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Analyst/Researcher seeking challenging opportunities in the field of India's Foreign Policy/South-East Asia/National Security/Climate Change, with a reputed organisation to improve the domain expertise, and achieve the organisational goals

## **KEY IMPACT AREAS**

- International Cooperation
- Defence Sector
- Event Management
- Conference Presentations
- Strategy Research
- Policy Impact
- Mentorship and Leadership
- Reporting & Documentation
- Technological Integration
- Liaison & Coordination

## **COMPUTER PROFICIENCY**

- Mac Pages, Keynote, iMovie, Google Spreadsheet, Google doc, Microsoft Office 2019: MSExcel, MS Access, MS Word, MS PowerPoint and IoT
- Expertise in Graphic designing and Photos and video editing
- Adobe: Photoshop, Illustrator, Canva, Figma

## LANGUAGE KNOWN

' Hindi, English

## **EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

- M.A. Political Science, School of Open Learning, University of Delhi, Aug 2023
- B.A (H) Political Science, Shyama Prasad Mukherji College, University of Delhi, Nov 2021

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### SatCom Industry Association, New Delhi, India

#### Research Assistant, Feb 2024 - Present

- Research analysis on space domain; writing reports, white papers, policy recommendations
- Handling social media, led interviews for graphic designers and worked as lead at DefSat Conference 2024

#### UNEP, Nairobi, Kenya

## YOUTH DELEGATE - UNEA - 6 | OECPR - 6, Jan 2024 - Mar 2024

- Participated as a youth delegate at the 6th UN Environment Assembly, Open Ended Committee of Permanent Representatives, the Global Youth Environment Assembly
- Intervened for two resolutions as the representative of Children and Youth Major Group
- Coordinated with Indian delegates and had closed door discussion on upcoming conference -UNOC - 3
- Interacted and collaborated with multiple stakeholders including UNEP, IUCN and ministry from Ireland, and Poland

## NATIONAL MARITIME FOUNDATION, New Delhi, India

## Research Intern, Aug 2023 - Jan 2024

- Research
  - Assisted my supervisor, Dr Chime Youdon in data collation for the project "Systemic Risk of Port Ecosystem in India". Also, created a graphic form for the simple understanding
  - 2. Working on the Article "Ecosystem-Based Solutions for Coastal Erosion in India: A Comparative Analysis of the Emerald Tutu Project and Associated Challenges"
  - 3. Presented research on Exploring OLA and the Importance of DOALOS
  - 4. Reviewed the books Scaling India-Japan Cooperation in Indo-Pacific and Beyond 2025: Corridors, Connectivity and Contours, Jagannath P. Panda (ed) & Challenge and Strategy: Rethinking India's Foreign Policy, Rajiv Sikri (ed).
  - Rapperteured for the NMF-Embassy of Japan Workshop on Analysing Response-options of Middle Powers to China's Maritime Power Play within the Indo-Pacific,
  - 6. Analysed the article 'Mainstreaming Marine Spatial Planning In India's Approach To Ocean Governance'
- Participated in the intensive 3-month teaching capsule
- Coordinated in organising
  - the Professional Education Lecture by Dr Sanjeev Ranjan on 09 August 2023,
  - the Second NMF-KAS Symposium on 18 August 2023, the Professional Education Lecture by Capt Anurag Bisen on 13 August 2023,
  - the NMF Workshop on Analysing Response-options of Middle Powers to China's Maritime Power-play within the Indo-Pacific on 1 September 2023, the Fifth NMF-EU Maritime Security Workshop on 21 - 2 September 2023, the Briefing of the Australian NDC by the NMF on 71 October 2023, the NMF Workshop on Countering China's Maritime Grey Zone Operations: Options Offered by Critical and Emerging Technologies on 20 October 2023.
- Coordinating with various ministries in the Government of India and the Indian Navy and armed forces experts for research tasks and projects
- Reviewed the book Jagannath P. Panda (Ed), Scaling India-Japan Cooperation in Indo-Pacific and Beyond 2025: Corridors, Connectivity and Contours, (New Delhi, KW Publishers, 2019).
- Rapporteured during the NMF-KAS Symposium
- Organised Indo-Pacific Regional Dialogue'23 as AV lead, graphic designer and speaker contact
- Undertook creative taskings, including designing the professional sessions' backdrops, curating and editing photographs for the Second NMF-KAS Symposium, capturing images and footage as a photographer for the Fifth India-EU Track 1.5 Maritime Security Workshop, editing IPRD live sessional Videos for YouTube, LinkedIn, Twitter, and Instagram Teasers, IPRD Backdrops, IPRD Banners, IPRD Speaker Templates and designing the IPRD IDs.

