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More laurels for Rahman

AWARD An honorary
degree for A. R. Rahman

A. R. Rahman has been identified for an Honorary Degree by Middlesex University, London. Joe Victor, Regional Director, Middlesex University, met Rahman, founder principal, and T.Selvakumar, co-founder and CEO, KM Music Conservatory, Chennai, and put forward his University's intention to award an Honorary Doctorate to the maestro, at a graduation ceremony to be held at the University, in July.

The KM Music Conservatory along with Audio Media Education began in July 2008 to train students in Western and Indian music and Music Technology. It aims to help India have its symphony orchestra comprising its own musicians.

The conservatory has initiated a dialogue with the Regional Director South Asia of Middlesex University, London to explore the possibility of developing an Academic Articulation for the Bachelor of Arts Honours Programme for Music Composition and Music Performance.

