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Message from Department

“Ensuring quality higher education is one of the most important things we can do for future generations.”

-Ron Lewis



Prof. Dashrath Mane

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We should accept the fact that whatever good we see in our world today is because of an educative mind behind it. We at the Department of MCA are collectively striving to ensure the all round development of students, the transformation of students into successful professionals. It is a proud and extremely satisfying feeling of being a part of the Department of MCA since 2005. The progress made by alumni of the department in various sectors has brought recognition to MCA in VESIT. We further request our alumni to stay connected with current students and share their valuable experience to help junior students to identify their potential and go beyond in a professional career. To ensure the alumni-junior interaction we at the department of MCA have continuously put efforts to arrange alumni interactions and connects. It's my appeal to current students to engage yourself more into learning more and more new things in technology, learn and practice the art of applying theory into practicals, which is certainly a need of time.

I would like to thank our Management, Principal, Vice Principal, HOD, Deputy HOD, colleagues and non-teaching staff in the department for their continuous support in executing our roles and responsibilities in department and college.

We wish our students success at Personal and Professional front.

Stay Healthy and Happy Always!!

“Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.”

-Nelson Mandela

Vision of the Department

⇒ Towards leading the way in area of Computer Application to train and nurture the Students to become successful Technocrats thus benefiting the Society and Nation.

Mission of the Department

⇒ To provide opportunities to Students so that they understand the Theoretical Principles and apply them.

⇒ To enable the Students to continually master the evolving Tools, Techniques, Trends in Technology and Management and effectively put them in practice in a cost effective manner.

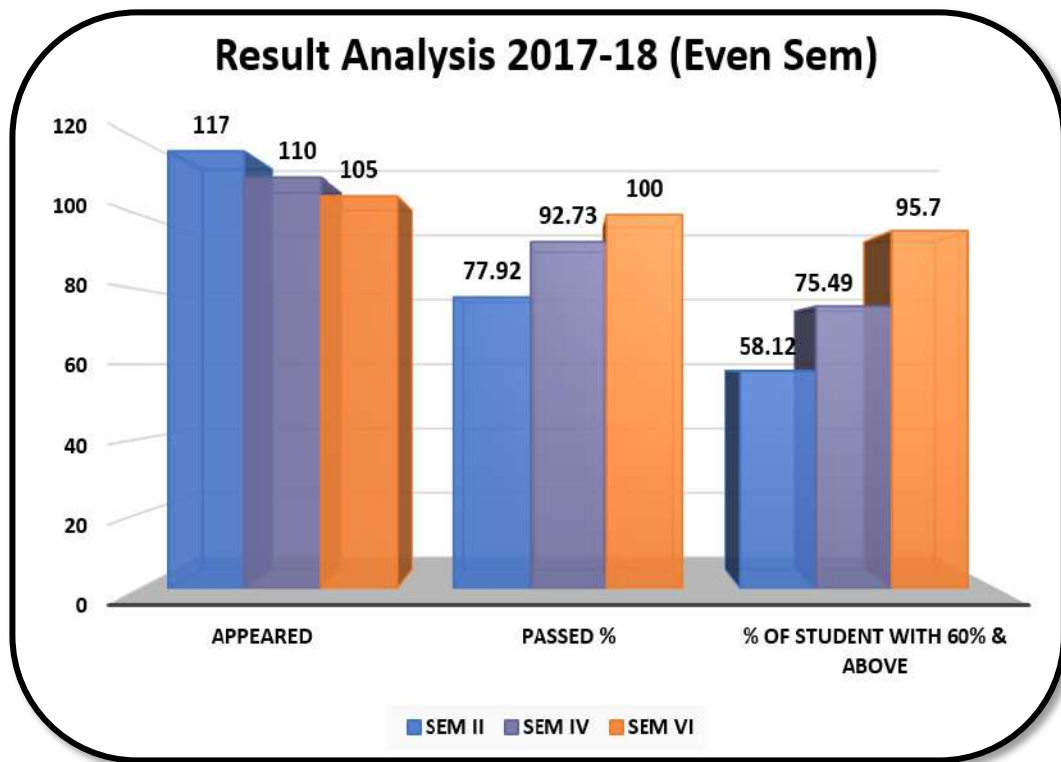


“Peace begins with a smile.”



