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EDUCATION

High School: Springdales School, Pusa Road
(2007-2022)

New Delhi, Delhi

- 12th Grade Final Result (Predicted): 97-100%
- SAT Score: 1580 (August 2021)
- Academic Excellence Awards (2018-2021)

EXPERIENCE

Debate

Founder and Leader

Member, National-Level School Debate Team 2019-2021

- Founded and headed the school debate club for 3 years, with over 30 members.
- Organized meetings and weekly mock debates.
- Organized 10 workshops with nationally accredited debate instructors.
- Prepared, participated (20+), and achieved accolades (7+) as a member of the National-level school debate team.
- The debate club won 10+ national championships with 50+ participations.

Impact Entrepreneurship

Co-founder, CFO, Young Analyst, and Director

2020-2021

- Co-founder and CEO at 'Bully the Bears', a financial literacy-driven investment research project.
- Co-founded a neuro-economic technology startup 'Unwired India' and transitioned to CFO role. Assisted in establishing 7 global chapters in APAC developing countries, hired 50+ employees, managed 6 corporate partners, and received 3 international awards.
- Young Analyst at 'Ingenious Investors Club', a Fin-Tech Venture, conducting financial analyses of companies.
- Director at 'The Hope Project', a non-profit neuro-disorder awareness initiative.
- Completed 7+ online internship/trainee prog. at MNCs, involving data management/risk analysis/trading. Led intern team(20+ members), assisted 10+ internal projs.
- Completed a 4-week Entrepreneurship Internship at 'Fampay India', a \$38 million pioneering fin-tech startup.

Publication

Blog writer and Published Author

2020-2021

- Started a personal finance and economics blog, garnering 30,000+ views and 1000+ subscriptions.
- Published in 6 National publications.
- Regular author and editor for venture 'Unwired India' with 100,000+ readers.
- Published in 10 issues of the school journal and 2 college media publications.

Student Govt.

Senior School Member of Student Council, Security Committee Member, House Coordinator

2019-2021

- Led a cohort of 250+ students in an administrative role.
- Supervised several school events and participated in workshops and assemblies.
- Initiated school welfare projects, such as cleaning drives and anti-bullying workshops.
- Led one of the School Houses as the Coordinator, managing 150 students.
- Advocated as a member of the Security Committee of the school board for students' issues.

Additional Education Exposure

Virtual Experience Program Participant

2019-2022

- Virtual internships/programs at Goldman Sachs, Deloitte, Citi Bank, Sydney School of Entrepreneurship, JP Morgan, and KPMG.(12 weeks per year)
- Virtual course on 'Firm Level Economics: Consumer and Producer Behavior' completed from the University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign. (5 weeks)

- Virtual course on 'Marketing Analytics' completed from the University of Virginia, Darden School of Business. (5 weeks)
- Virtual course on 'Becoming a changemaker: Introduction to Social Innovation' completed from the University of Cape Town. (2 weeks)
- Virtual course on 'Development Economics: Macroeconomics' completed from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- Virtual course on 'Economic Institutions and Growth Policy Analysis' from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
- Two year-long ongoing Sociology research on "Impact of Social Conformity on High School Students.
- Two year-long ongoing Economics research on "Demonetization in India" and "The Venezuelan Financial Crisis".

Theater/Drama

Member and Writer, Annual School Production Team

2018-2021

- Acted in numerous school productions for occasions like Mandela Day and Independence Day.
- Placed at 5 National and State Drama competitions.
- Helped write, direct, and act in 5+ Annual Day Celebration Theatre Displays.
- Performed and won accolades at various school-level contests.

Community Service

Volunteer

2018-2021

- Made 34 slum people literate in skills of Math and Reading under the 'Each One, Teach One' project.
- Organized and led cleaning and awareness drives in collaboration with the Municipal Corporation of Delhi.
- Collected and Stocked 300+ relief supplies for the Kerala Flood victims.
- Organized a Menstrual Hygiene Workshop and distributed free sanitary pads to girls in two underprivileged government schools, along with a team of doctors from Sant Parmanand Hospital.
- Initiated a project, along with our social work department, aiming to start the production of sanitary napkins in the school's Vocational Centre.
- Contributed to the National Clean India Program, leading 4 cleaning and awareness drives at the Mahatma Gandhi Memorial on Mahatma Gandhi Jayanti (Mahatma Gandhi's Birthday).

AWARDS/HONOURS

- Runner-up and adjudged Best Speaker at the 'Behes' National Parliamentary Debate.
- Winner of the 'Delhi Schools Literacy Project', National Declamation Contest.
- Qualifier at Amidas Goradia National Multiformat Debate at Indian School, New Delhi.
- Qualifier and Runner-up at Ramjas School National Debate for 2 consecutive years.
- Runner-up at the Global Education & Leadership Foundation, Youth Leadership Competition.
- Winner of the National Kusum Verma Literacy Festival, Poetry, and Theatre competition.
- Published in 'Econzest' Journal, an economics journal for St.Xaviers' College, Mumbai, India.
- Adjudged best speaker at the Rahul Joshi National Declamation Contest, Springdales School, Pusa Road.
- Winner of the 'Recognizing Ramanujan' National Mathematics Olympiad.
- Winner of National Group Discussion Competition at Amity International School, Delhi.
- Nominated for the prestigious Indian Achiever's Award 2021- "Promising Start-up Award" by IAF India, for 'Unwired India'.
- Recognized for 'Unwired India' as one of the "TOP 10 Biotech Startups 2021" by the Industry Outlook Magazine.
- Academic Excellence Awards at Springdales School, Pusa Road (2018-2021).
- Recipient of All-Rounder Awards for outstanding academic and extracurricular performance at Springdales School, Pusa Road for 7 consecutive years.

SKILLS

Languages: English (fluent), Hindi (fluent), German (proficient).

Oration and logical reasoning: Performed spoken word poetry, declamation, speech, etc.; helped teach oration and logical ability to a class of 30 students, 2hrs/week for 2 years.

