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Education & Academics

Qualification	Institution	Year
Masters in Management Studies*	Osmania University	2022
MSc (Defence & Strategic Studies) **	Madras University	2015
Bachelor of Commerce	Madras University	2000
Certified Project Management Associate (Level D)	IPMA	2022

* Dissertation - Quantitative Study on Central Bank Digital Currency (CBDC) in India – Advantages, Technology Involved, Challenges in Implementation and The Way Forward.

** Dissertation - Geostrategic importance of India – Maldives Relations.

Work Experience

Operational Assignments

- Commanded a Special Forces Battalion along the Line of Control (Op Rakshak) and Line of Actual Control (Op Snow Leopard) (2017-21).
- Multiple tenures as Team Leader of a Special Forces Detachment in the Kashmir Valley as part of Operation Rakshak (2004-06, 2011-14).
- Troop Commander of a Special Forces Detachment as part of United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon (2008-09).

Staff / Instructional Assignments

- Directing Staff at Defence Services Staff College, Wellington (wef 2022).
- Operations Officer at India's only Independent Parachute Brigade (2015-17).
- Instructor at the Officers Training Academy, Chennai (2009-2011).

Important Courses

- Parachute Basic & Skydiving Course at Paratrooper's Training School, Agra.
- Instructor grading in Junior Command & Senior Command Course at Army War College, Mhow.
- Instructor grading in Staff Course at Defence Services Staff College, Wellington.
- Attended the Higher Defence Management Course at College of Defence Management, Secunderabad.

Achievements

- Awarded the Vishisht Seva Medal for distinguished service while commanding the battalion in Operation Rakshak & Operation Snow Leopard.
- Awarded the Chief of Defence Staff Commendation Card for distinguished service.
- Best Student & Best in Special Skills in Ghatak (Commando) Course at Junior Leaders Wing, Belgaum.

Areas of Academic Interest

- Leadership, Communication, Fintech, Ancient Indian Wisdom.