

About Me :



Atul Kahate has over 13 years of experience in Information Technology in India and abroad in various capacities. He has done his Bachelor of Science degree in Statistics and his Master of Business Administration in Computer Systems. He has authored 18 highly acclaimed books published by Tata McGraw-Hill, Pearson Education, and Rajhans Publications on various areas of Information Technology (including editions), titled *Web Technologies – TCP/IP to Internet Application Architectures*, *Cryptography and Network Security*, *Fundamentals of Computers*, *Information Technology and Numerical Methods*, *Foundations of Information Technology*, *Operating Systems and Systems Programming*, *Operating Systems*, *Computer Communication Networks*, *Introduction to Database Management Systems*, *Object Oriented Analysis and Design*, *Schaum's Series Outlines - Programming in C++*, and *IT t ch jayachay! ("I want to enter into IT!")*. Two of these are published as international editions worldwide by McGraw-Hill and also been translated into Chinese. Several of his books are being used as course textbooks or sources of reference in a number of universities/colleges/IT companies all over the world.

Atul has been writing articles in newspapers about cricket since the age of 12 and has also authored two books on cricket, and has written over 2000 articles on IT and cricket in all the leading newspapers (Sakaal, Loksatta, Maharashtra Times, Saamna, Express computer, Kesari, Sanchar, Tarun Bharat) and magazines/journals in India and abroad. He has deep interest in teaching, music, and cricket besides technology. He has conducted several training programs in a number of educational institutions and IT organizations on a wide range of technologies, including prestigious institutions such as IIT, Symbiosis, IIIT, MET, Indira Institute of Management, Fergusson College, MIT, VIIT, MIT, Walchand Government Engineering College etc, and numerous other colleges in India.

He has done a series of programs on SAAM Marathi (a TV Channel of "Sakaal" newspaper group) for explaining technology in simple terms for a very common person in Marathi.

He has also worked as the official cricket statistician and scorer in a number of Test and Limited Overs International cricket matches. He has a rich collection of books on IT and cricket, and has developed his own database that can provide the latest cricket statistics at any moment. He has contributed to cricket Web sites, such as CricInfo and Cricket Archive. He is a member of the Association of Cricket Statisticians, England and had written several articles for the Association of Cricket Statisticians and Scorers of India.

He has won several awards, both in India and abroad, including the noted "Yuvonmesh Puraskar" from Indradhanu-Maharashtra Times. He has worked with Syntel, L&T Infotech, American Express and Deutsche Bank previously and is working with Oracle Financial Services Software Limited( formerly i-flex solutions limited) for over 7 years now, currently as Head – Technology Practice. He lives in Pune with his wife Anita, daughter Jui and son Harsh. He can be reached at [akahate@gmail.com](mailto:akahate@gmail.com) or [me@atulkahate.com](mailto:me@atulkahate.com) .

His passions are Technology, Science, Cricket, Finance/Economics, Music (especially Hindustani Classical and Old Hindi Cinema apart from Marathi songs), Reading, Writing, and Teaching. He tries to follow Andrew Tananbaum's principles: *KISS (Keep It Simple, Stupid)*; and *Get it right the first time*.

His philosophy is *Always have child-like curiosity*.