



I.Mtech (B-tech+M-tech) Chemical Engineering (Major) Material Eng. & Polymer (Minor)

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**Career Objective**: As a Chemical Engineering student with a unique combination of programming, research, and modeling experience, I bring interdisciplinary strength and practical insight. I aim to contribute to challenging projects where I can apply my skills to deliver innovative and impactful solutions.

# **Educational Qualifications (Pre-University)**

Examination	Institution (name, place, state of Institution)			
<b>S.S.C.</b> (2019)	St. Teresa's Convent Higher Secondary School, Jalgaon, Maharashtra.	86.80		
H.S.C. (2021)	Chatrapati Shivaji Junior Science College, Jalgaon, Maharshtra.	89.83		

#### **Educational Qualifications (ICT)**

Trimester	%Marks / SGPA	CGPA	Trimester	%Marks / SGPA	CGPA
I			VIII		
II			IX		
III			Х		
IV			XI		
V			XII		
VI			XIII		
VII			XIV		

#### **ABOUT ME**

Technical Palette: Python, MATLAB, DWSIM, CATIA, R, ChemDraw 3D, Plotdigitizer, EndNote, Windows,

Excel

# Languages:

- Full Professional Proficiency English
- Elementary Proficiency Hindi, Marathi
- Native Proficiency Bengali

# Work Domain:

Neural Network Model Predictive Control & Control Systems (PID), Fault Detection & Diagnostics, GUI Development, Mathematical Modelling, Thermodynamic Modelling, Artificial Neural Networks, Optimization & Algorithms, Artificial Intelligence / Machine Learning (AI/ML)

Skills: Critical Thinking, Communication, Problem-Solving, Project Management, Leadership

Interests: Designing (Web/GUI), Reading

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Reliable Process Design Solution (RPDS), Pune, Maharashtra

Data Analytics Intern

March 2024 - June 2024

- Spearheaded the implementation of NN-MPC, traditional MPC, and optimized PID control systems in batch polymerization reactors, resulting in a **faster cycle time**.
- Achieved **70% improvement in setpoint settling time** through optimization of PID using Differential Evolution algorithms.
- Developed intuitive GUIs using Tkinter and web apps with Streamlit, enhancing user experience and automation for industrial tasks.
- Conducted comprehensive fault analysis on the Tennessee Eastman Process using AI/ML, identifying around **20 faults** with high accuracy.
- Demonstrated ownership and rapid adaptation to advanced modeling tasks, showcasing strong interdisciplinary and collaborative work ethic.

# Defence Institute of Advanced Technology (DIAT), DRDO, Pune, Maharashtra Research Intern September 2023 – October 2023

- Developed a comprehensive ML and AI-based framework to predict the removal efficiency of heavy metals from industrial wastewater using biochar.
- Designed and tested 12 hybrid ANN-metaheuristic models (CSA-ANN, TLBO-ANN, PSO-ANN, etc.) and 22 ML models, including SVM, GPR, and ensemble methods like LSBoost.
- Implemented **10+ nature-inspired optimization algorithms** (PSO, TLBO, Cuckoo Search, etc.) to fine-tune ANN predictions and compare modeling strategies.
- Collaborated with DRDO and VIT, Vellore under the guidance of Dr. Amrita Nighojkar and coauthors from VIT, contributing to a conference paper at ICMLDE 2024.
- Delivered a high-impact and interdisciplinary project, integrating computational intelligence with environmental engineering solutions.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Research Articles**

- 1. Dev K Patra, Debashis Kundu "Generalized Pitzer-Debye-Hückel (PDH) Framework for the Deep Eutectic Solvent Assisted Extraction of Europium (III), Americium (III), and Uranium (VI)", Taylor & Francis
- 2. Dev K Patra, Debashis Kundu "Systematic Exploration of COSMO-SAC-PDH and EXT-UNIQUAC-PDH Models for Rare-Earth Element Leaching in Deep Eutectic Solvents", American Chemical Society (ACS)

#### **Book Chapter**

1. Dev K Patra, Debashis Kundu – "Deep Eutectic Solvents in Dissolution of Lanthanides, Actinides, and Recovery of Value-Added Materials from Electronic Waste", Elsevier

#### **CONFERENCE**

Presented paper titled "Predictive Models for Removing Heavy Metal Water Pollutants with Biochar: Exploring Neural Networks and Machine Learning" at ICMLDE 2024, Dehradun

#### **PROJECTS**

#### **Work Under Review:**

# NAMoSTe Software (Novel Atomic & Molecular Structure Explorer)

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NAMoSTe is a next-generation software designed for the intuitive creation and visualization of complex long-chain polymers in 1D, 2D, and 3D. While helping advanced molecular modeling capabilities, it empowers researchers to precisely construct and analyze polymer architectures, making it an essential tool for innovation in computational chemistry and materials science.

## **EXTRACURRICULAR**

### Web Design Head & Treasurer - Techfest AAKRITI 1.0

Led the web design team, creating an interactive digital platform, while **managing finances** to ensure smooth planning and execution of the tech festival.

# Editor – MARJAL (ICT Mumbai, MARJ Campus)

Edited *MARJAL*, the biannual magazine of ICT Mumbai, MARJ Campus, for **two years**. Oversaw content creation, managed a team of writers, and ensured high-quality publications.

# WHAT I BRING TO THE TABLE

As a Chemical Engineering student with a unique blend of coding, research, and data-driven problem-solving skills, I bring a rare combination of depth and interdisciplinary versatility. I offer *quick learning* and a deep commitment to *teamwork* and *results*. Whether it was *working late* with my team at DRDO to perfect biochar AI models or improving industrial control systems at RPDS under tight deadlines, I've always been driven by passion and purpose. I don't just complete tasks—I take *ownership*, *collaborate* with others, and ensure that outcomes create real value. I'm adaptable, enthusiastic, and eager to contribute meaningfully to every project I take on.