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B.Sc Electronics, M.Sc. Applied Physics, DBM, MMS, MPM from Pune University, Ph.D, SNDT University.

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EXPERIENCE:-

- She is a project guide at Vaikunth Mehta Institute of Cooperative Management and ISTD, Delhi.
- She is a moderator and paper setter in YASHADA for MDP courses.
- She has conducted various training programmes since 2005 at YASHADA, VAMNICOM and NWA and many companies like Pari, Praj, and Ravin Cables on Behavioural Sciences topics like Group dynamics, Conflict management, Emotional Intelligence, Motivation and Performance.
- She has developed a battery of Psychometric tests for MBA students which have been used in the Sinhgad Institute of Management and Computer Application (SIMCA) for the last 11 years for career counselling.
- She has 18 years of full-time teaching experience at Sinhgad Institute of
 Management and Sinhgad Institute of Management and Computer Application for
 subjects such as organisational behavior, human resource management,
 organisational development, personnel administration, emotional intelligence, and
 strategic human resource management. Also worked as a visiting faculty for the
 above subjects with Executive MBA- Symbiosis, INDSEARCH, AISSMS Hotel
 Management College, and Balaji Institutes.
- She was Convenor of the National Research Conference and Editor of the Research Journal for 9 years at SIMCA.
- She has published 19 Research Articles in National and international journals and conferences.
- She has published 2 books: Organisational Behaviour and Human Resource Management.
- She is a life member of the ISTD, Delhi, the CEGR, and the Marathi Manasshastra Parishad.
- She has written a chapter on "Factors of Change" in the book titled "Innovation Technology Management" to be published by the "Centre for Education Growth and Research", a national association.