Academic Excellence

Results of University Examination conducted in May 2018



TOPPERS

∞ SEMESTER 2:

BHUMIKA RAJENDRA DALAL - 9.69

RISHABH SINGH - 9.54

SHIVANI ANIL GANATRA - 9.42

∞ SEMESTER 4:

KOMAL BHADRESH SHAH - 9.43

AJAY ASHOK BIRAJDAR - 9.0

SHRUTI GOPAL MAHESHWARI - 8.86

∞ SEMESTER 6:

LALITA BALU SHINDE - 9.33

DHANASHRI RAJAN PHATAK - 9.09

KSHITIJA NANDAN VARTAK - 9.08

- By MCA Exam Department

Internships

- ◆ In the year 2018-19, the MCA department received an admirable number of internship offers. **28** companies offered internships to the MCA students.
- ◆ Out of a total of 112 students, **96** students got internships in companies various Tech Companies and MNC's.



BNP PARIBAS

NOMURA

YoHaat.com
Online Factory Outlet



CODIUM



CRISIL
An S&P Global Company

- By Prof. Ramesh Solanki

Student Endeavour

Scholarships

Student Aid Scholarship (2018-2019) of rupees fifteen thousand each are given to 15-20 students across all departments every year. This scholarship is given to the students with a score of at least 7.00 grade and family income of less than one lakh per annum. This year it was awarded to the following students:

- ◆ Kanchan Yevale from third year
- ◆ Pratishkumar Singh from third year
- ◆ Ravindra Auti from second year
- ◆ Shraddha Prabhu from third year
- ◆ Ashishkumar Gupta from second year



"The fruit of faith is love, and the fruit of love is service."



Suman Tulsiani Scholarship (2018-2019): This scholarship is decided centrally for VES colleges and forwarded to Tulsiani Trust. The criteria for this scholarship is that, the student should have a score of at least 7.00 grade and family income of less than three lakhs per annum. This year it was awarded to the following students:

- ◆ Abdul Amsari from second year
- ◆ Mahesh Bhosale from third year
- ◆ Ajay Birajdar from third year
- ◆ Siddhant Shinde from second year
- ◆ Ajay Nair from third year
- ◆ Pradeep Bora from third year
- ◆ Jyoti Chauhan from third year
- ◆ Sameer Yadav from second year
- ◆ Sanket Patil from third year
- ◆ Shubham Kamlapure from third year
- ◆ Vishal Gupta from second year

Vivekanand Jyothi Scholarship (2018-2019): One student from each department is given this scholarship. An amount of rupees thirty thousand each is given every year. The criteria is a grade point of at least 7.00 and family income of less than one lakh per annum. This year it was awarded to the following student:

- ◆ Komal Silmula from third year
- ◆ Pawan Jaiswal from second year

-By Prof. Geocey Shejy, Prof. Manju Ahuja

SPICE

Students Personality, Intellect & Creativity Enhancement (**SPICE**) was formed to bridge the gap between the college syllabus and the placements. SPICE conducts aptitude test, sessions by experts and ex-students to make students understand the aptitude level of dream companies as well prepare them for such placements in both aptitude and interviews.

Aptitude Tests:

SPICE conducted an offline aptitude test, where students were supposed to solve a twenty five mark question paper in half an hour. SPICE conducts tests for all students to prepare for aptitude tests of various companies. This helps them to prepare for such tests and also gives them an idea of what to expect from them. The aptitude tests were conducted which included mainly questions pertaining to **“non-verbal communication, mathematics, logical reasoning and computer fundamentals.”**

Top rank holders from first year :

- ◆ Priyal Mukesh Danani
- ◆ Mohammad Nafis Mohammad Rafiq Khan
- ◆ Sahil Balu Shete
- ◆ Jinang Dignesh Vora

Top rank holders from second year :

- ◆ Meghna Bhaskar Patil
- ◆ Anikesh S M
- ◆ Jui Vijay Vichare
- ◆ Rishabh Singh

PowerPoint presentation

S.P.I.C.E at VESIT organized a **“PowerPoint presentation”** making competition, which was an online event where the students were supposed to make a five-slide PowerPoint presentation and email it to S.P.I.C.E, following all the guidelines given by the S.P.I.C.E team.

Winners of power point presentation.

