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■ Prof. Dr Joyeeta Gupta Receives Spinoza Prize in the Field of Climate Change

Indian-origin professor Dr Joyeeta Gupta has received the Spinoza Prize, the highest distinction in Dutch science for her work in the field of climate change at a ceremony in the Netherlands. The prize was presented to her by the Netherlands' Minister for Education, Science, and Culture, Robert Dijkgraaf at The Hague on October 4. The Dutch Research Council prize is



worth 1.5 million euros which Gupta intends to spend on scientific research activities related to knowledge utilisation. Joyeeta Gupta is a Dutch environment activities who is professor of Environment and Development in the Global South at the University of Amsterdam.