**Resume**

**Rahul Vasantrao Deshmukh**

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## PROFILE:

I am an adoptable, enthusiastic, optimistic Visually Challenged youth & take great pride in my work. Along with consistent excellent academic achievements, I communicate well at all levels & am able to form working relationship quickly with a wide range of people possessing excellent administrative, computer and communication skills.

## EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:

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| **Degree** | **University / Board** | **Marks %** | **Period** | **Rank in**  **OPEN Merit List** |
| **S.S.C.** | Pune Board | 70% | 1996-97 | ---- |
| **H.S.C.** | Pune Board | 81.33% | 1997-99 | **13th in Pune Board** |
| **B.A. (Sociology)** | Pune University | 75% | 1999-2002 | **4th inPune University** |
| **B.ED.**  **(History & Marathi)** | Pune University | 66% | 2002-04 | **‘O’ Grade** |
| **M.A. (Sociology)** | Pune University | 82.51% | 2004-06 | **1st inPune University** |
| **M.A.**  **(Political Science)** | Pune University | 73.75% | 2006-08 | **5th in Pune University** |
| **M.S.W. (F.C.W.)** | Tilak Maharashtra University | 62.90% | 2009-10 |  |
| **Appeared for M. Phil (Sociology)** | Tilak Maharashtra University | - |  |  |

### COURSES:

* **Diploma in Social Work** – 2004-05 – Tilak Maharashtra University with 67%.
* **Certificate Course in Child and Family Counseling** – 2004 – PuneUniversity, Secured Grade A, and was Awarded the Best Project.
* **Certificate Course in Information Technology** From MITech With 75.20 % & Grade B
* **MS - OFFICE** from Gateway Computer Academy.
* **MS-CIT** ( Maharashtra State Certificate course in Information Technology) with 80%

## EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

* **Actively participated in a Discussion** with noted Philanthrophist Late Shri P L Deshpande on the topic – ‘Today’s Marathi Literature
* **Acted in a Drama** broadcasted by Pune Radio ‘Aamhi Aananda Yatri’.
* **Anchored a** Special program of songs broadcasted by Pune Radio Station - ‘Gandha Madhur Gite’

**PRIZES & ACHIEVEMENTS:**

* Won number of prizes in **State Level Competitions like - Swimming, Essay**

**Writing, Elocution and Debates** during my College days.

**WRITINGS**

* **Author** of two volumes of a **Marathi Book – ‘MAITRI NIBHANDHASHI’** for students of Standards Vto VII & VIII to XII. **Great thinker of Maharashtra G.P. Pradhan has given his Preface to these books and is published by Anmol Publication**
* **Writing Articles, Letters in different Newspapers like Sakal etc.**

## WORK EXPERIENCE:

* **Founder President of ‘National Association For The Welfare Of Physically Challenged’ (NAWPC), Pune** since May 2008. Along with Snehankit, took up additional responsibility of working for the welfare of Physically Handicapped.
* Through NAWPC Started & running Projects like Computer training Center, Digital Library, Recreational Center for Visually & Physically Challenged along with various activities for their overall development throughout the year.
* **Founder President** of ‘**Snehankit Association for the Non-Seeing Friends, Pune’**

since March –1999 working for the welfare of Visually Impaired students & started

Computertraining center for Visually Challenged studentswhich has become first of its

kind in whole Maharashtra.

* Imparting Computer training to the Visually Challenged students since 2003 & playing a role of not only a discipline maintaining teacher but also of a Counselor, Guide, Motivator & a Friend for them (more than 650 Visually Challenged students have passed out from our training institute).

**CONTRIBUTION TO THE PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED SOCIETY:**

* Started Computer Training Centre for the Visually Challenged which is the first computer training institute of its kind in Maharashtra. Imparted computer training to more than 650 visually challenged students till date.
* Started Digital Library for the Visually Challenged, which is also first of its kind in Pune City. Now Visually Challenged students can listen to many non – academic audio books of different subjects with the help of computers
* **Recently started a specialized barrier free hostel for the Visually & physically challenged students who come to Pune from all over Maharashtra for their college & further education.**
* Started Recreation centre for the Visually & Physically Challenged which helps to explore their creativity, talents and potentials.
* Started specialized computer training centre for the disabled wherein the physically challenged people are getting free computer education which is also first of its kind in Pune City.
* Successfully started special scholarship distribution the program for Physically Challenged. Under this project presently 150 needy and talented visually and physically challenged students are getting scholarship to financially support their education.
* Boosting and rehabilitating the morale of the visually and physically challenged by way of conducting

1. Competitions
2. Health check up camps
3. Career counseling camps
4. Spoken English Session
5. Yoga classes
6. Preparation classes for Competitive Exams.

* Celebrating festivals and get together like Celebration of

1. Friendship day
2. Rakhi Poornima,
3. Dahi Handi,
4. Guru Poornima,
5. Ganesh Festival
6. Dasara , Diwali
7. Birthday Celebrations of members etc.

