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ABOUT

I am a high school graduate from a small industrial town in India, currently on a gap year before college. Technology, design, and literature are my three major interests. My portfolio can be found at ARN[AVRA](#)MAN.

SKILLS & FIELDS OF INTEREST

Programming in C++, HTML, Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator, Figma, GIMP, Virtualization, UI/UX design, Game Development in Unity, Networking, Augmented Reality, and mastering racing games :)

EDUCATION

Delhi Public School, Bokaro — *K-12 School*

APRIL 2008 - JULY 2020, BOKARO

Graduated as a student of Computer Science with 96% in the subject, winning the **George Boole Gold Medal for Best Student in Computer Studies**. In standards 9 through 12:

➔ Leader of the school's *Literary Team*
➔ *Cryptic Crossword* Team Leader
➔ **Prefect** and subsequently **Captain** of Jamuna House
➔ *English Editor* for the School Yearbook
➔ Leader of the school's *Wiz-Com* tech team
➔ Member of the *Marching Band*
➔ **Academic Scholar**
➔ Won the Inter-House Spell Bee for *three years* straight and numerous other inter-house wins
➔ Recipient of the **Merit Card for exceptional contribution to the school community**

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

INTERNATIONAL:

★ My game 'Shoot The Ball 2' was shortlisted for the **Global Mobile App Summit and Awards**, Bangalore 2017 ([Shoot The Ball 2 - GMASA](#))

- ★ Received an award from Amazon for publishing 'Shoot the Ball 2' on the **Amazon Appstore** (https://www.amazon.com/Arnav-Raman-Shoot-The-Ball/dp/B06XDTDLYX/)
- ★ Invited to the **Microsoft Tech Summit** held in Bangalore in March 2017 (techsummit.png)
- ★ Won an award for contributing to open-source software under **Google Code-In** 2017 (Google Code-In with FOSSASIA 2017/18)
- ★ Received awards for **building voice skills** for Amazon Alexa, for both en_US and en_IN locales (https://www.amazon.com/Arnav-Raman-Chess-Titans/dp/B07JP85ZY1/, https://www.amazon.in/Arnav-Raman-Cheesy-Chess/dp/B07PZ5K8TW/)
- ★ Received an invitation to join the invite-only **Amazon Developer Huddle**, which asks for the invited developers' input and opinion on the next Amazon technology (https://devhuddle.amazon.com/, devhuddle.png)
- ★ **International Rank 55 (2016)**, 106 (2017), 607 (2018), 157 (2019) in the International English Olympiad conducted by Sofworld
- ★ **International Rank 43 (2017)**, 108 (2018) in the (ironically) National Cyber Olympiad conducted by Sofworld
- ★ **Certificate of Honour** awarded by the **Embassy of the Republic of Korea** for the All-India 6th Korea-India Friendship Essay Competition 2018

NATIONAL:

- ★ Represented the school at the **Inter-School German Language Festival** "Namaste Deutschland", organized by **Goethe Institut** – Max Mueller Bhavan, New Delhi
- ★ Quarter-Finalist (2017) and semi-finalist (2018 and 2019) in the **National Grand Finale** of Cryptic Crossword Contest (CCCC) organized by Extra-C (Cryptic Singh Indian Crossword League)
- ★ Won the following at Confluences 2017, a **National Inter-School Literary Meet** (DPS, Bokaro won first prize in Confluence-2017 – A National School Event at St. Michael's School, Siliguri)
  - ○ **Winner** – Critical Text Analysis
  - ○ **Best Debate** Bridge
  - ○ **Runner-Up**, Spell Bee Competition
- ★ **Champion** – Art Installation in **Jim Corbett-Pandit G.B.Pant Memorial Young Ideators' Conclave**, held at Birla Vidya Mandir, Nainital
- ★ Won a national writing contest and had my poem selected to be published in an anthology **"100 Best Poems"** (https://www.amazon.in/100-best-poems-Various-authors/dp/9388601203/)

REGIONAL:

- ★ **Winner**, "UDAAN 2016" – All Jharkhand (State) IT Talent Search, organized by Department of IT and e-Governance, **Government of Jharkhand**

- ★ **Won** the Bokaro City Round twice (2017 and 2018) and Jamshedpur City Round (2019) of Cryptic Crossword Contest (CCCC) ([DPS Bokaro wins National Safety Science Quiz, CBSE Cryptic Crossword Contest](#))
- ★ Runner-up in the Presentation competition organized on World Tobacco Day about smoking statistics and related health hazards by Dr. Radhakrishnan Sahodaya School Complex
- ★ **Zonal Rank** 7 (2016), 10 (2017), 8 (2018), **3 (2019)** in the International English Olympiad conducted by Sofworld
- ★ **Zonal Rank** 9 (2016), **1 (2017),** 14 (2018) in the National Cyber Olympiad conducted by Sofworld

WORK

➔ **Graphic Design Intern** at *OXA Fleet (https://www.oxafleet.com/)*

SEPTEMBER 1, 2020 – SEPTEMBER 18, 2020

Designed a series of 30 graphics to be used as social media posts, highlighting in creative ways the USPs of the transportation start-up. The designs can be seen [here](#). Also redesigned the website UI.

VOLUNTEERING

➔ **Volunteer overlooking Design** at *Indus Action (https://www.indusaction.org/)*

OCTOBER 06, 2020 – Currently involved

Represent data and statistics of the work performed by the organization in the form of engaging graphics. The NGO helps the poor get their rights and I really appreciate what they do. I love playing a part in helping those in need.

➔ **Tutoring international students for the SAT**

Currently involved

A group of 20 high scorers on the SAT from around the world came together to help 200 students internationally boost their scores in the test. Countries like Kazakhstan, Russia, Turkey, India, etc. are involved.