- ◆ Brijesh Vishwakarma from first year
- ◆ Sushil Saindane from first year
- ◆ Anam Arif from first year

-By Prof. Nishi Tikku, Prof. Dhanamma Jagli



Achievements

- ◆ Preeti Singh, Parvez Mullah, Saad Shaikh and Rohin Rangnekar of third year won third position in inter-collegiate technical event in **“TSEC hackathon”** organized by Thadomal Shahani Engineering College in September 2018.
- By Prof. Indira Bhattachariya

Certification Courses

- ◆ Meghna Patil of second year achieved certificate on **“Capstone: Retrieving, Processing, and Visualizing Data with Python”** and **“Using Databases with Python”** online non-credit courses authorized by University of Michigan and offered through Coursera in June 2018.
- ◆ Rohin Rangnekar of third year successfully completed course on **“Introduction to Programming using JavaScript”** Under Microsoft Technology Associate in August 2018.
- By Prof. Indira Bhattachariya

Co-Curricular

E-Cell

Book Swap Event

E-cell of VESIT organised a Book swap on 1st September, 2018. E-cell aims at better future by **“inspiring, informing and influencing”** its members and in keeping with its primary goal, by conducting various events and showcase the very essence of leadership and entrepreneurship qualities among students. The main objective of book swap was to avail the well maintained second-hand books from second year students to first year students. An event took place with organized book swapping between all the needy students. All available books were well in condition and ready to use. Books were priced at the lowest cost as compared to market price which helped to increase the number of buyers. The result was amazing as at the end of the event almost all books were sold with an effective profit margin.

Wantrepreneur Meet

The word **“Wantrepreneur”** is a blend of **“want + entrepreneur”**. A wantrepreneur is a person who aspires to be an entrepreneur, especially one who never realizes this ambition. Keeping this view in mind a seminar was held by E-Cell on 7th September, 2018 at 1.45 pm in the auditorium. Around 100 to 120 students attended the Wantrepreneur meet.



Wantrepreneur Meet

- By Prof. Sunny Nahar, Prof. Meenakshi Garg

SEP (Skill Enhancement Programme)

Technical tests under **“Skill Enhancement Programme (SEP)”** were conducted for students of MCA which was mainly focused on improving their understanding of the subjects taught in the semester. The test was conducted for first year MCA first semester, second year MCA semester three and third year MCA semester five on 4th October 2018. The test were conducted online for which purpose a Google form was shared with all the students. The questions were application oriented based on the university syllabus which were intended to enhance their technical skills. The test was well received by the students which will help for their academic excellence as well as their placement activities.



Toppers from first year :

- ◆ Divya Pokhriyal
- ◆ Vishal Bhandari
- ◆ Vishal Mourya
- ◆ Bhavesh Mandavkar
- ◆ Chetankumar Gupta

Toppers from second year :

- ◆ Ashlesh Aigal
- ◆ Neha Patil
- ◆ Prithvi Bose
- ◆ Amita Kaur
- ◆ Pratik Thorat
- ◆ Tarandeep Singh Saini
- ◆ Bhumika Dalal
- ◆ Akash Dubey
- ◆ Rupesh Juyal
- ◆ Pravin Gaikwad
- ◆ Ashish Gupta
- ◆ Meghna Patil
- ◆ Pritha Maurya
- ◆ Vishal Gupta

Toppers from third year :

- ◆ Ajay Birajdar
- ◆ Mayank Mandhotra
- ◆ Manigandan Govindraaj
- ◆ Mahesh Bhosale

-By Prof. Vaishali Gatty, Prof. Monali Rajput

Expert Lectures

- ◆ Mr. Vikas Singh from NESA Radiation Solutions Pvt. Ltd. conducted an expert lecture on ***“Cell Tower Radiation(Non-Ionizing Radiation) Hazards and Remedies.”*** for third year on 5th October, 2018.
- ◆ Mr. Sadanand Padmawar from Accenture conducted an expert lecture on ***“Agile and Scrum”*** for first year on 13th October, 2018.
- ◆ Nadar Bharati from Nomura conducted an expert lecture on ***“Quality Assurance”*** for second year on 13th October, 2018.
- ◆ Mr. Sadanand Padmawar from Accenture conducted an expert lecture on ***“Agile Method”*** for third year, second shift on 13th October, 2018.
- ◆ Mr. Sadanand Padmawar from Accenture conducted an expert lecture on ***“SDLC Current”*** for third year, second shift on 15th October, 2018

