

# Sagnik Maitra

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## SUMMARY

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B.A. Journalism and English student at Christ University with hands-on experience in reporting, content writing, and media research. I have contributed stories to **The Hindu** and worked on topics ranging from political discourse and media law to cinema, gender and social media language.

## EDUCATION

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Degree/Certificate	Institute/Board	CGPA/Percentage	Year
Bachelors of Arts	Christ University, Bangalore	3.24/4 (Current)	2023-Present
Senior Secondary(CBSE)	Bethany Mission School, West Bengal	80.02%	2020-2022
Secondary(CBSE)	Atreyee DAV Public School, West Bengal	78.02%	2019-2020

## EXPERIENCE

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- **The Hindu – Editorial & Reporting**

[Link](#)

I had the opportunity to sharpen my journalistic instincts and reporting skills in a real-world newsroom environment. I contributed across various editorial verticals, covering on-ground events, conducting interviews, and writing human-interest and feature stories that were published in both print and digital formats.

- **News Trail – City Journalist**

[Link](#)

Covered local news, civic issues, and events across Bangalore. Conducted field reporting, interviews, and research. Wrote and edited articles on deadline, adhering to editorial standards.

- **PMN Patralok – Journalist**

[Link](#)

Researched industry trends to support editorial planning. Produced timely, audience-focused news bulletins with engaging headlines. Assisted in content planning and ensured prompt delivery of updates.

## PROJECTS

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- **Vox Populi Video Project – Voices of the Street**

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Captured public opinion on contemporary issues through on-the-spot interviews and dynamic video editing using Clipchamp. Developed spontaneous interviewing, real-time storytelling, and audience engagement through relatable narratives.

- **The Press Project – Reporter**

[Link](#)

Contributed as a reporter to \*The Press Project\*, a department-led magazine initiative. Covered diverse stories, conducted interviews, and crafted news pieces while maintaining journalistic standards.

## CERTIFICATIONS

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- **The Partition of India and Cinema:** Received the [NPTEL certificate](#) for successfully completing the course The Partition of India and Cinema.

- **English for Journalism:** Earned the [Coursera certificate](#) for successfully completing the English for Journalism course.

## SKILLS

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- **Technical:** Excel, Teams, PowerPoint, Word, Video Editing, Canva

- **Non-Technical:** Adaptability, Problem Solving, Creativity, Leadership, Organization, Presentation

- **Languages Known:** English, Hindi, Bengali

## POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

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- **NGO Experience at MRC, Stories of Change**

Collaborated with Migrant Resilience Collaborative (MRC) to document impactful social initiatives, capturing real-life stories of community transformation. Learned to approach sensitive narratives with empathy and authenticity while effectively conveying social issues to inspire change.

## EXTRACURRICULARS

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- **Workshops,** Attended multiple workshops related to journalism.

- **Theatre Team,** Currently a part of the Pan University Theatre Team.