



I, Mr. Sunish Sharma, am the Co-CEO and Managing Partner of Kedaara Capital. I co-founded the firm in 2012. The firm's investors include endowments, private and public pension funds, sovereign wealth funds and global family offices. Kedaara advises / manages USD 3.9 bn AUM and partners with strong entrepreneurs and management teams to build enduring value in growth-oriented businesses, and supports them to achieve higher levels of performance.

Rohaan Bhojwani and my son Sidhant Sharma are close friends. They both are very interested in the capital markets and I mentored them through 2019 to help them understand the markets and how to evaluate companies. I decided to mentor Rohaan seeing not only his keen interest, but the focus and effort he was putting in to understand the capital markets at a very young age. Through this period, I was thoroughly impressed with Rohaan's perseverance and dedication, and ability to grasp the subject.

During this period Rohaan understood how to analyse companies, assess the non-financial aspects to look at as well, and most importantly differentiate what it takes to identify potential winners. He used his savings to actually invest in 2 companies after in-depth analysis of the banking sector in India and the key players in the sector (Large and mid-sized both) – this was his first attempt at investing, and I must say he picked 2 very good winners (ICICI Bank and CUB Bank).

After his mentorship he has continued to demonstrate his keen interest in the area - He started an investment club at school which I understand is a first at the American School of Bombay, he did an independent research paper on business and economics which has been very well received, and from what he has been telling me the money he invested during our sessions he will be leaving for the Akanksha school kids to continue paying for music lessons. Given he picked strong winners, the money has grown from the initial investment and will influence the lives of several kids today, which makes me very proud.

Even today, we have sessions to discuss what new areas he has been looking at to invest, and I have continued to be very impressed with his focus, quality of research and willingness to learn. I wish him all the best and completely endorse his application to your institute.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sunish", followed by a long, sweeping horizontal line.

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