-By Prof. Geocey Shejy, Prof. Ruchi Rautela

Extra-Curricular

Cultural

Prarambh '18

PRARAMBH is the ***“Annual Fresher's Event”*** hosted by the second year MCA students to welcome the freshers. The event was held on 1st September, 2018 at Amphitheatre, VESIT. The event included various performances by freshers and seniors as well. Council Games were held and E-Cell council won the event. Highlight of the event was the Mr and Ms Fresher Competition. **Shailesh Prasad** and **Ashitta Silven** were crowned Mr And Ms Fresher .



Group Dance –first year

-By Prof. Sangeeta Oswal, Prof. Ruchi Rautela



MUSIC COUNCIL

Bliss'18

The first cultural event of this year is "**Bliss'18**". The main objective of Bliss is to showcase the **musical talent** we have in our college. Music can transport you to places and worlds you thought never existed. It just appeals to you in a way no other thing or person can. Bliss'18 provides a stage for the students to showcase their amazing talents. The event took place on 27th August, 2018 at auditorium, VESIT.

Participants :

- ◆ Tarandeep Singh Saini from second year
- ◆ Prithvi Bose from second year
- ◆ Ajay Prajapati from third year



Participants

-By Prof. Sangeeta Oswal, Prof. Ruchi Rautela

SoRT

Umeed'18

It was a six-day event which was held from 5th September to 11th September from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. SoRT council promotes the **NGOs** and their **products** in college during this event by setting up counters on ground floor, Amphitheatre and fifth floor. Students and teachers could buy these products on selling price decided by the NGOs itself. All the profits made from sales of these products are then handed over to the respective NGOs.

Kerala Floods Aid Donation Drive

SoRT VESIT in collaboration with VF foundation, Wadala, contributed to the movement "**Rise for Kerala, Stand for Kerala.**" It was a three day donation drive to lend a helping hand, to thousands of people who lost their beautiful paradise in the blink of an eye. Desks were setup to promote the event and receive donations by students on ground floor, amphitheatre and the fifth floor. Basic necessities like food, clothes and medicines were donated in enormous quantities. Some individuals also contributed funds, SoRT used those for buying more medicines, since it was the most sought-after donation. The donations were then sent to Kerala through VF foundation. The drive was completed successfully with great enthusiasm and overwhelming participation and support from the students as well as the college staff. Numerous students from many departments including MCA and several staff members donated several items like goods, clothing and medication.

Best Out Of Waste

It's a strain to the eye to see filth all around us. Not only does it stink but also appalling to the eyes, so on the occasion of **Gandhi Jayanti**, the SoRT Council arranged "**best out of waste**" competition. Students used their innovative concepts and aesthetic abilities to make the most unique dustbin using waste materials. A total of thirteen teams participated from VESIT with one team from MCA and they secured second position.



Team from first year MCA

"Intense love does not measure, it just gives."



Traffic Monitoring

On the occasion of Gokulashtmi, the streets of chembur get a little congested because of the merry-makers, SoRT VESIT in collaboration with Chembur Welfare Association arranged a **“Traffic Monitoring Program”** on 3rd September, 2018 on the occasion of Gokulashtami near Chembur Naka to keep a check and avoid the congestion. There were two time slots for Traffic Monitoring 11 am - 2 pm and 5.30 pm - 8 pm.



