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Educational Qualification:

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| Sr. No. | Qualification | Subject | Year / Division | Institution & Place |
| 1. | 10+2 | Physics, Chemistry & Mathematics | 2004 / First Div. (82%) | Campion School Bhopal |
| 2. | B. Tech | Electrical Engineering | 2008 / 9.02 CGPA  **Silver Medallist** | Maulana Azad National Institute of Technology, Bhopal |
| 3. | Certified Energy Auditor | | 2020 | Bureau of Energy Efficiency, BEE |
| 4. | Advanced Management Program in Public Policy | AMPPP Program from Indian School of Business Mohali/Hyderabad | April 2022 | Indian School of Business Mohali/Hyderabad |
| 5. | Micro Masters MITx | Economics | Jan 2022 | MITx J-PAL Courses |

Overall Experience: 14 years.

Present Employment: Director, Dept of School Education & Literacy, Ministry of Education, Govt of India

Profile Summary: Sh. Rahul Pachori is a distinguished officer of the Indian Railway Service, recognized for his exceptional contributions in the field. With a strong academic background in Electrical Engineering, he has also earned accreditations as an Energy Auditor. In addition, he is an alumnus of the Advanced Management Program in Public Policy from the esteemed Indian School of Business (ISB).

Currently serving as Director in the Ministry of Education, specifically within the Department of School Education, Sh. Pachori plays a pivotal role in shaping policies and initiatives to enhance the educational landscape of the nation. His expertise has been instrumental in successfully collaborating with the World Bank on the externally aided project STARS (Strengthening Teaching-Learning and Results for States). Moreover, he has been deeply involved in driving advancements in teacher education, as well as overseeing the operations of PARAKH - the National Assessment Centre. He has provided notable contributions in the implementation of the flagship scheme SAMAGRA SHIKSHA across various States and Union Territories.

Papers & Articles

1. **Pachori, R**., & Rathore, D. (2024, July 22). The evolution of cricket and umpiring. The Pioneer. Retrieved August 11, 2024, from https://www.dailypioneer.com/2024/columnists/the-evolution-of-cricket-and-umpiring.html
2. **Pachori, R.**, & Dhaka, N. (2024). Targeted and Saturation Approach for Sustainable Education. *Indian Journal of Public Administration,* 0(0). https://doi.org/10.1177/00195561241248316
3. **Pachori, R.** (2023). Multifaceted Role of Communication in Organizational Dynamics. *IUP Journal of Soft Skills*, *17*(4), 24-33.
4. **Pachori, R.** (2021, November 3). Promoting Quality Schooling. *Hindustan Times*, 18.
5. **Pachori, R.,** & Kumar, R. (2023, January 30). Teachers and Technology. *Financial Express*, 8.
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7. **Pachori, R**., & Sarangi, S. (2022, March 30). Need to upgrade assessment methodologies. *Times of India*, 2.
8. **Pachori, R**. (2021, September 11). From clips to clicks – The age of E-Governance [Times of India]. *From Clips to Clicks – The Age of E-Governance*. <https://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/blogs/in-my-humble-opinion/from-clips-to-clicks-the-age-of-e-governance/>

Achievements

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| Sr No | Details of Award / Innovation | Year |
| 1. | Received Minister of Railway’s Award (National Award) for outstanding achievement for commissioning 80 locomotives without increase in manpower. | 2016 |
| 2. | Received 2nd Prize in Best Suggestion Scheme 2019 along with Certificate of Excellence from Chairman Railway Board for converting a scrapped electric locomotive into a battery cum AC electric operated shunting locomotive. | 2019 |
| 3. | Received Award for Outstanding Work in Rajbhasha from General Manager West Central Railway. | 2018 |