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Qualifications with Class/Grade:

- 1. Ph. D. (Computer Engineering), Mumbai University 2024.
- 2. M. E. (Computer Engineering), Mumbai University 2013, First Class.
- 3. B.E. (Computer Engineering.), Mumbai University, 2005, First Class.
- 4. H. S. C. (Computer Science), Maharashtra State Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education, 2001, First Class with Distinction.

Total Experience in Years: More than 19 years of Teaching Experience

 Assistant Professor, Ramrao Adik Institute of Technology, DY Patil Deemed to be University, Navi Mumbai, from 23/12/2005 to 27/10/2024.

Courses Taught:

- Algorithm and Complexity (PG)
- Ethical Hacking and Digital Forensics (PG)
- Data Structures (UG)
- Analysis of Algorithm (UG)
- Theory of Computer Science (UG)
- Digital Signal and Image Processing (UG)
- Image Processing (UG)
- Pattern Recognition (UG)
- Digital Forensics (UG)
- Computer Graphics (UG)
- Object Oriented Programming (UG)
- CP-I & II (UG)

Projects Guided:

- B.E. Project: more than 80
- M.E. Project: 6

Certification and Courses Completed:

• Network Security Associates Level 1, 2 and 3 course by Fortinet, Eduskill Academy

- Coursera course on Cybersecurity Awareness and Innovation, Programming for Everybody (Getting Started with Python), Python Programming Essentials, MachineLearning for all
- IIT, Bombay Course on Introduction to Machine Learning

Master Level: 6 Students Guided		
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excel etc.		
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students of Bachelor of Business Application, Vijay Patil School of		
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Patents and Copyrights:

A. Patent:

 Published a Patent on "A Method to Secure Communication Between IoT Devices Through Cryptographic Hybrid Encryption Techniques", Application Number: 202421038233, Date of Publication: 24/01/2025.

- 2. Filed a Patent on "A System and Method to Ensure A Secured Multi-Party Computation Framework", Application Number: 202421050735
- 3. Filed a Patent on "An Advanced and Portable Women Safety Device", Application Number: 202421050742

B. Copyright:

1. Title: Early detection of Alzheimer's disease through cognitive skill based gaming

Diary Number: SW-14744/2021

2. Title: Digital Course File (DCF) – A Tool for the calculation of CO-PO Attainment

Diary Number: 13246/2022-CO/SW

3. Title: Detection of counterfeit products using blockchain

Diary Number: 7917/2022-CO/SW

4. Title: Development of A Web Based System Software For Measurement of Indirect PO Attainment through CO-PO Feedback

Diary Number: SW-18488/2024

5. Title: E-Railway Concession System for College Students

Diary Number: SW-18780/2024

6. Title: E-Bonafide System for College Students

Diary Number: SW-18488/2024

7. Title: Solumind: Portal for Improving Mental Health

Diary Number: 7862/2024-CO/SW

8. Title: VeriFace: Unmasking Deep Fakes with the use of Deep Learning

Techniques

Diary Number: 21847/2024-CO/SW

9. Title: StudyHub: Learning Platform Designed with AI Technology

Diary Number: 36769/2024-CO/SW

Journal Publications & Conferences:

Journal:

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- Janak Ghansham Dhokrat, Namita Pulgam, Tabassum Maktum, Vanita Mane, "A Framework for Privacy-Preserving Multiparty Computation with Homomorphic Encryption and Zero-Knowledge Proofs", Informatica, Vol 48, No 21, 2024, https://doi.org/10.31449/inf.v48i21.6562.
- 3. Namita D. Pulgam and Subhash K. Shinde, "Improving assaulted medical image quality using improved adaptive filtering network", International Journal of Intelligent Systems Technologies and Applications.22, 1, pp no. 16–28, 2024. https://doi.org/10.1504/ijista.2024.136531.
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- 8. "Image forgery detection and localization using modified JPEG ghost", International Journal of Innovative Technology and Exploring Engineering, Volume 8, Year 2019, Pages, 5433-5436.
- Payal Sancheti, Rajashree Shedge Namita Pulgam, "Abstractive Summarization using AMR and Random Walk Algorithm", Grenze International Journal of Engineering and Technology, Year 2018.
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Project Competitions:

Mentor the students for project development to participate in Tiaa Retirement AI Hackathon,
June 2024, Mumbai and team got selected in top 7.

☐ Mentor the students for project development to participate in ACM Kleos, June 2024,

Mumbai and team got selected in top 50s.
Mentor the students for project development to participate in Techathon, Feb 2024, Pune and
team got selected in top 30s out of 200 teams.
Mentor the students for project development to participate in Hackthisfall Feb 2024, Gujrat
and team got award for Best Idea Addressing Global Problem.
Mentor the students for project development to participate in Geek for Geeks Solving for India Hackathon, May 2023 and one team is qualified at institute level and was finalist at
zonal level.
Mentor the students for preparing exhibits and developing working innovation model, who
have participated in CiiA-2 Innovation Exhibition & Competition, Feb 2023 and two teams
got selected in top 100 projects.
Mentor the students for project development, who have participated in Anveshan: West Zone
Research Convention-2023 and team was finalist at zonal level.
Mentor the students for project development, who have participated in Smart India
Hackathon 2022 and the team was selected as finalist at national level.
Mentor the students for project development, who have participated in Aavishkar
Competition conducted by University of Mumbai 2021 and the team was selected as finalist at zonal level.
Mentor the students for project development, who have participated in Aavishkar
Competition conducted by University of Mumbai 2017 and the team was selected as finalist at zonal level.