-By Prof. Sangeeta Oswal, Prof. Ruchi Rautela

Faculty Pursuits

Courses/Workshop/Orientation

- ◆ Dr. Shivkumar Goel, Mrs. Rohini Temkar, Mrs. Sangeeta Oswal, Mrs. Geocey Shejy, Mr. Ramesh Solanki, Mr. Ameya Parkar, Mrs. Ruchi Rautela, Mr. Sunny Nahar, Mrs. Meenakshi Garg, Mrs. Vaishali Gatty and Mrs. Monali Rajput attended FDP on **“Deep Learning and Artificial Intelligence”**, in association with Finland Labs IIT Roorkee and CSI Mumbai Chapter at VESIT from 2nd July, 2018 to 7th July, 2018.
- ◆ Mr. Dashrath Mane and Mrs. Dhanamma Jagli attended an orientation on **“Machine Learning”** organized by BVIMIT on 12th July, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Ruchi Rautela and Mrs. Vaishali Gatty attended workshop on **“Mobile application development - Android Programming”** at Department of Computer applications, SIES College of Management Studies, Nerul on 14th July, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Rohini Temkar and Mr. Ramesh Solanki participated in the workshop on **“INTERNET OF THINGS - IOT”** Organized by IETE SAKEC STUDENTS FORUM (Shah and Anchor Kutchhi Engineering College) on 21st & 22nd July, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Ruchi Rautela attended an expert talk on **“INTRODUCTION TO QUANTUM COMPUTING AND ITS APPLICATIONS”** and **“TECHNOLOGY TRENDS – A PERSPECTIVE”** organized in collaborations with VESIT Research forum on 24th July, 2018 and 01st August, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Indira Bhattacharya and Mrs. Dhanamma Jagli attended an expert talk on **“TECHNOLOGY TRENDS – A PERSPECTIVE”** organized in collaborations with VESIT Research forum on 01st August, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Sangeeta Oswal attended **“ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE DAY”** in Mumbai organized by Aegis School of Data Sciences and IEEE SAKEC on 1st September, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Vaishali Gatty, Mrs. Dhanamma Jagli and Mr. Sunny Nahar completed FDP on **“SOFTWARE TESTING”** under NPTEL IIT Madras from August 2018 to October 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Sangeeta Oswal and Mrs. Dhanamma Jagli completed FDP on **“INTRODUCTION TO MACHINE LEARNING”** under NPTEL IIT Kharagpur from August 2018 to October 2018.
- ◆ Mr. Dashrath Mane coordinated & attended an expert talk on **“MACHINE LEARNING USING R”** organized in collaborations with VESIT Research forum on 04th October, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Dhanamma Jagli delivered an expert talk on **“Machine Learning using R”** organized in collaborations with VESIT Research forum on 04th October, 2018.



- ◆ Mrs. Ruchi Rautela and Mrs. Indira Bhattacharya attended an expert talk on **“Machine Learning using R”** organised in collaborations with VESIT Research forum on 04th October, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Sangeeta Oswal and Mr. Sunny Nahar attended workshop on **“Artificial Intelligence and Deep Learning”** conducted by leadingindia.ai and Bennett University at DDYPSET, Pune, from 6th October, 2018 to 8th October, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Sangeeta Oswal and Mr. Sunny Nahar attended lab session of NVIDIA on **“Image Classification & Object Detection with DIGITS”** conducted by leadingindia.ai and Bennett University at DDYPSET, Pune on 8th October, 2018.
- ◆ Mr. Dashrath Mane attended workshop on **“Smart India Hackathon SIH IIC ARIIA”** organised by AICTE Western region office in Sardar Patel College of Engineering on 12th October, 2018.
- ◆ Mr. Sunny Nahar and Mrs Indira Bhattacharya attended a talk on **“How to Train, Coach and Mentor the Millennials”** conducted by VESIT on 23rd October, 2018.

- By Prof. Sunny Nahar, Prof. Meenakshi Garg

Other Activities

- ◆ Mrs. Rohini Temkar has filed a **patent** on her **PhD topic**.
- ◆ Mr Ramesh Solanki had participated in the **“Training & Placement Officers Meet on Industry-Student Partnership-Role of the Trainer”**, at ICFAL Business School, Mumbai on 31st August, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Dhanamma Jagli presented a research paper in international Conference ICIETS, Mysore, Titled **“Hybrid Cluster Model for Evaluation Software Services On Cloud Computing Environment”** IEEE Xplore, on 20th and 21th September 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Dhanamma Jagli was invited as an expert to conduct **“Academic Administrative Audit (AAA) of Department of MCA”**, NMITD, Dadar on 21st September, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Indira Bhattacharya and Mrs. Rohini Temkar took part in a VRC coordinated **PRAXIS** event as an organizer in VESIT on 21st and 22nd September, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Ruchi Rautela along with LBS committee coordinated **“LBS Championship 2018-19”** event in VESIT on 10th October, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Dhanamma Jagli had delivered invited guest lecture on **“R Programming”** at K J Somaiya Institute of Management Studies and Research, Vidyavihar, Mumbai on 20th October, 2018.
- ◆ Mrs. Sangeeta Oswal attended a **“Campus Connect Meeting between College Academia and GIC IT India Leadership Team”** organized by General Mills on 17th December, 2018.
- ◆ Our distinguished faculty members published and presented **nine research papers** in national and international journals and conferences.

