula Das  
Manju Sharma  
Meenakshi Bhat  
Nandita Chandavarkar  
Neelam Jain  
Nidhi Saxena  
Purnima Sharma  
Radha Rangarajan  
Radhika Bobba  
Rajashree Devarakonda  
KR Rajyashri  
Rama Mukherjee  
Renu Razdan  
Renu Swarup  
Rinti Banerjee  
Saral Thangam  
Shenaz Khaleeli  
Shireen Vali  
Smita Singhania  
Sowmya Balendiran  
Suchita Ninawe  
Suchitra Ella  
Sudha Nair  
Sudha Rao  
Suman Govil  
Suneela Thatte  
Swati Piramal  
Vasanth Muthuswamy  
Vibha Dhawan  
Viloo Morawala-Patell  
Usha Barwale Zehr

\* This list is not exhaustive, but attempts to capture few of the outstanding women researchers in the country