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OBJECTIVE

To pursue a challenging career and to be part of progressive organization that gives scope to enhance my knowledge and utilize my skills towards the growth of organization.



EDUCATION

Manipal Institute of Technology, School of Eminence | Manipal, India *Master's in technology*, Industrial Biotechnology, (July 2019 – July 2021) GPA- **8.83**

G M Institute of Technology | Davanagere, India *Bachelor's in engineering,* Biotechnology Engineering, July-2018 Percentage- **71.23**

Kirloskar Independent PU College | Harihar, India *Pre-university college*, May 2014 Percentage-**75.16**

Mysore Kirloskar CBSE School | Harihar, India Secondary school, May-2012 CGPA-8.6



EXPERIENCE

Research Associate, Dept. R&D | Gaiagen Technologies Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru JULY 2021 – APRIL 2022

Responsible for the artificial cultivation of 12 different organism. Planning and execution of protocols as per requirement in specified time. Documentation of experimental results

Research Intern, Dept. R&D | Gaiagen Technologies Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru

AUGUST 2020 - JUNE 2021

Project and working experience on different Plating, Extraction and Fermenting techniques along with other Microbiology Lab Techniques.

Process Intern, Dept. of Process and Technology | KMF, Davangere

AUGUST 2020 - SEPTEMBER 2020

Working experience with Dairy plant operations, processing and quality control.

Teaching Assistant, Dept. of Biotechnology | MIT, Manipal

2019 - 2020

Project on "Isolation and Screening of fungus producing inulin from compost." Funded by VGST, Govt. of Karnataka.

Lab Associate, QA/QC | Synthite Industries Pvt Ltd Harihar

MAY 2019 – JULY 2019

Working experience with **Gas Chromatography** and **HPLC.** Knowledge on QA laws and certificates, different downstream processes.

Intern, Processing | PSK Pharma Pvt Ltd, Harihar, Karnataka

JULY 2016

Knowledge on the extraction, **Reactor operation and Control**, process flow and control.

PROJECTS

 Biosorption of heavy metals and bio diesel production from microalgae using industrial waste water.

Sponsored and funded by Karnataka State Council of Science and Technology, Indian Institute of science, Bengaluru.

• Natural microbial safety of baked food-Review

Central Food Technological Research Institute, Mysore. From **CSIR Summer Research Training Program**.

• Low-cost cultivation technology development for medicinally important mushrooms.

Bio-control Research Laboratory, Gaiagen technologies Pvt Ltd, Bengaluru.



SKILLS

- HPLC and GC/MS
- Gene cloning and RT-PCR
- Basics of R Programming
- Protein purification
- Isolation of DNA and extraction

- Upstream process & scale-up
- Accurate even under pressure
- ELISA, SDS-PAGE
- Culture isolation and purification Techniques
- Flow cytometer



ACHIEVEMENTS AND CERTIFICATIONS

- Holder of NCC A, B and C certificates.
- Underwent Entrepreneurship Development Program (EDP) conducted
 by MSME development Institute, Bengaluru.
- Completed junior grade certificate in Carnatic music and classical dance (Bharatanatyam), State Govt. of Karnataka.
- Gave a radio show and many dance performances.
- Completed a course on Lactation Biology from University of Illinois.
- Completed a course on Algae Biotechnology from University of Emory.
- Represented Departmental Forum 'GENELIX' for three academic years in GMIT.

I hereby declare that the above given information is true to the best of my knowledge

REFERENCE

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