## BIRTH CENTENARY OF RICHARD FEYNMAN: A TRIBUTE

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2018 was the birth centenary of Richard Feynman, one of the greatest theoretical physicists. He was widely regarded as the most brilliant, influential, and iconoclastic figure in his field in the post-World War II era. He was awarded the Nobel Prize in Physics jointly with Julian Schwinger and Shin'ichiro? Tomonaga in 1965 for his contributions in the field of quantum electrodynamics. His other contributions in physics include the path integral formulation of quantum mechanics, the physics of the superfluidity of supercooled liquid helium, quantum computing, Parton theory, etc.