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**Career Objective**

I am Creative, high-energy individual seeking a Position as a Photographer within a reputed Organization where I can use my creative and technical skills and experience for companies profitability.

**Technical Skills**

* Operating DSLR Cameras, Lenses and Studio Setups
* Use of Filters and Reflectors to cut shadows and reflections
* Creativity and a good eye for shape, form and colors
* Concept base and technical Photography skills
* Excellent communication and people skills
* Reliable, good organizational and time management skills
* Photography Editing and Retouching
* Coordination with Clients and other team members

**Work Experience**

May 2015 – Present

Crystal Clicks (Proprietor/Photographer)

Portfolio – [www.crystalclicks.in](http://www.crystalclicks.in)

* Photography Services in the Industrial, Commercial, Events, Fashion, Jewelry, Garment, Social Media, Government Events.
* Camera, Lights, Backgrounds, and Location Settings as per requirements.
* Use of Studio Setup, Filters, and Reflectors for the Assignments.
* Product Photography for Marketing collaterals and E-commerce
* Coordination with Clients, Models, Designers, Makeup Artist.
* Preparing Portfolios for Corporates, Fashion, and Kids.
* Creative and Concept base Product shoots and Catalog shoots.
* Photography Editing using various Softwares.
* Wildlife, Nature, Places, Culture, Street Photography for Selling and Exhibitions.
* Wildlife & Nature - <http://yourshot.nationalgeographic.com/profile/5469/>

March 2012 – April 2015

Freelance Photographer

* Commercial and Wedding Photography services
* Operating Camera and Lenses as per requirement.
* Coordination with Clients and other Photographers.
* Wildlife, Nature, Places, Culture, Street Photography for Exhibitions and sell.
* Outdoor Photography in Different fields and locations
* Government Events photography.

December 2010 – December 2011

Pacific Architect & Engineers, A Lockheed Martin – Djibouti (East Africa)

Wireless Specialist.

**Education**

2006 - 2009

Bachelor of Information Technology,

Charles Sturt University, Sydney - AUS.

2001 - 2005

Diploma in Information Technology,

Nirma Institute of Diploma Studies, Ahmedabad - IND.

2000 - 2001

Higher Secondary Education (Science),

Gujarat Higher Secondary Board, Ahmedabad - IND.

**Photography Certificates**

Level 3 – Fashion / Event Photography

Institute for Photography Excellence

Date: December 30th 2017

Introduction to Photography

Institute for Photography Excellence

Date: May 31st 2015

**Awards**

Certificate of Participation

Gujarat Ecology Commission Government of Gujarat

VAN KI BAAT: A PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION – 2016

Critic’s Choice Award – Winner

Tumbhi Photography Contest

19th June 2015 – 05 October 2015

Certificate of Excellence – Winner

Clickotsav 2014 – a state level photography exhibition

Certificate of Appreciation

Ildc IndiaNIC Initiative

Kite Festival – Online Photo Contest – 2014

Certificate of Excellence

Gujarat Samachar

Digital Gujarat Photography Competition – 2013

Certificate of Participation

Sandesh Kaleidoscope

KALLEIDOSCOPE – A Photography Competition cum Exhibition – 2012

**Exhibitions**

Ahmedabad Unique Group Show of Photography & Embro Painting

Date: 7 to 9 November 2014

Place: Ravisankar Raval Art Gallery - Ahmedabad

**Tools**

Canon 5D Mark iii, Canon 7D Mark ii, Various Lenses, Tripods, Filters, Reflectors,

Elinchrom Studiolights, Software: Photoshop, Digital Photo Professional.

**Strengths**

Creative Ideas, Communication Skills, Self-motivated, Hardworking, Comfortable

working alone or with team

**References**

VIKRANT GHULATI RASIK CHAVDA

Fortune Sports - General Manager (Client) Harshvijayexim – General Manager (Client)

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