




# RAVI ASHOK SATPUTE

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## Research Interests

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Political Economy, Game Theory, Microeconomic Theory

## Education

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**Indian Institute of Management, Calcutta**

**2021– Present**

*Ph.D. Economics*

**Thesis Supervisor:** Prof. Sourav Bhattacharya

**Thesis Title:** Essays on the Political Economy of Identity

**Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee**

**2019 – 2021**

*Master of Science, Economics*

*CGPA: 8.58/10*

**Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune**

**2016–2019**

*Bachelor Of Science, Mathematics*

*Percentage: 88.33%*

## Academic Distinctions and Achievements

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### Scholarships:

- Awarded the prestigious INSPIRE Scholarship (INR 400K) by the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India, for achieving a top 1 percentile rank in the HSC Science Exam.
- Awarded Pune University Gunvant Vidyarthi Scholarship 2018-19 for exceptional academic performance in undergraduate studies

### Competitive Accomplishments:

- Secured All India Rank 58 in GATE Economics Exam 2021
- Secured All India Rank 374 in IIT JAM Mathematics Exam 2019
- Qualified UGC NET Exam 2020 in Economics
- Secured 99.99 percentile score in Maharashtra Government Pre-Secondary Scholarship Exam

## Working Papers and Work in Progress

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Public Goods Provision in Divided Societies (Link)

(Co-authored with Sourav Bhattacharya and Tapas Kundu )

Identity Focus in Political Campaigns (Link)

(Co-authored with Sourav Bhattacharya)

Visible Populism

(Co-authored with Sourav Bhattacharya and Parikshit Ghosh)

## Experience and Training Programs

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**Indian Institute of Management Calcutta**

*Teaching Assistant:*

- Microeconomics (Compulsory) 2025-26; Instructor: Prof. Sourav Bhattacharya
- Games and Information (Elective) 2024-25; Instructor: Prof. Sourav Bhattacharya
- Behavioral Economics for Managers (Elective) 2024-25; Instructor: Prof. Somdeep Chatterjee

**Reserve Bank of India**

**April 2020 – June 2020**

*Summer Intern (Research)*

*Dehradun*

- Worked on the project ‘**Study of CD Ratio**’ under supervision of Tariqa Singh, DGM RBI
- Utilized Panel Data of Indian PSB and Private Sector Banks, District Level Panel Data of Banks in Uttarakhand
- Delivered a comprehensive report with empirical findings, policy recommendations, and theoretical contributions to the Regional Director RBI and Project Supervisor

**National Institute of Science Education and Research**

**May 2018 – June 2018**

*Training Program in Mathematics*

*Bhubaneswar*

- Secured a spot in the national level Training Program in Mathematics organized by NISER Bhubaneswar
- Studied Real Analysis, Linear Algebra, and Number Theory with a research-oriented perspective

- Selected for participation at the national level Nurture 2017 Summer School in Mathematics organized by National Board of Higher Mathematics and CUTN Chennai
- Deepened understanding in Linear Algebra, Group Theory, and Real Analysis with a focus on research

## Administrative Responsibilities

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### Indian Institute of Management Calcutta

*Internal Complaints Committee (PoSH Committee) Representative*

*June 2024 - Ongoing*

### Indian Institute of Management Calcutta

*Academic Representative*

*April 2024 - April 2025*

## Skills

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**Software Packages** | *Python, STATA, Advanced Excel*

**Typesetting** |  $\text{\LaTeX}$

**Languages** | *English, Marathi, Hindi, German(A2)*

## Co-Curricular Achievements

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- Achieved worldwide live percentile rank of 99.5 in Rapid Chess with a 1903 rating and 99.1 percentile rank in Blitz Chess with a 1915 rating among 720k+ active chess players on **Chess.com**
- Featured in Chess.com worldwide top 1% puzzle solvers of 2023 as well as top 1% live chess players among 150 Million+ chess.com members.
- Selected for Advanced Instructions School in Stochastic Processes 2019 at NISER Bhubaneswar
- Selected for participation at the national level Summer School 2016 at IISER Bhopal
- Earned a spot for participation at Summer School 2015 at IISER Pune
- Pune University Statistics Association Quiz Competitions: College Level 1<sup>st</sup> Prize 2017, University Level 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize 2018

## Conference Participation

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- Amitava Bose Memorial Doctoral Workshop SERI-2024, IIM Calcutta
- Conversation on Research (CoRe) -2024, IGIDR Mumbai
- Winter School -2024, The Econometric Society and Delhi School of Economics
- BREW Economic Science Association -2024, Ashoka University
- 19th Annual Conference on Economic Growth and Development -2024, ISI Delhi
- Reflections on Development Economics -2024, Presidency University
- 34th Annual Conference of Jadavpur University -2025, Jadavpur University
- 6th Annual Economics Conference -2025, Ahmedabad University
- Research Scholarch Workshop -2025, Calcutta University
- Young Scholar's Initiative (YSI), Institute of New Economic Thinking (INET) -2025, IIT Bombay
- 62nd Annual Meeting of Public Choice Society, Louisville, Kentucky, USA
- Conversation on Research (CoRe) -2025, IGIDR Mumbai
- 20th Annual Conference on Economic Growth and Development -2025, ISI Delhi
- Fifth International Conference on Issues in Economic Theory and Policy -2025, Presidency University