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Examination	University	Institute	Year CPI / %
Graduation	IIT Bombay	IIT Bombay	2023

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

#### **ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS**

- Currently holding Department Rank 2 in the Institute's four-year undergraduate Economics programme ['21]
- Awarded Kishor Vaigyanik Protsahan Yojana (KVPY) scholarship for standing in top 0.5% among 0.1 million candidates ['19]
- Secured 99.27 percentile in JEE Advanced (0.24M applicants) and 99.67 percentile in JEE Main (1.15M applicants)

#### **LEADERSHIP & ORGANIZATIONAL ROLES**

# Core Group Member | Creatives Head | Mood Indigo, IIT Bombay

[Apr'21 - Present]

51st edition of Asia's largest college cultural festival | Net Worth: | 146,000+ footfall | 240+ events

- Spearheading and training a two-tier team of 150+ students administering design, web and publicity for Mood Indigo
- Conceptualising and curating content for the highest followed student-run festival, targeting 60% increase in followership
- Effectively allocating a budget of to ensure mass outreach in 2000+ colleges spread over 30 cities
- Orchestrated **Indoor Indigo**-an online series of **10+** Instagram lives, **5+** workshops and **10+** competitions with a reach of **350k+** Initiatives:
- Building an interactive app with a navigation system, notifications, blog space targeting 20% increase in visitor engagement
- Instituting Workforce Management App to ensure seamless real-time communication and enhance inventory management
- Launched MI Store a gamified e-commerce platform for promoting SMEs; optimized UX via remarketing strategies

## Institute Sports Convener | Sports Council, IIT Bombay

[Jun'20 - Apr'21]

Part of a 36-member council team contributing towards ideation, publicity, and execution of various sports events

- Executed the Virtual Run, a unique event amidst the pandemic with a prize fund of 22k and participation of 1300+ people
- Designed Avant-garde content for the social media presence of IITB sports; achieved 500% y-o-y increase in engagement
- Conducted India's largest 1-day cash Online Chess tournament; prizes worth INR 70k; 7 countries; 550+ players (15 GMs)

# **ENTREPRENEURSHIP EXPERIENCE**

Co-Founder | IITianTalks [Jun'20 - Dec'20]

A platform to provide extensive and exclusive mentorship to JEE aspirants by connecting them to IITians

- Collaborated with the team of 4 for ideation, website execution, social media management, marketing, legal issue handling
- Spearheaded the media and publicity wing of the startup, gaining 1500+ subscribers and 200k+ viewership on YouTube
- Result: Mentored 100+ JEE aspirants, achieved more than 600% Rol within the first three months, featured on 94.3 MY FM

#### **INTERNSHIP AND PROJECTS**

# **Graphic Design Intern** | The ITCD

[May'20 - Jun'20]

Received **Letter of Recommendation** from CEO for exemplary performance and professional conductance

- Produced deliverables worth INR 50k+ for social media platforms of 4 clients, which includes media posts and testimonial videos
- Analysed target groups, social media trends and identified client requirements to design relevant and eye-catchy graphics

## Text Analysis of speeches given by Hon'ble PM Modi | Course Project | Prof. Amit Sethi, MInDS

[Dec'20]

- Processed the text data into structured data using TF-IDF vectorisation to perform sentiment analysis and topic modelling
- Implemented 3 methods of extractive text summarization like Text Frequency, Text Rank and Latent Semantic Index

## **Analysing Consumer Price Index** | Course Project | Prof. Rama Pal, HSS Department

[Sep'20

- Analysed and deseasonalized 7-year CPI data divided into 80+ time periods to draw insights for seasonal fluctuations in CPI
- Listed 4 factors to identify a suitable base year for CPI and Inspected 3 issues in CPI calculation, its limitations and application

## Digit Classification using Neural Networks | Course Project | Prof. Biplab Banerjee, MInDS

[Apr'21]

- Achieved an accuracy of 97.13% in digit recognition model implemented using convolutional neural network (CNN) and SoftMax
- Integrated a code to capture the image of handwritten digit using a webcam and predicted the digit using trained CNN model

## **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Sports	<ul> <li>Sole recipient of the Rising Star award in Hockey General Championship among 100 players</li> <li>Led the Hockey team as captain in Freshiesta to win a Bronze medal amongst 12 teams</li> </ul>	['20] ['19]
Cultural	<ul> <li>Achieved Rank 1 in elocution competition by Hindu Milan Mandir amongst 100 participants</li> <li>Awarded 2<sup>nd</sup> prize in a poetry writing competition on SVS level organized under Kala Utsav</li> <li>Learned Classical Tabla for two consecutive years from Government Certified Institute</li> </ul>	
Technical	<ul> <li>Software and Languages: C++, Python (NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib), SQL, MS Office</li> <li>Post Production tools: Adobe Photoshop, Premiere Pro, After Effects, Illustrator, XD</li> </ul>	