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Curriculum Vitae

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PROFILE SUMMARY



In the last 14 years, I have served organisations in leadership positions with a high level of professionalism by taking major corporate decisions and managing companies' overall operations and resources.

I come into play in a company when the latter intends to increase productivity and profitability by using the available limited resources.

What I bring to a company:

- Plan, develop, implement, and direct the organisation's operational and fiscal function and performance.
- Act as a strategic player on contracts, negotiations, or business deals that the corporation may enter.

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

- **Executive Leadership** – *University of Oxford, UK*
- **MBA in Leadership and Management** – *York St John University, UK*
- **BA in Business & Enterprise (Distinction)** – *Edinburgh Napier University, UK*
- **Diploma in Community Services (Case Management)** – *TAFE, Australia*
- **Cambridge HSC (A-Level)** – *Royal College Port Louis, Mauritius*

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

- **Indian Journal of Entrepreneurship** – *Editorial Board Member*

WORK EXPERIENCE

- Chief Executive Officer – *AR Skills Development Institutions*
 - National Aviation Academy,
 - National Institute of Technology, and
 - National Fashion & Design Institute
- Visiting Faculty – *IIT Bombay, Wilson College, TISS and NMIMS*
 - Guest lecturer on leadership, business, and management.
- Executive Director – *YUVA and YUVA Academy*
 - YUVA is one of the largest social enterprises in Africa.
- Head of Start-Up Community and Incubation – *Turbine Incubator, ENL Group*
 - Responsible to plan, organise and manage Turbine's various programmes, and recruit the best start-ups and experts.
- Head of Corporate Affairs and Marketing – *Maubank*
 - The third-largest bank in Mauritius.
- Public Relations & Marketing Manager – *PepsiCo*
 - Responsible for developing PR and marketing plans that communicate key messages, promote products and services, manage the reputation of PepsiCo and the expectations of key stakeholders.
- PR & Marketing Coordinator – *Starwood Hotels and Resorts Worldwide, Inc.*
 - Handling the public relations, marketing, and communications of 5-star hotels.

HONOURS AND AWARDS

- 2021 **Winner** of *Africa Leadership Award* at World CSR Congress
- 2019 **Winner** – *Best Practice Award* by SADC
- 2019 **Winner** of *Leadership & Excellence Award* at World CSR Congress
- 2019 **Ambassador** at Obama Foundation's YALI, South Africa
- 2018 **Winner** of *Healthcare Leadership Award* at World CSR Congress
- 2018 **Winner** of *Africa Leadership Award* at World CSR Congress
- 2018 **Winner** of *Social Innovation Award* at World CSR Congress
- 2017 **Winner** of *Africa Leadership Award* at World CSR Congress
- 2017 **Ambassador** at One Young World, Bogota, Colombia
- 2017 **Ambassador** at Second Africa Regional Dialogue on HIV, TB and the Law, Johannesburg, South Africa
- 2016 **Ambassador** at International Global Peace Festival, Chandigarh, India

- 2016 **Ambassador** at Vibrant Saurashtra Summit, Gujarat, India
- 2015 **Ambassador** at Annual African Youth Dialogue, Mandela Institute for Development Studies (MINDS), Zimbabwe
- 2015 **Scholar** of International Sustainability School (ISS), Nepal
- 2015 **Ambassador** at Asia-Pacific SF 2015 in Jakarta, Indonesia (Innovation & Economy Transformation to Eradicate Poverty through Sustainable Development)
- 2015 **Country Representative** at International Youth Action Against Terrorism (IYAAT)
- 2012 **Ambassador** at International Youth Peace Festival, Chandigarh, India
- 2012 **Ambassador** at COMESA Programme for Peace and Security
- 2011 **Ambassador** at International Youth Peace Festival, Chandigarh, India
- 2010 **National Youth Excellence Award** (Theme: Entrepreneurship & Initiative for Employment Creation in Mauritius)
- 2010 **Ambassador** for International Youth Climate Forum, Indonesia
- 2009 **National Coordinator Award** from The Earth Action
- 2009 **Ambassador** at One Young World Summit, UK
- 2009 **National Youth Excellence Award** (Theme: Youth Leadership & Community Work)
- 2008 **Best Rotaractor Award** from Rotary Club of Grand Bay
- 2006 **Mont Desir Mont Trezor Award** from Ministry of Environment
- 2005 **Best Team Leader** for 3 consecutive years from National Productivity and Competitiveness Council (NPCC)

VOLUNTARY EXPERIENCE

- 2019 **TED Speaker** on *Social Entrepreneurship: The Way Forward* at Michigan State University, US
- 2018 **Academic Paper Presenter** at InSIS International Conference, New Delhi, India
- 2018 **Local Focal Point** of Commonwealth Sport for Development & Peace
- 2017 **Project Director** of Global Social Leader Forum 2017
- 2015 **Project Director** of International Forum for Good Governance
- 2015 **Author** of bestselling non-fiction book, *Ramrajya: An Enigmatic Leader's Rise to Power*
- 2015 **PR & Media Coordinator** of International Association of Political Science Students (IAPSS), The Netherlands
- 2013 **Project Director** of International Youth Forum (IYF) 2013
- 2013 **Senior Advisor** of Konektenu NGO
- 2012 **Co-founder** of The Leadership Network (TLN)
- 2012 **Executive Board** member at National Economic & Social Council
- 2012 **Executive Board** member at Country Coordinating Mechanism
- 2012 **Board member** of National Institute of Civic Education (NICE) committee, Prime Minister's Office
- 2011 **Vice-President** at Solaris Association
- 2011 **Co-founder** of Global Shapers (Mauritius), World Economic Forum
- 2010 **Young Reporter** at Youth Olympic Games, Singapore