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OBJECTIVE

Utilize my versatile experience as a Freelance Journalist/Interpreter /Translator

PROFILE

- **Freelance Journalist/Interpreter/Translator Professional** with diverse experience in print media
- Excellent reading/writing skills in **Marathi, Hindi** and **English** and good understanding **Spanish**
- **Marathi Voice Over/Recording Professional** with **8+** years of experience in the field of **Recording, Broadcasting, Webcasting, Telecasting** and **Event Compereing**
- Proficient in sound editing and mixing technologies

EDUCATION

Master of Arts, Marathi Literature, Mumbai University, Mumbai, India **Apr 2002**
Bachelor of Arts, Marathi Literature, Mumbai University, Mumbai, India **May 1999**
Diploma in Marathi Journalism, St. Xavier's Institute of Communications, Mumbai, India **Apr 2001**

EXPERIENCE

Freelance Journalist/Writer **Jan 2000 – Present**

- Wrote columns, articles, book reviews in various newspapers and magazines
- Conducted and published interviews of various writers, actors, sportspersons, doctors, musicians, upcoming talent etc
- Provided technical support in newspaper printing which included tasks such as typing, proof reading, composing etc
- Served as a executive editor for 'Saad-Pratisad' (annual marathi magazine) published by Phoenix Metro Maharashtra Mandal

Translator and Interpreter **Jan 2000 – Present**

- Translated documents that include press release, medical journal articles etc. for various agencies
- Served as English to Hindi Interpreter for preschool admission interviews in USA

Radio Jockey/Announcer **All India Radio, FM Channel, Mumbai, India** **Jan 2000 – Dec 2003**
ePrasaran Internet Radio, San Jose, CA, USA **Jul 2007 – Present**
Manthan Podcast, Los Angeles, CA, USA **Sep 2009 – Present**

- Produced and broadcasted live as well as recorded shows related to Marathi music and literature
- Handled 'Dial-in' shows to incorporate audience requests
- Conducted *interviews* of various writers, actors, sportspersons, musicians etc.
- Carried out compiling, writing, editing and reading *news bulletin*

Educational Voice Over Recordist **IL&FS ETS, Mumbai, India** **Oct 2004 – Dec 2004**
RFB&D, Phoenix, AZ, USA **Jan 2008 – Sep 2008**

- Recorded and edited educational scripts for various grades
- Served as volunteer to convert educational text books into audio books for blind and dislexic people

Television News Reader/Voice Over Artist **Mumbai Doordarshan, Mumbai, India** **Oct 2002 – Dec 2003**
Thane Vaibhav Channel, Thane, India **Jun 2003 – Jan 2005**

- Compiled, wrote, edited and presented live as well as recorded news bulletin in Marathi
- Provided voice overs to various shows and documentaries related to travel, agriculture, business etc.

SOFTWARE SKILLS

MS Word, MS Excel, MS Power Point, Baraha Unicode 8.0, I-Translator, Audacity 1.2.6, Sony Sound Forge 7, Cakewalk Pro Audio 8,