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#### Education

2018–2022 Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, Mumbai, India.

Bachelor of Technology in Metallurgical Engineering and Materials Science Minor in Artificial Intelligence and Data Science and Minor in Entrepreneurship Department Rank 2 among a batch of 100+ UG students CPI: 9.18/10.00

2010-2018 Delhi Public School Vadodara, Vadodara, India.

Secured AIR 2845 in JEE Advanced and AIR 711 in JEE Main All India Senior School Certificate Examination (CBSE XII 2018) 96.80% All India Secondary School Examination (CBSE X 2016) CGPA: 10/10

#### Scholastic Achievements

2020 Nominated for the prestigious O P Jindal Engineering and Management Scholarship (OPJEMS)

2016 NTSE SCHOLAR: Recipient of scholarship awarded by NCERT to top 1000 meritorious students

2015 Secured International Rank 1 in SOF's International Mathematics Olympiad

2015 Secured State Rank 1 (Gujarat) in National Talent Search Examination (NTSE) Stage 1

2015 Honoured with a Silver Medal and a Champion's Trophy in Allen Champ for exemplary academic profile

2014 Received Certificate of Merit in the national level of Inter-DPS Science and Maths Talent Examination

# Professional Experience

Jul'20- Technology Scouting Intern

AIRBUS Bangalore.

Aug'20 Guide: Mr. J. Stuhlberger (Vice President, Airbus Technology Scouting Network, Germany)

• Analysed research papers on hydrogen storage technology & materials for aerospace applications

• Presented a comparative analysis of technologies with recommendations based on Figures of Merit

Jul'20— Machine Learning Research Intern

Coulomb Al Bangalore.

Aug'20 Guide: Khushboo Shrivastava (Founder & CEO, Coulomb AI)

• Analysed research papers on ML techniques for battery SOC & SOH estimation and cycle life prediction

• Performed data transformation using Numpy & Pandas and visualisation using Matplotlib in Jupyter

• Built, trained, tested & evaluated Regression & CNN Models using Scikitlearn & Keras in Google Colab

Feb'20- Dynamics Engineer (Mechanical)

- Present Research & Design functional Hyperloop pod prototypes as part of a 50 member team
  - Responsible for pod stability and braking mechanisms: explore possibilities and consider trade offs
  - Design & simulation of brakes, LCM & EDW for regeneration and optimising for cost & energy efficiency

## Feb'19- Junior Design Engineer (Materials)

Team SHUNYA IITB.

- Jan'20 Mission: Design net zero energy houses using energy efficient practices, technologies & materials
  - Executed Materials Selection & Research based on properties, performance & products for different components of house with emphasis on innovation, sustainability, modularity and thermal insulation
  - Performed market research, literature review; brainstormed on ideas & solutions, represented team at expos

## Key Projects

Oct'19- Magnetic Materials: UG Research Project,

Prof. N Venkataramani, MEMS IITB.

- Present Exploring Rare Earth Free Permanent Magnet Systems to prepare a magnetic material with high energy density
  - Analysed research papers on magnetic properties, phase diagrams and preparation techniques with documentation
  - Procured the metals, determined purity, carried out XRD and ICP-AES analysis and interpreted the results
  - Received Certificate of Recognition for project work as part of In-Semester UG Research Program 2019

Aug'18 Bluetooth Controlled Racing Bot: XLR8,

Electronics & Robotics Club IITB.

• Designed structure, determined materials, understood circuit & soldered components to PCB in a team of 4

Apr '19 Reusing Waste Milk Bags,

Prof. Parag Bhargava, MEMS IITB.

- Developed an eco-friendly raincoat from LDPE at 75% reduced cost using hot air gun & metal rollers
- Analyzed properties of polymers and the processes: welding, pelletisation, injection molding & extrusion
- Apr'20- 2D Materials: Summer of Science.

Maths & Physics Club IITB.

- May'20 Analysed research papers on 2D Materials with emphasis on graphene & energy storage
  - Documentation on structure, synthesis, properties, applications and products in the form of a report
  - Mentored a student in his SOS project topic Mechanics of Materials and helped him deliver a report
- Feb '20 Photoelasticity: Term Paper Presentation,

Prof. Aparna Singh, MEMS IITB.

