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Examination	University	Institute	Year	CPI / %
Graduation	IIT Bombay	IIT Bombay	2026).

Pursuing a minor degree in Artificial Intelligence and Data Science at C-MInDS, IIT Bombay SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS

- Secured an All India Rank of 1073 in JEE-Advanced | Achieved 99.85 percentile in JEE mains [22]
- Awarded KVPY fellowship by DST, GOI after securing an All India Rank of 1062 in KVPY(SX) [22]

Professional Experience

FitFire | Strategy Consultant | ShARE Startup Project

[Feb'24 - Apr'24]

Healthy Snacking Startup | Tasked with improving Product Portfolio and providing a Retail Strategy

- Crafted an extensive report on Foxnuts, covering 10+ critical themes to support market entry decisions
- Drafted a retail strategy after 150+ customer interviews, 3 retailer consultations & studying 5 competitors
- Assessed over 30 products in the Indian and 3 international markets to improve the product portfolio

NoQs Digital | Data Analyst Intern

 $[\mathrm{Dec'23} - \mathrm{Jan'24}]$

Awarded an Outstanding Performance Award and a Letter of Recommendation by the CEO

- Curated dynamic dashboards with 30+ features to track task distribution & attendance for 100+ employees
- Integrated dynamic charts, pivot tables, and scoreboards in dashboards improving project management

Position of Responsibility

Vice President | Media & Research | ShARE, IIT Bombay

[Apr'24 - Present]

Future Leaders Program with more than 2700 students from over 130 top universities across 50 countries

- Leading a team of 45+ student consultants, conducting 40+ upskilling sessions & managing startup projects
- \bullet Executed a sponsored institute-wide Case-Challenge | Prize pool worth INR 1.5L+ | 400 + participants
- Projecting 60% y-o-y increase in online outreach; Leading a Research Team to enhance media campaigns

Mechanical Subdivision Head | AUV-IITB, IIT Bombay

[Apr'24 - Present]

A team developing Autonomous Underwater Vehicles and representing India at International Competitions Accolades: Among Top 6 finalists out of 35+ teams, 40+ vehicles representing 14+ nations at RoboSub, 2023

- Leading 12-member team to develop an AUV with 20% improved power efficiency, 30% space optimization
- Saved costs by 97% by fabricating an underwater connector for high-speed data transfer at one Gbps

Department Academic Mentor | Student Mentorship Program, IIT Bombay

[Jun'24 - Present]

Handpicked as a part of a 43 member team through rigorous interviews and peer reviews out of 150+ applicants

- Mentoring 6 sophomores in their academic and co-curricular pursuits, providing counsel for personal issues
- Ideating and conducting events to promote research & core opportunities for 200+ department students

KEY PROJECTS

Damage Analysis of a Jet Engine | Research Project | Prof. A. Alankar

[Jun'24 - Present]

- Developed simulations for a jet turbine to predict **deformations** v/s **RPM**, validated by **3** research papers
- Identified the high damage causing RPMs for a jet engine using Campbell Diagram and Modal Analysis

Effects of Interest Hikes on Asset Classes | Finsearch | Finance Club, IITB

[Jun'24 - Present

- Assessed 10+ RBI interest hikes to evaluate impact on 3+ macroeconomic indicators & financial instruments
- Developing a framework to examine the relation between rate hikes & market movements using econometrics

Extra-Curricular Activities

Karate	 Awarded first dan Black Belt in Shotokan Karate after 1000+ hours of intense training Won Gold at district level and Bronze at state level; participated in 10+ tournaments 	
Competitions	 Among top 5 in inter-ShARE Group Discussion involving 90+ students & 3 colleges Rewarded for making the best Strategic Presentation in my network group at ShARE Top 24 among 70 teams in a course project; built a line-following vacuum cleaner 	
Misc.	 Finished an intensive year-long training program at the National Cadet Corps (NCC Undertook month long theatre training and performed in several plays and mime act Studied French for 5 years; scored a perfect 100 in the Class 10 French CBSE Exam Mentor at Abhyuday; mentored 8 students all over India to implement social drives 	