

# Prathamesh Wakde

Product Manager | Product Engineer | Founder's Office

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## Professional Summary

Product-focused innovator with expertise in building AI-driven solutions that address business challenges. Experience leading teams, engaging with clients, and driving product strategy from ideation to launch. Combines technical knowledge with business acumen to translate market needs into scalable products with measurable impact.

## Core Competencies

- **Product:** Market Research, Product Strategy, MVP Development, User Journey Mapping
- **Leadership:** Team Management, Client Relations, Stakeholder Communication
- **Technical:** AI/ML Integration, React/Node Stack, Data Analysis, Python
- **AI & Data:** RAG Systems, LangChain, Vector DBs, LLM Integration
- **Business:** Requirements Gathering, Competitive Analysis, GTM Planning
- **Tools:** Agile/Scrum, JIRA, Git, Figma, Power BI, SQL

## Professional Experience

### Cognizant Technology Solutions, Pune

Gen AI & BI Product Intern

Jun 2024 – Aug 2024

- Led product development for a RAG-based AI solution, managing a 5-member team and reducing manual analysis by 70%
- Conducted client discovery sessions to identify pain points and translate business requirements into technical specs
- Designed data visualization dashboards and improved processing efficiency by 40% through strategic automation
- Presented product demos to senior management, securing approval for pilot implementation

### PHN Technologies Pvt. Ltd. (Remote)

Web Development Intern

Apr 2023 – Jun 2023

- Collaborated with design and product teams to implement user-centric interfaces and optimize experience
- Participated in agile development cycles to ensure alignment with product goals and timelines

## Product Leadership & Projects

### AyurMarg — Personalized Ayurvedic Health Assistant

Product Owner & Team Lead

- Led end-to-end product development from concept validation to MVP launch, defining vision and roadmap
- Conducted user research to identify market gaps and implemented RAG-based AI architecture (LangChain, FAISS)
- Optimized user experience through iterative testing, improving engagement metrics and retention

### Kalpataru — AI-Based Automatic Website Generator

Product Lead & Technical Architect

- Conceptualized an innovative product to disrupt website creation using AI (Gemini API) and real-time collaboration
- Created product specifications, user stories, and conducted usability testing to refine features
- Implemented Socket.IO for real-time preview functionality, enhancing the collaborative editing experience

### MillionaireMentality — Educational Startup

Co-Founder & Product Strategist

- Built product strategy for educational content platform, generating 50,000+ revenue
- Managed customer journey from acquisition to retention, implementing data-driven feedback loops
- Created pitch decks and marketing materials, leading digital campaigns across multiple platforms

## Education

### B.Tech in Computer Engineering

2021 – 2025

Pimpri Chinchwad College of Engineering, Pune

CGPA: 7.2/10

## Leadership & Achievements

- **Startup Ecosystem:** Active in eChai Ventures, Pune Angel Network, and Startup Maharashtra
- **Head, Writing & Poetry Club:** Grew membership by 245% through strategic event planning
- **Public Speaking:** Conducted workshops on product development for engineering students
- **Hackathon Success:** 1st Runner-Up Cognizant Techno-verse Hackathon 2023
- **Global Rank 697:** TCS CodeVita competition, demonstrating analytical problem-solving
- **Certifications:** Meta Front-End Development, Meta JavaScript, Celebal Data Science