First Female Personalities in India

First Indian Female	Name
to win an Olympic medal	Karnam Malleswari (Bronze)
Airline Pilot	Durba Banerjee
to go into space	Kalpana Chawla
to climb Mt. Everest	Bachendri Pal
to swim across the English Channel	Arati Saha (also known as Arati Gupta)
Musician to get "Bharat Ratna"	M.S.Subbulakshmi
to win a Gold in Asian Games	Kamaljeet Sandhu
to win the Booker Prize	Arundhati Roy
to win WTA Title	Sania Mirza
to win Nobel Prize	Mother Teresa
to get Jnanpith Award	Ashapurna Devi
to get Ashok Chakra	Nirja Bhanot
President	Mrs. Pratibha Patil
Prime Minister	Mrs. Indira Gandhi
Governor	Sarojini Naidu
Ruler (Delhi's throne)	Razia Sultan
IPS Officer	Kiran Bedi
Chief Minister of a state	Sucheta Kripalani (the State was Uttar Pradesh)
Judge of the Supreme Court	Meera Sahib Fatima Bibi
President at UN General Assembly	Vijayalakshmi Pandit
Union Minister	Rajkumari Amrita Kaur
Miss Universe	Sushmita Sen
Miss World	Reita Faria

Note: There is a difference between First Woman President of Indian National Congress (INC) who is **Annie Besant** and First Indian Woman President of Indian National Congress (INC) who is **Sarojini Naidu.**

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