



## KARTIK PATEKAR

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**Sukanya Kudva :** Hi Patekar baba, you are the smartest person I ever met. So much so that when we were once caught by police, tune apni i-card de di aur socha chodh denge😂. Well, I guess I did do my share of smart bits too.. endsem ke ek din pehle I got you to roam around Mumbai and then put you on the wrong local train. You'll probably never come out again with me after that😂. I guess there is a lot to write... Being with you and Sagar is so crazy and fun...from Vihar to Pebfort to Moodl. Just glad I am still alive despite all that😂. Feels so bad, all of us couldn't go out one last time. Look forward to meeting you again. 😊And till then, I'll be there to annoy you now and then😂

**Saipriya Satyajit :** Yo Kartik! I am a little hazy on how we first met, and I regret not knowing you in the first year, but little did I know then that you will go on to become one of my closest friends ♥. Man, you are a very caring and sweet person who looks out for his friends. Thank you for being there for me whenever I needed. I will never forget all the late-night talks we had, all the trips we went on, all those almost all-nighters we pulled before deadlines, where I discovered how your efficiency shoots to 300% the day before the deadline 😂. Bro, I know you will achieve great things in life, keep being the God you are ♥. PS: We still have to play COD Worlds at War. I think that's the only one left 😂.

**Mrigank Ashesh :** Yo Karthik! Bhai tu kitna busy raha 4 saal main bata nahi sakta. I have always enjoyed pulling your leg and probably will still enjoy. I was fortunate to have been involved in many tech projects although contributing minimal. Teri treats kaafi pending hai and meri bhi ek do pending hogi shayad but still tu isme bhii aage nikal gaya hai😂 I still remember our gift discussion and thankfully we had it otherwise it would have been awkward at the reception. I am thankful for the gift you got me from USA and chocolates I had with and without your permission 🎁 I sincerely hope that we meet soon and until then stay in touch. All the best for your future.



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**Aman Sharma :** Yo Kartik! Bhai ab bhagwan ke bare mein kya hi bolen xD. Your mind works at a pace I believe is theoretically forbidden:P. A million miles in a billion directions. Your drive to know(and also money) and fearlessness are inspirational. Yupppp, the boat-house awaits, ab toh DAC ki bhi chinta nahi xD. Take care!

**Chitrangna Bhatt :** Hi Kartik, 1 2 3 and here we go :P - We're quite good friends considering isi sem mile the apan, and that Physics is something i genuinely despise. I'm expecting a Walter Lewin version of u soon btw. 4.2 k baad ghar m kaun magta hai yaar. Also, I havent irritated u enough with the sarcasm, have i :P ? (Maybe u'd go for Sagar nahi hi milwata to better hota :P ) And no, chocolate Momos khaane wale log don't deserve momos, leave alone the bestest accompanying mirch ki chutney 🤔

**Adane Sahil Ravindra :** Bro, I will never forget your 'I never do anything half' philosophy and btw, behen ka college yaad kar le yaar. I know you are very busy but fir bhi xD It has been a lot of fun discussions with you, right from Physics doubts to why you love Physics and many more. You do a lot of things and yet sleep on time. Respect. MnP was a good learning experience. Saw what you were capable of when you designed the questions for Sci-Comp in 2 days on your own even though we were clueless at the start. Mrigank and I had a lot of fun pulling your leg and you were always a great sport about it, so thanks ;) I hope you remember the treat counter that we made on the wall. Good luck ahead!! And stay in touch

**Abhisek Sahu :** Yo Patekal😄.We are both so different, but I feel I relate to you the most of all people and you understand me, better than anybody else. We compete and fight(very literally at times) and you help me stay on the top of my game; but we also are partners, in acads and fun and everything in between. I think of us as Goku and Vegeta, although deciding who is who will probably end in another fight😄. You are without doubt a very intelligent person, and I admire your curiosity in learning, your articulate reasoning and your often eccentric, but pragmatic thinking. I look forward to collaborating with you in some form in the future, K.I.T otherwise too. Peace be with you bro🙏



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**Sowmya Ravichandran :** Heyy Kartik! I still remember being surprised by how much you actually talk, the first time we were all hanging out. I used to think you were a quiet, private person and boy, I was wrong on so many levels xD I love your enthusiasm to keep exploring different things and trying out crazy new stuff, of course with your partner in crime, Sagar. I am sorry I didn't hang out more with you guys dude, that's on me. Keep exploring and having fun, and stay in touch. Here's to hoping for more fun discussions in the future!

**Debanjali Chatterjee :** Hi Kartik! First year mein kaafi baat hoti thi, then Mimamsa followed, I wish we could have interacted more after that. I've always found you intriguing, it's as if your mind is constantly working on some physics or maths problem :D It was great getting to know you and also be on the same team with you. All the best for your future endeavours!

**R Sucheta :** Hello Kartik, I have seen you transform over the years from a shy person to leading our awesome MnP club <3 You've been very friendly, sweet and helpful. :D Words cant describe how talented you're, you always amaze me with your research (though I am pretty dumb to understand much :P). We did have some fun times during our tenure pulling your leg :P Anyway, all the best for your future endeavors and keep slaying :D

**Ashi Gupta :** Hi kartik! Met in last sem.....true you enthusiasm and finding solutions to all things is epic, cannot be compared👏.....I am sure you get AP in ml... And please don't be angry on me again... Hope to stay in touch. I am sure you'll have a great future! All the best😊



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**Keshav Janyani :** Kartik Machax.. I have lost count of how many times I have said those words.. You are someone I look up to in almost every field of life.. What is more amazing is that even after your academics/professional life achievements you are such a fun person to hang out with.. Cheers to the late night talks, extra curricular activities together and yes I hope we have more of those in UK..

**Edwin Saji Uthuppan :** I have always been amazed at how busy you keep yourself. You are so motivated man... Also I don't throw around the word smart, but you are truly one level beyond me! Man If I had kept up my enthusiasm for physics, we could have been nemeses.

**Sagar Kumar Seth :** Yo Kartik ! To be honest before having met you, I thought you would be a person with lot of pride and ego. I was not completely wrong :P, just eccentric, but humble being with a caring nature too. You have become one of the closest friends in Insti life ! So much so that people are jealous of our bromance :P. We have tons of memories of so many adventures, from Vihar lake to waterfall it was all super fun with you. You were the one always up for some crazy fun. Insti is not going to be the same without you broo ! Major missing ! Of course you are one of the most intelligent person I have met and a very pragmatic one too for a theorist :P. Wish you loads of luck for future bro !

**Abhinav Jain :** Kartik! The person who I knew from since the 10th standard, and with whom I shared the same floor in the first year, but when did we really talk... third year (lol). Since then, I have always been awed by the sheer amount of will you have to learn things. Stay the same man, all the best and let's stay in touch



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**Arush Gupta :** I'm probably the easiest to open upto because you're so humble, man! The way you approach and tackle things is so cool and constructive, man. I'm looking forward to the day we meet up in conferences and other places and have more discussions like that :) And we've got the net, anyhow! We'll make full use of that!

**Preetam Pinnada :** You chose me as your convener. You gave me opportunities to speak on big stages. You taught me, you corrected me and you've always inspired me. Why would you bother about a complete stranger like me and mould me into a responsible adult. It takes a very big heart and surely I must've been the most fortunate one. It's impossible to repay your unconditional support. But I would never want to miss any opportunity in doing so. Once a boss, always a boss. Wish me luck. All the best.