- By Prof. Sunny Nahar, Prof. Meenakshi Garg



Expressions

To My Beloved Bike

Tu thi, tu hai par tu rahegi nahi
Meri ye majboori ab tu sahegi nahi
Tu thi, tu hai par tu rahegi nahi

yaad hai mujhe wo din, jab aayi thi tu mere ghar pe
Maa ke haath mein thi pooja ki thali, khade the sab log dar pe
Daddy ne mujhe diya tha wo surprise
mujhe kya pata tha, ek din dhundhunga tera selling price
tera self start mujhe karta tha excite
aur wo teri double white headlight
pehli ride pe gaye the kisi mandir mein kahi
tu thi, tu hai par tu rahegi nahi
meri ye majboori ab tu sahegi nahi

Back seat pe maa ko bitha ke laate the ghar ka rashan
aur daddy ka har baar ka tha no speeding wala bhashan
tera wo attitude mein baar baar band ho jaana
self start aur kick, par tera start na ho paana
baarish mein tera wo phata hua horn
tujhe mujh jitna pyaar aur karega kon?
tujhe aaj tak kabhi kisi dost ko maine diya nahi
Tu thi, tu hai par tu rahegi nahi
Meri ye majboori ab tu sahegi nahi

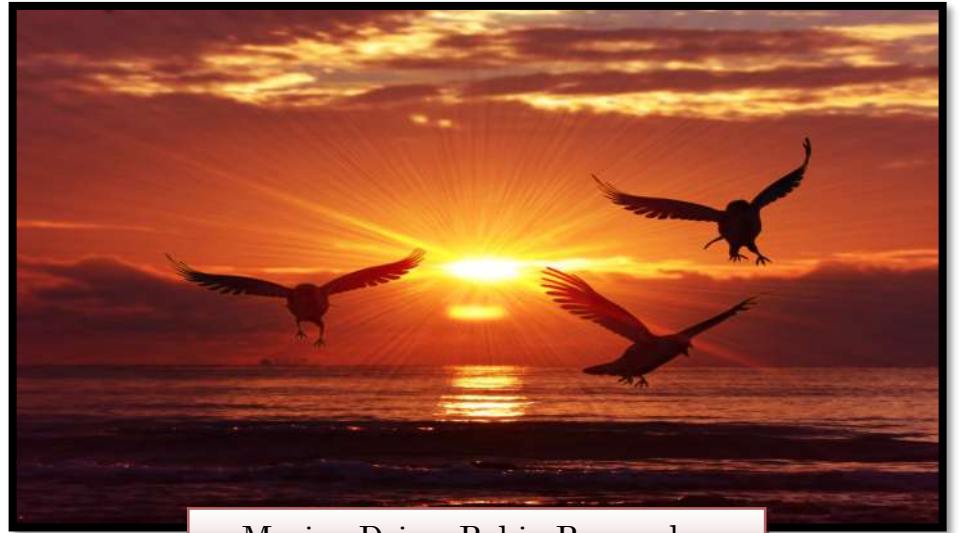
Ghar pe sabse chhupa ke GF ko leata ja for long ride
Teri hi wajah se kayi baar hoti thi meri aur uski fight
Tera average tha kam par mujhe tu bohot bhaati thi
ur nakhre to dekho, har 3 mahine mein garage jaati thi
har week hota tha ek naya puncture
tune bhi to diya tha mujhe fubula mein fracture
Main stand pe daal ke tujhe, khaate the hum noodles
aur mere dosto ne bhi tujhe kiye the wo danger wale doodles
bas ab ye selfies hi reh jayengi yahi
Tu thi, tu hai par tu rahegi nahi
Meri ye majboori ab tu sahegi nahi

