Vishal Bhardwaj

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TEACHING EXPERIENCE	Summer 2023 Spring 2023 Fall 2022	Teaching Fellow, Programming and Data Structures Teaching Fellow, Programming and Data Structures Teaching Fellow, Computational Thinking	Plaksha University Plaksha University Plaksha University		
Honors and Awards	2020	All India Rank of 861 out of 13,186 candidates in the Indian Institute of			
		Technology Joint Admission test for Masters			
	2019	Recipient of the Best Co-curricular Activities award by the School of Basic			
		and Applied Sciences at GD Goenka University			
	2016-2019	Secured the first rank consistently at GD Goenka University			
	2016-2019	Dean's list for academic excellence at GD Goenka University			
	2016-2019	Granted a fully funded merit scholarship at GD Goenka University			

Grants Awarded	July 2022	Travel grant for FPSAC at the Indian Institute of Science	INR 10248
Research Experience	Summer 2018	Research Intern, Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati	Natesan Srinivasan
OUTREACH	2023 2022-2023 2022	Management Team Member, Young Technology Scholars Core Team Member, Admissions and Outreach Management Team Member, Young Creators League	Plaksha University Plaksha University Plaksha University
LEADERSHIP	2020-2022 2020-2022 2021-2022	Member of the departmental postgraduate committee President of the Mathematics Society Placement Coordinator of the Department of Mathematics	NIT Manipur NIT Manipur NIT Manipur
TECHNICAL SKILLS		C/C++, Data Structures and Algorithms, MATLAB, LATEX	