



# KAVINDU GIHAN

CULINARY PROFESSIONAL

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## JOB EXPERIENCE

### Chef de Partie (Station Chef)

JULY 2022 - PRESENT

Ganesh Indian Restaurant | Saint Petersburg, Russia

- Execute authentic Indian and Sri Lankan cuisine preparation in high-volume restaurant environment
- Specialize in traditional Sri Lankan dishes, bringing native cultural knowledge to menu execution
- Master traditional Indian cooking techniques, spice blending, and regional recipe variations
- Collaborate with international kitchen team in fast-paced service operations
- Ensure compliance with Russian food safety standards and quality control
- Manage station responsibilities including prep, cooking, and presentation
- Adapt recipes to meet diverse customer preferences and dietary requirements

### Chef de Partie (Station Chef)

JULY 2019 - JULY 2022

Rubai Restaurant | Saint Petersburg, Russia

- Progressed from Commis to Cook through demonstrated skill and reliability
- Prepared European and Russian fusion cuisine in upscale dining establishment
- Executed high-quality dishes in prestigious restaurant on Fontanka River Embankment
- Managed multiple stations and supervised junior kitchen staff
- Implemented portion control and minimized food waste
- Maintained immaculate work area and kitchen hygiene standards

### Commis Chef (Junior Cook)

JULY 2018 - JULY 2019

Rubai Restaurant | Saint Petersburg, Russia

- Began professional culinary career immediately after graduating from London Hotel School
- Assisted senior chefs in food preparation and cooking operations
- Learned kitchen workflow and professional standards in upscale restaurant setting
- Developed fundamental skills in European cuisine and presentation
- Maintained food safety protocols and kitchen cleanliness

### DJ Artist & Music Producer

DECEMBER 2012 - PRESENT

DJ Leon Jay | Sri Lanka & International

- Professional DJ and music producer with established online presence and following
- Demonstrated creativity, technical proficiency, and entertainment skills
- Managed bookings, client relationships, and event coordination
- Showcases discipline, time management, and ability to perform under pressure
- Developed strong personal brand across multiple digital platforms

## SKILLS

### INTERNATIONAL CUISINE MASTERY

Specialized in European fine dining, Indian, and Sri Lankan traditional cooking with Italian cookery certification. Proven ability to execute diverse menu styles.

### KITCHEN OPERATIONS

6+ years managing high-volume restaurant stations in Russia. Expert in food safety, quality control, inventory management, and team coordination.

### CULTURAL ADAPTABILITY

Successfully worked 6+ years in Russian Federation. Thrives in multicultural teams and adapts seamlessly to international work environments.

### PROVEN TRACK RECORD

Advanced from Commis to Cook, showing loyalty and high performance in prestigious, long-term roles.

## HOBBIES

SPORTS

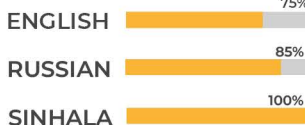
READING BOOKS

MUSIC PRODUCTION & DJING

FOOD PHOTOGRAPHY

TRAVELING

## LANGUAGES



## EDUCATION

### Professional Culinary Education

London Hotel School

#### Diploma in Hotel Management

Certificate #30694 | Reference: LCHS33919

#### Specialized Culinary Certificates:

Food Carving	- Grade A+
Tourism	- Grade A
Food & Beverage Service	- Grade B
International Cookery	- Grade C
Italian Cookery	- Grade C
Pastry & Bakery	- Grade C
Cake Making	- Grade C
Front Office Management	- Grade C
Housekeeping	- Grade C

(A+: 100-85 | A: 84-75 | B: 74-65 | C: 64-50)

### Secondary Education

Anura Central College - Yakkala, Sri Lanka

G.C.E. Ordinary Level (Sri Lankan) - 2012

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

#### Full name:

Kavindu Pramodya Gihan Mallawaarachchi

#### Date of Birth:

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