Aaj jab maa ko hai medical emergency
tujhe chalane ki ab badh gayi hai frequency
Bank balance bhi ab ho gaya hai khatam
OLX pe bechna padega tujhe wo bhi selling price se kam
teri ek duplicate key, hamesha rahegi mere locker mein
tujhe kabhi bataya nahi, par koi problem thi tere shocker mein
shayad tujhe mil nahi paunga ab life mein kabhi
are koi baat nahi yaar, har baar happy ending zaroori nahi
chal ab tu ja Bye bye, tujhe kabhi bhulunga nahi
Tu thi, tu hai par tu rahegi nahi
Meri ye majboori ab tu sahegi nahi

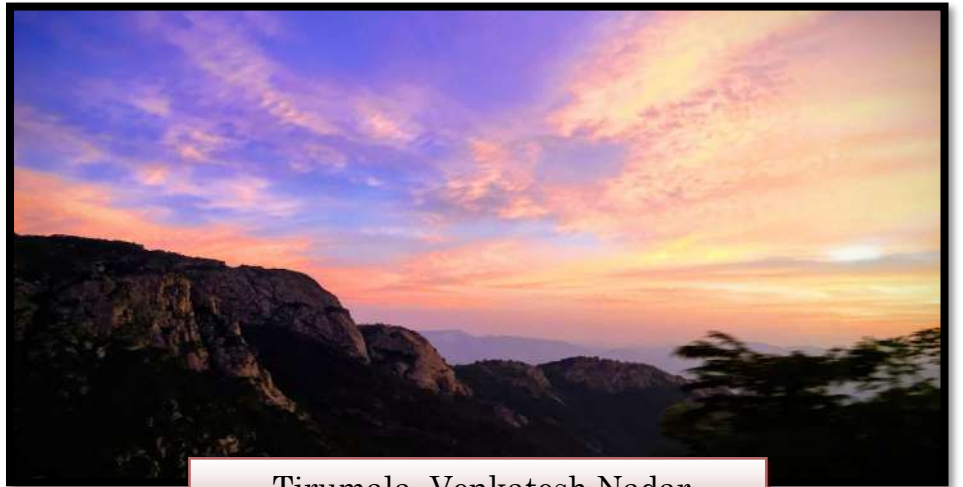
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Marine Drive, Rohin Rangnekar



Tirumala, Venkatesh Nadar

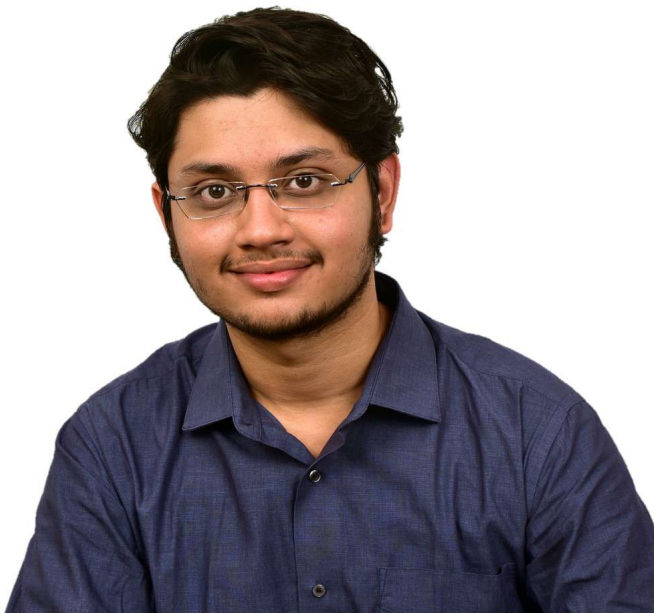


Kedarnath Peak, Sagar Patil



Alumni Interaction

-Ankita Gaonkar, MCA 2M



“You only have to do a very few things right in your life so long as you don’t do many wrong things.”

-Warren Buffett

Venkatesh Vaasudhevan is a VESIT alumni of the graduating class of 2018. Venkatesh has an impeccable record at VESIT. His time at VESIT included his participation in numerous co-curricular and extracurricular activities. Venkatesh was a part of the team that represented VESIT at Smart India Hackathon and won. Venkatesh was also a founding member of Anantha and helped coming up with the name for the newsletter and our logo. Presently he works as a Software Engineer at JP Morgan and Chase Co.

◆ **How was your time at VESIT? Do you have any vivid memory while you were at VESIT?**

Simply put, my time at VESIT had its ups and downs. Some of the friendships I made at VESIT are here to stay. The opportunities that I got during my three years here is something I am thankful for. It was also a study in diplomacy, trying to deal with different people from various departments.