#### ORGANISATION EXPERIENCE

#### YOUNGO, Bonn, Germany

## Contact Focal Point and Policy Officer, Apr 2023 - Present

- · Led the Climate Peace and Security working group and work on international cooperation and security
- Work under the Human Rights Working Group and an organizing team member of the UNFCCC COP28 and SB58 of the UN Climate Change Secretariat Side Event under its preview.
- Represented the HR Working Group as a keynote speaker at educational webinars in collaboration with UNA-USA and COP28.
- Interacted with the high-level professionals, ministers, and ambassadors based on the business and operational requirements
- Demonstrated active engagement across diverse teams, fostering a holistic grasp of organizational functions, and actively contributed to optimizing workflows
- Led the members for research and publishing of Global Youth Statements for COP 28
- An active member in other three Working Groups Gender and Women, Climate Peace and Reducing Inequality and International Relations

## **USANAS FOUNDATION, Rajasthan, India**

## Research Associate, June 2023 - Sept 2023

- Analysed political security in depth and wrote three articles and one Issue Brief on climate change, India-Taiwan relations and South Korea's strategy
- Handled social media platforms and interviews during the tenure

## ORGANISATION FOR RESEARCH ON CHINA AND ASIA, New Delhi, India

## Program Coordinator, Jul 2023 - Sept 2023

- Led the planning and execution of the Global Conference on Sinology 2023 ensuring a comprehensive approach and overseeing all elements such as managing the logistics, venue, catering services, scholars' schedules and audiovisual requirements
- Collaborated closely with the conference committee to create an engaging program that offers a diverse range of keynote speakers, panel discussions and roundtables.
- Additionally, secured funding and sponsorships to ensure financial support for the conference's success
- Designed Brochures, Banner and standees and implemented a multi-faceted marketing strategy utilizing various channels like social media platforms, academic networks and strategic partnerships for maximum visibility to reach the audience effectively

On-Site Conference Management;

- During the conference itself, my focus was, to lead the interns and supervise the floor managers. This included dealing with operations and session management activities as well as providing technical support
- Developed and fostered meaningful connections with scholars, institutions and organizations in the area of Sinology
- Encouraged possibilities for joint research projects and academic gatherings

## THEIRWORLD, London, UK

## Global Youth Ambassador, Mar 2023 - Present

Represents Youth among a diverse cohort of Globally selected people to achieve the UN Sustainable Development Goals, primarily SDG4: Inclusive and Equitable Quality Education for All

# **CONFEDERATION OF YOUNG LEADER, New Delhi, India**

#### Policy Research Associate, DEC. 2022 - APR. 2023

- Delivered geopolitical analysis
- Volunteered side events related to Y20
- Head of Podcast and Social Media Team
- Executed conferences at Confederation of Young Leaders, NewDelhi
- Actively worked as a member of the event management team, communication team and research team

# NATIONAL CADET CORPS, New Delhi, India

## Junior Under Officer, June 2018 - July 2021

- Rewarded as Best Cadet at SPMC (W) and Organised events related to NCC
- Content Creator for Instagram Account and Social Media Handling
- Digital Posters and Banners Designing
- Collection of Funds for College NCC Society through Sponsorship
- Data Entry for Nominal Roll, Refreshment bills, Attendance Sheets and other paperwork
- Rewarded as the best speaker and Youth Programme meetups with International Cadets
- Participation in Rifle Shooting, Obstacle Training, Voluntary Services and as Speaker
- Functioned as the International Relations/Strategic Affairs Professional involved in organising the Y20 Conference in 2023
- Took recruitment interviews for 300+ NCC cadets, and Volunteer students at She Rises (An NGO) in catering to the recruitment

