

PROFILE

Dedicated and passionate Bharatanatyam practitioner, performer and teacher with 15 years of rigorous training and thus having a strong foundation in Rhythm, Music, Technique, Abhinaya and Theoretical aspects.

ARTISTIC VISION & PHILOSOPHY

Bharatanatyam is not just a dance form; it is a spiritual and emotional journey that connects the dancer with tradition, storytelling, and selfexpression. My artistic vision is to blend the rich classical heritage of Bharatanatyam with contemporary themes while staying rooted in tradition. Through my performances and teaching, I aim to inspire the next generation of dancers, making this art form accessible and relevant to modern audiences. I believe that dance has the power to heal, educate, and elevate human consciousness, and my mission is to use Bharatanatyam as a medium for artistic and social impact.

ANUSHKAA RAMANATAN

DANCE EDUCATION

TANJAVUR NRITYA SHALA

2011 - 2019

[Initial training of 7 years/ passed Visharad with First class]

NALANDA NRITYA KALA MAHAVIDYALA

2018 - 2025

CGPA 10/ secured 1st rank throughout Bachelor of Performing Arts Currently Pursuing Masters in Performing Arts.

WORK EXPERIENCE

NALANDA DANCE RESEARCH CENTRE [TEACHER]

2022 - Present

[Engaged as a Bharatanatyam Teacher for levels 3 and 4/ trained over 45 students]

ABHINITA SCHOOL OF DANCE [FOUNDER/TEACHER]

2022 - Present

[currently training 10 students]

LECTURE & DEMONSTRATION

Accompanied a senior Bharatanatyam guru for lecture demonstrations on 'Drama & Art in Education' for the B.Ed. students.

Actively took part in teaching dance to the differently abled children of Dilkush Special School.

RESEARCH PRESENTATION

Presented a research paper on 'Understanding & Evaluating the place of commentaries on Natyashastra with special reference to Bharatanatyam' as a part of 'Shabdha Manthan' collaboration of NCPA & Smt. Sheetal Kapole at Manjiri Nrityakala Mandir, Dombivili on 22nd January,2024.

PERSONAL PARTICULARS

DOB – 31st December 2002

Languages Fluent: Tamil, English, Hindi

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PERFORMANCES

- Performed at The Cotton Association of India, 2022
- Performed at Hindu Mahila Sabha, Pune 2022
- Performed at 'YATRA' final dance season of NCPA, 2023
- Performed at 'Made in India Swadeshi Runway DR. APJ Abdul Kalam Awards', 2023
- Performed at the G20 summit held in Mumbai, 2023
- Performed at the Sindhu Festival as a part of Vaibhav Arekar's tribute to Kanak Rele 'the eternal Mohini', 2023
- Performed at the Kalaghoda Arts Festival, Mumbai with Sandip Soparrkar & troupe for his work 'PAVITRA TULSI',2024
- Performed at Nalanda Nrityotsava, 2025

ACHIEVEMENTS/AWARDS

- Successfully completed Bharatanatyam Arangetram in 2018
- Won 1st place in the SDA Palghar district competition (online), 2021
- Won 1st place in an online competition for Akhil Natrajam Aantar Sanskrutik Sangh, Nagpur, 2022
- Won 1st place in 'Visions Fest' organized by SIES college, 2023
- Nalanda Nritya Nipuna Award, 2025