◆ **Why did you choose to study MCA at VESIT?**

VESIT is one of the top colleges for MCA in Mumbai and when I was allocated here in the first list, I looked no further. And the added bonus was that one of my best friends also got in.

◆ **How different was your first day of MCA and your last day of MCA?**

The obvious difference is the amount of people I knew. I came in as a wet behind ears graduate and left as a mature responsible individual ready to take on the world.

◆ **What made you go for MCA rather than a job after getting your bachelor’s degree?**

I knew that just being a graduate won’t get me anywhere. I needed to grow more and learn more and learn more to be indispensable for an organization. I had also seen many people who once they get into a job, give up on further studies. I did not want to end up like that.

◆ **What are the best and the worst moments during the interview process?**

The only interview I have given is the telephonic one for JPMC. I am not sure there is any “worst” moments I can think about, then again it is not like I have a lot of experience in interview giving. The best moment is definitely when you can answer any question put before you confidently. It makes you proud of yourself.

◆ **How would you describe the moment you found out you got placed in JPMC?**

I was ecstatic to say the least! I was anxious to face aptitude tests and it was a major relief to me that I did not have to do that. I was also impressed with JPMC, their work culture and technologies, and to get to work there was a dream come true.

◆ **How are the things with your venture Sarvaswa?**

Things are going good with Sarvaswa. There are some exciting projects the company is dabbling in. The business is handled & lead by one of my fellow classmates – *Devesh Manjrekar*. Nevertheless, I constantly mentor & monitor all the stakes of the business.



◆ **How does it feel like to be outside in the corporate world?**

It is very different from our college life, that is for sure. At college, you interact with people around you same age and your ways of thinking also is somewhat similar. In the corporate world you are with people of different ages and varied thinking. You get to learn a lot. You also learn how to put your point across to people in a diplomatic way.

◆ **When the idea for Sarvaswa was conceived how did you decide on the people you wanted to work with?**

“SARVASWA” literally means ‘entirety’ and it truly means everything for me. Doing some good business was always my thing and I personally started off in the year 2011. When I joined VESIT, I found out few of my classmates wanted to venture out along with me who had similar interests, passion, no fear and most importantly had thoughts aligned to the foundation pillars of Sarvaswa. This is when we incorporated as *Sarvaswa Ventures (OPC) Private Limited* in 2016.

◆ **Tell us something about your experience with the Smart India Hackathon?**

To participate in Smart India Hackathon was one of the best decisions we had made. The weeks leading up to the event was extremely hectic, the three days we spent there, even more so. But it was all worth it when our names were announced as one of the winners. I have never had a better night’s sleep than after winning SIH. The fact it was the first time travelling on our own, out of Mumbai, for most of us was an added benefit.

◆ **You were one of the co-founders of ANANTHA. We still use your templates. While working for the first issue did you ever think you would be the one answering these questions by the fifth issue?**

I, honestly, did not think that I would be on the receiving end of these questions and I feel honored. I am, however, very happy that the newsletter is going on strong and would hope that it continues for years to come.

◆ **You were part of various co-curricular and extracurricular activities while at VESIT. According to you how important are they in shaping a student’s personality?**

You are good at studies, it is all well and good. But, I feel that it is participating in these activities that allow you to convert knowledge to practice. For example, we knew about UX and UI is all about, but it was while we were working as part of the Admission team that we found out how the end users influence design choices and how these can make or break your system.

◆ **What are your plans for the future?**

All my plans lie with Sarvaswa. In a few years, I would like to solely concentrate on making Sarvaswa a success. An organization to look up to, with strong moral foundation and a great success story. For that I need to have experience working with other great firms and that is the phase I am currently at.

◆ **Any words of wisdom for your juniors?**

Challenge yourselves! Coming to college every day and leaving after attending the lectures might get you good marks but it can only take you so far. Seek out opportunities that allow you to learn. Take the summer projects seriously. Think out of the box.





Congratulations

“You know you’re in love when you can’t fall asleep because reality is finally better than your dreams.”

– Dr. Seuss

**We congratulate Mrs. Nishi Tiku on her daughter Mehak’s wedding to Chinmay
"Best wishes on this wonderful journey, as you build your new lives together."**

