



## **Mohd. Yousuf Bhat**

Born: - 25 March, 1976 (Wathora Batpora, Chadoora J&K)

**At present:** - Instructor (Department of Sitar Indian Classical) Shri- Pran Kishan Koul Institute of Music and Fine Arts University of Kashmir

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**Nationality: Indian**

### **Brief Introduction**

Mohd. Yousuf Bhat is a Professional Academician with AIR (All India Radio) B-Grade light instrumental Music (Sitar) and Sufiyana Sitar. He is the disciple of Mrs. Ravinder Kour and Pt-Pretheek Choudri (Senia Gharana).

**Teaching Experience:** - From 2007 till date at IMFA University of Kashmir

### **Academic Professional Qualification.**

1. B. MUS Sitar (Indian Classical Music) University of Kashmir 2004-2005
2. M.MUS Sitar (Indian Classical Music) University of Delhi 2007
3. B- Grade All India Radio Instrumental Sitar for light Music 22-02-2015
4. B-Grad All India Radio Suffiyana Mousqi Instrumental Sitar 22-02-2005
5. Gharana :- Senia/ Wathora Gharana

### **Performances- Cum –Demonstrations**

1. Tibetbaqal Memorial Trust 03-01-2011
2. University of Kashmir 06-05-2011
3. Live performances (Bayad-e-Ustad Ghulam Mohammad Qaleenbaft at auditorium Radio Kashmir Srinagar 21-04-2014)

### **Participations**

1. Youth festival programme Chandigarh 2008
2. Hafta ka Nagma at Radio Kashmir Srinagar 02-08-2009
3. Sufiyana Mousiqi as Sitar Player at Radio Kashmir Srinagar 27-11-2014

4. 75<sup>th</sup> Azadi Ka Maha uthsov on Sufi festival in remembrance of Hazrat Baba Bula Shah <sup>RA</sup> on August 2022 at University of Kashmir
5. Participated on One day seminar and Sufi Mehfil on Hazrat Shaikhul Alam <sup>RA</sup> as an embodiment of Kashmir Syncretic Culture on Oct.2021 at University of Kashmir
6. Participated in Jashn-e-bahar traditional folk festival organized by Jammu and Kashmir academy of Art, Culture and Language on June.2024 at Tagore Hall Srinagar
7. Participated in 3 days work shop Sangeet Sadhna on March.2024 at University of Kashmir

### **Awards**

Chandigarh University 2008

### **Nominated for Board**

1. Nominated as one of the Board of Studies Member UGC-BPA faculty of Music and Fine Arts University of Kashmir 09-10-2015
2. Nominate as expert for introduction PG Course Instrumental Music Sitar at Govt. Degree College for women Nawakadal, Srinagar year 2020

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