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EDUCATION

Carmel Convent School, Chandigarh

April 2010 - Present

Grade 12

National Cadet Corps

2019 - 2021

NCC 'A' Certificate - Grade A

Trinity College London

May 2017 - November 2019

Grade 4 Plectrum Guitar

Grade 3 Theory of Music

SOCIAL WORK EXPERIENCE

Founder and Director, Netra Foundation

July 2020 - Present

- Collaborated with the Institute for the Blind, Chandigarh and Government Medical College and Hospital, Sector 32, Chandigarh, to help restore the vision of nine visually impaired children through rehabilitation measures.
 - Organised eye donation campaigns across Chandigarh through schools and colleges and signed over 150 eye donation forms.
 - Published books in Braille.
 - Recorded over 12 hours of audio in the form of audiobooks.
 - Volunteered as scribes for visually impaired students' Board Exams.
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WRITING AND JOURNALISM

Published Books

- Money, Lies & Grand Heists: **2020**
Published my debut fiction novel at the age of fifteen.
 - Beautiful Birds of City Beautiful: **2022**
Published my photography coffee table book.
 - Programming Taught in Braille: **2023**
Published India's first computer programming guide in Braille.
 - Computer Science in Braille (1: Python, 2: Network Systems, 3: Database-Management): **2023**
Published India's first textbook series in Braille for preparing for Class 12 Board Exams.
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Features

- The Tribune **July 2021**
'When words came to my rescue'
- Reader's Digest, India **May 2023**
'Over to You: Calm Hands, Active Minds'

PHOTOGRAPHY

Features and Publications

Newspapers and Media

- The Times, UK (News in Pictures) **October 2023**
'The wild dog fled when the macaque stood its ground in Chandigarh, India'
[News in pictures: Tuesday October 10, 2023](#)
- Daily Star Sunday, UK **August 2023**
'Ain't they tweet'
[dailystar.png](#)
- Index.hu, Hungary **July 2023**
'Egy nindzsa is megirigyelné ennek a mókusnak a rejtőzködőképességét'
(Translation: 'Even a ninja would envy this squirrel's ability to hide')
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Magazines

- Smart Photography **October 2023**
'Tutorial: Water Droplet Photography'
- JPC Magazine **October 2023**
'Photo Array: Sharanya Jain'
- Tricity Scoop **October 2023**
Cover Story
'In the Blink of a Droplet'

Awards

- World Tourism Day Exhibition / Tourism Department, Government of India **September 2023**
Photography displayed at the World Tourism Day exhibition.
Won a cash prize of Rs. 6,000.
 - Capture the Moment / Zamit, Luxor **September 2022**
Winner. Won a gift hamper from brands Zamit and Luxor.
 - Wildlife Conservation Exhibition / Carmel Convent School **November 2022**
Photography displayed at the Wildlife Conservation exhibition.
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RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS

Indian Journal of Positive Psychology

2023

- Published research on 'The Impact of the Emotion Regulation Intervention Program on Cognitive-emotional Strategies among Adolescent Girls'.
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SCHOOL ACTIVITIES AND PROJECTS

Head Girl, Carmel Convent School

January 2023 - Present

- Selected out of 170+ students to lead the 22-member school cabinet.
- In charge of organising and overseeing all school events.
- Responsible for managing and maintaining discipline in the school.
- Representative of the school at all external events.

President, Atal Tinkering Lab (Robotics Club)

April 2022 - Present

- Managed the school robotics club spanning over 6 classes and 150+ students.
- In charge of organising annual science fairs and workshops.

Founder and President, School Photography Club

February 2023 - Present

- Founded the first-ever school photography club.
- Managed and oversaw all photography for the school website, school magazine, etc.
- Organised photography exhibitions and competitions in the school.

Editor-in-Chief, The Carmelite

October 2022 - April 2023

- Led the school newsletter's editorial team.
 - Released a new edition after a three-year gap.
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PERSONAL PROJECTS

Global Filtered

2023 - Present

- Created a prototype of a platform that sorts out negative and irrelevant news from news feeds.
 - Took data from a news app's API and classified it into different genres. Manually sorted out negative and irrelevant news and processed the data through the BERT model and the prototype filtered out data with an accuracy of 96%.
 - Aimed at promoting journalism that uplifts and educates.
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