- Analysed research papers on photoelasticity: quantitative stress measurement, visualisation & interpretation
- Investigated types of stresses in glass & demonstrated application of photoelasticity to determine stresses in glass
- May'19- **Tabbing App: Seasons of Code**,

Web & Coding Club IITB.

- Jun'19 Developed a platform for easier, accurate tabulation in debate tournaments using Python & HTML (Django)
  - Designed web pages & authentication interface; automated matchups & rounds in PyCharm in a team of 3
- Aug'19- P&G Brand Study,

Prof. Arti Kalro, SJMSOM IITB.

Sep'19 • Analysed brand profile and strategies of P&G and delivered a presentation in a team of 6 members

• Assessed historical growth & market performance, applied BAV model & did comparative analysis with HUL

### **Professional Activities**

- 2020 Participated in the open access BCG Strategy Consulting Virtual Experience Program with InsideSherpa Modules completed: Market Research, Data Analysis, Understanding Consumer Needs, Client Recommendation
- 2019 Industrial Visit to Indian Rubber Manufacturers Research Association: Investigated State-of-the-Art technologies and labs for Material Research & Tyre Testing and interacted with industry professionals
- Attended a Chai and Why? session by the Tata Institute of Fundamental Research on crystalline materials: 2019 Explored the properties of crystals and performed experiments on the growth of crystals.
- 2019 Industrial Visit to ANTS Ceramics: Analysed Conventional Processing & Shaping of Oxide Ceramics; Investigated the manufacturing processes of labwares, furnaces, ceramic products and technologies used
- Attended Deep Learning Workshop by Mathworks: Object classification, IoT data aggregation & visualisation
- 2017 Attended Indian National Mathematics Olympiad Training Camp for top-30 rankers in RMO

Software Skills: MySql, Matlab, Autocad, MS Office, R, C++, Java, HTML, Python, Colab, Jupyter, VS Code

## Organisational Experience

Apr'19- Coordinator (Events)

Entrepreneurship Cell IITB.

- Feb'20 Ideated, coordinated & executed events (26000+ attendees, 700+ startups) to promote entrepreneurship
  - Successfully managed our new initiative R&D Conclave at E-Summit 2020 and led organisers team
    - Mentored 3 teams of 3 entrepreneurs each in aspects of pitching and BMC for their startup in EnB Buzz
- July'18- Volunteer (Sustainable Social Development)

National Service Scheme IITB.

- May'19 Devoted 80+ hours towards community service including social campaigns creating a huge positive impact
  - Taught sustainability concepts and conservation techniques to students of 2 BMC (government) schools

## **Key Courses**

Materials Materials & Technology, Structure of Materials, Thermodynamics of Materials, Mechanical Behaviour of Materials, Kinetics of Processes, Mechanics of Materials, Science & Technology of Thin Films, Phase Transformations, Transport Phenomena, Metallography & Structural Characterisation, Theory of Machines & Machine Design

Data Analysis & Interpretation, Programming for Data Science, Introduction to Machine Learning, Economics, Engineering Graphics & Drawing, Numerical Analysis, Computer Programming & Utilisation, Electricity & Magnetism

#### Extracurriculars

- 2010 Gold Medallist at UCMAS Academy and completed all 8 levels of Abacus with 99.16%
- 2019 As an Organiser (Media), invited journalists & formulated press releases for E-Summit IITB
- 2019 Secured  $\mathbf{1}^{st}$  position in Spices of Nature photography contest of NSS (Nature) IITB
- 2018 EnB Buzz Competition: Developed pitch deck & Business Model Canvas for a startup to solve case study
- 2014 Secured First Runner-up position in Inter-School Quiz organized by Association of British Scholars
- 2013 Conferred with a Certificate of Merit in Financial Literacy under FLAME by India Infoline (IIFL) Participated in cricket tournaments at IITB, debates and dramas at school with experience in Visual Arts