**AWARDS:**

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| **Year** | **Awards Achieved** |
| **2013** | **‘Prabhat Puraskar’ (30th March 2013) (Trophy, Citation & Rs.11,000/-)** from Prabhat Mitra Mandal, Pune at the hands of Mr. Subhash Deshmukh, Ex- MP**.**  **‘Swami Vivekanand Yuva Gaurav Puraskar’ – 12th Jan 2013 –** from Pune City Yuvak Congress.  **‘Vocational Excellence Award’–11thJan 2013 –**from Rotary Club of Pune Far East |
| **2012** | ‘**Riddhi Siddhi Puraskar’ (25th Sept. 2012 – from Nagnathpar Sarvajanik Trust, Pune** at the hands of Assistant Editor of Sakal Daily, Shri. Sunil Mali.  **\*\*\*State Level ‘Samajik Gaurav Puraskar’ ( 29th May 2012) (Rs.1 Lakh, Trophy, Citation)** – at the hands of **Nyayamurti Chandrashekhar Dharmadhikari**, Shri. Bhishmarai Bam by URL Foundation, Mumbai for the remarkable contribution in the social work for Rehabilitation of Visually & Physically Challenged. |
| **2011** | **\*\*\*National Level ‘Positive Health Award’ (16th Nov. 2011)** – **at the hands of Film Star Abhay Deol &** Dr. Mukesh Batra by Dr. Batra’s Positive Health Foundation for conquering the blindness &imparting outstanding contribution in the field of computer education & all-round development of the Visually & Physically Challenged for the past 12 years  **\*\*\*‘Jayantrao Tilak Smruti Puraskar ’ (4th Jan 2011) – at the hands of Forest Minister Dr. Patangrao Kadam by Kesari Maratha Trust, Pune** for the social work for Physically Challenged through National Association For the Welfare of Physically Challenged.  **‘Rashtra Gaurav Puraskar’ (9th Jan 2011)–at the hands of famous Industrialist Mr. D.S. Kulkarni** for the contribution to the welfare of Visually Challenged.  **\*\*\*State Level ‘Bharari Award’ (4thDec. 2011)(Trophy, Citation & Rs.5000/-) at the hands of Magsaysay Award winner, Social Worker Nileema Mishra by ‘Helpers of Handicapped’, Kolhapur in presence of President Naseema Hurzuk.** |
| **2010** | **\*\*\*National level -‘IBN7 Bajaj Allianz Super Idol Award’ (2010) (Rs. 1 Lac, Trophy, & Citation) in** ‘Business & Employment category’ at the hands **of Film Super Star Aamir Khan**from **IBN 7 & Bajaj Allianz** at Mumbai **for the** exemplary achievements & Social work for the empowerment of Visually & Physically Challenged.  **‘Super Star Award’ ( 26th Jan 2010 ) – from Red FM radio, Pune** for being a good example for youth to contribute to the social work with a successful career at a very young age.  **‘Special Appreciation Award’ (26thJan 2010)–from Loins Club of Pune Sapphire** |
| **2009** | **‘SurajyacheShiledarPuraskar (Award)’ (2009)- at the Hands of famous**  **Industrialist Mr. VitthalKamat**, from Rashtra bhakti Yuva Manch**,** Pune. |
| **2008** | **‘Social Excellence Award’ (2007-2008)** from Inteliment Technologies, Pune. |
| **2007** | ‘**YUVA GAURAV AWARD**‘ **( 2007)** from Rashtra bhakti Yuva Manch**,** Pune. |
| **2006** | **‘CHIRAG AWARD’ (2006)** – **at the hands of Editor Shri. Mukund Sangoram** from Rotary Club of Pune Up-town. This award is always given to person who himself is Blind & has great contribution in the social work for the welfare of Blind. |
| **2005** | **‘VIDYA VRAT Award’ (2005)** from Vidya Institute of Management, for consistent academic achievements. |
| **2004** | **‘Special Award’ (2004)** by the Social Welfare Department of Pune & Solapur, for excellent performance in Academics as well as in Social Work. |
| **2001** | **‘Best Student of the Year’** by the **S.P. College, Pune (2001)** for extra ordinary performance in Academics & Extracurricular activities. |
| **1997** | **‘Best Student of the Year’** by the **Aapte Prashala, Pune( 1997)** |
| **1994** | **‘Best Student of the Year’** by **Koregaon Park Blind School, Pune( 1994)** |

**INTERESTS:**

Reading, Meeting people, Making Friends, Helping others & Traveling

**KEY SKILLS:**

Optimistic Attitude, High Grasping Power. Communication Skills, Leadership Skills

**PERSONAL DETAILS:**

**Date of Birth:** 05th May 1977 **Marital status:** Single

**Languages Known:** Marathi, Hindi & English

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