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Examination	University	Institute	Year CPI / %
Graduation	IIT Bombay	IIT Bombay	2025

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

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS

- Holding Department Rank 2 in the Department of Economics | Scored a perfect 10 SPI in Semester 4 ('23)
- Awarded letters of excellence (AP-equivalent) for exemplary performance in Statistics & Microeconomics ('23)
- Received the KVPY fellowship awarded by Government of India securing 99.85 percentile in 1.5L candidates ('21)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE .

SeaLink Capital Partners | Private Equity Intern

(Jan '23 - Jun '23)

Mid-market PE founded by Ex-Bain & KKR | Received a summer '23 internship offer after an initial in-sem stint

- Assisted in building the **investment thesis** (IC memo) for the potential **buyout** of a US-India GovTech company
- Identified 100+ potential CEOs for the target firm using 5+ metrics and analysed company financial statements
- Built a deal sourcing pipeline with 1.2k+ firms through primary (bankers, professionals) & secondary research

Indian School of Business (ISB) | Data Science Research Intern

Dec '2

Worked on the 'India Data Portal' under Prof. Ashwini Chhatre, Executive Director, Bharti Institute of Public Policy

- Created datasets to help 1k+ journalists study India's voting behavior under a Bill-Melinda Gates funded project
- Converted 15 years of unusable voting data to a machine-readable form using optical character recognition (ML)

Kapture CX | CEO's Office: Sales Intern

(Jul '23)

 $Hypergrowth,\ bootstrapped\ startup\ that\ automates\ customer\ support\ for\ consumer\ facing\ firms:\ Unilever,\ Meesho,\ etc.$

- Presented a **report** to the **CEO** on the feasibility of entering Philippine's CRM market based on economic factors
- Conducted thorough market research & competitor analysis for 3 focus industries in South East Asia & Gulf

ENTREPRENEURSHIP & INTERNATIONAL EXPOSURE _

Vibe Basket | Entrepreneurship Project

(Mar '23 - Present)

- One of five teams selected for Level 2 of the 'IDEAS' pre-incubation program at DSSE, IITB | Grant offered: 2L
- Leading a team of 6 high school students to build an AI chat-bot that streamlines the planning of group outings
- $\bullet \ \ {\rm Executing\ a\ GTM\ strategy\ to\ on\ -board\ 100+\ initial\ customers\ |\ Surveyed\ 400+\ to\ validate\ the\ problem-solution\ fit}$

Tsinghua University, China | International Conference & Summer Program

(Jul '2:

- ullet Sole Indian student selected to attend the prestigious Asian University Alliance conference, a cohort of 15 nations
- Ranked 1st internationally for presenting a report on the negative impact of emerging pollutants on mangroves

POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITIES

Manager, Policies & Projects | Sustainability Cell

(Jul '23 - Present)

- Will lead a team of 8 to promote institute-wide sustainability through 25+ technical, policy & behavioural changes
- Compiling IIT-B's first-ever sustainability report by measuring & reporting impact across the 17 UN SDGs
- Launching the first 'Green Cup' (part of the GC) to incentivise behavioural change and judicious resource use

Department Academic Mentor | Student Mentorship Program

(Jun '23 - Pres

- One of six third year students in the department to be selected as a mentor after a rigorous screening procedure
- Responsible for providing academic and general **counsel** to a group of **6 sophomores** through their second year **Institute Academic Coordinator** | Career Cell, Undergraduate Academic Council (Mar '22 Mar '23)
- Selected among 12 out of 200+ applicants and addressed the academic queries of 5000+ undergraduate students
- Co-authored the 1st Internship Guide with company-wise information from 120+ seniors to guide 1400+ students

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES _

Sports	 Placed 1st at Football State Levels & then represented Karnataka in the ICSE Football Nationals Captained the School Football Team Won 30+ intra and inter state tournaments over 7+ years Kuki-Won Level-1 Black Belt in Taekwondo, a South Korean certificate after 6 years of training 		
Contests	 Ranked 2nd in Deutsche Bank's Manch 6.0 project for assessing the impact of ESG on valuation Ranked 3rd out of 150+ participants in Consult Club's product management case competition 		
Author	 Published a book 'The Story of my JEEvan' on Amazon Kindle about my JEE preparations Published 'Football 101: A Positional Analysis' after authoring 75+ articles on its technicalities Hosted a long-form podcast covering sports, science & philosophy with 15+ episodes & 65k+ views 		
Social	 Launched a personal initiative 'My Stray Friends' to feed, vaccinate and medicate 20+ stray dogs Served as an animal caretaker at a pet shelter, providing for the daily needs of 60+ animals 		
Music	 Cleared the London Rockschool's Grade 3 Electric Guitar examination with high distinction Passed London Trinity's Grade 1 Electric Keyboard examination with high distinction & merit 		