



ANOOP JOSHI

Akademi Award: Allied Theatre Arts (Lighting)

Born on 23 September 1968 in Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh, Shri Anoop Joshi has learnt the nuances of theatre at Rang Mandal, Bharat Bhawan from Shri B.V. Karanth and craft of stage lighting from Tapas Sen, Rammurthy, George Lavado and Ashok Sagar Bhagat.

Shri Joshi has contributed to theatre in almost every department ranging from acting and directing to its technical aspects. As the technical director of numerous national and international festivals, including the Khajuraho Dance Festival and Tansen Sangeet Samaroh, he has showcased his exceptional skills and meticulous attention to detail in theatre and ambience lighting. As a director and/or lighting designer his plays have participated in many theatre festivals. As a lighting designer he has worked with B.V. Karanth, Barry John, Habib Tanvir among many others.

Shri Anoop Joshi receives the Sangeet Natak Akademi Award for the year 2023 for his contribution to allied theatre arts as a lighting designer.