## **CERTIFICATIONS**

- Received a certificate of appreciation from Google Digital Garage for the Fundamental Of Digital Marketing and from Gandhi Course,
- Journalism course certified from IIM Bangalore

#### PAPER PRESENTATIONS/CONFERENCES

- Presented Research Papers on:
  - 'The Age of AI: Robotics'
  - 'India-EU and Globalisation' at the STEAR 2023 Annual Conference
  - 'Reducing Plastic Waste: Innovative Solutions for a Sustainable Future' at UNEP Summit
  - 'Global Crisis: Water'
  - 'ASEAN's Reticence towards the QUAD: Challenges and Opportunities' at The Rīga Conference 2023
- Participated as a Delegate at the Regional Conference of Youth-Asia and the Pacific 2023
- Participated in UNEP committee on Plastics Treaty virtually
- Evolving and historical relations of India and China(India's Foreign Policy) Researched India's relationship with China and their growing ties
- Executed Workshop on 'Parliamentary Democracy and Cybercrime' at the University of Delhi (12-15 November 2020)
- Represented paper and team YOUNGO at the 18th UN Climate Change Conference of Youth 18(COY18)
- Led side events of Y20 and participated as a speaker once
- Organised and led the team SheRises at "Unveiling the Legal Literacy Odyssey" Conclave
- Participated in the Youth Parliament organised by the Department of Political Science, Delhi University, 2019.
- Hosted annual Conference with Chief Guest Former President Pranab Mukherji at 50 years celebration of college

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Published Article in Usanas Foundation titled
  - 'In the Battle against Climate Change, Ignorance is not Bliss; it's the Storm before
  - the Storm'
  - Wetlands: Threats and Opportunities for Food Security and National Stability'
  - 'Redefining India-Taiwan Relations: Opportunities Amidst Geopolitical Flux'
  - 'Strategies Nexus: South Korea's Holistic Paradigm for Security in the Indo-Pacific and its Implication on India' (Issue Brief)
- Published Article in Bharat First NewsLetter titled 'HONOURS: ROAD FROM UNSUNG JANTA HEROS TO PADMA HEROS'
- Published Article in The Diplomat titled 'Quad Challenges and Opportunities'

#### **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

- Organising COP 28 side events on behalf of YOUNGO Human Rights Working Groups and publishing Global Youth Statements on issues
- Operate and host my podcast @ArthatPodcast
- Organised and hosted a seminar by Lt Col. Gurprit Singh on NCC as a career link
- Hosted an online interview on 'Israel-Palestine conflict' on the podcast with Nina Slama and Ido Levy as Guest Speakers

## **AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Panel Speaker at UNEP Summit, Republic Cote d'ivoire 2023
- Keynote Speaker at COP 28 side event on 'Inclusion & Human Rights in a Modern Age Complex Society
- Speaker at Capacity building webinar on Human rights in the Education Field and COP 28 by UNA-USA
- Interviewed at Al-Qahera TV News Channel twice
- Featured in Podcast of JVR Culture of the Internet
- Instagram Live Speaker at The Mai Foundation, Jakarta, Indonesia on Gender Inclusivity in Social Domain
- Author सakshya, Up Above The World So High
- Rank holder in National Poetry Competition of more than 1000+ participants
- Rewarded as Youth Delegate at the Embassy of Chile, India
- Rewarded with 21st century Emily Dickson Award for Poetry Book title सakshya
- Executive Political Science Department, Shyama Prasad Mukherji College 2019 2020
- Rewarded for an innovative idea at a cybersecurity seminar, Delhi Police Department, New Delhi
- Badminton player at inter-school level

# **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

- Volunteered to work for UN1FY (official youth constituency of the Water and Climate Coalition) which aims to steer global projects so
  that young people can take part in the WCC process in a meaningful way.
- Volunteered as an Online Tutor at JUGNU (A Non-Profit Organisation based in India) to build an inclusive, socially cohesive society
  in India by engaging divided communities in collective action in education towards the advancement of a sustainable, thriving Indian
  democracy based on mutual responsibility, civic equality, and a shared vision of the future
- Volunteered for Y20 side events organised by Y20-G20.
- Led a fact-finding mission to various parts of the country, evaluating the effectiveness of climate change activities; findings informed crucial decision-making processes for UN forces and contributed to the development of targeted interventions.