

## **Vivek Velankar Profile Summery.**

Vivek Velankar is **B.E. (C.O.E.P.) ; M.B.A.** ; has 15 years of industry experience in India & USA . He has worked in top industrial houses in India like Bajaj Auto , Philips India , Videocon, Finolex cables etc.; and worked as Manager in one of the world's largest consulting Firm **Ernst & Young LLP;USA** .

Has a wide range of experience in ERP Consulting ; especially in SAP . Has worked on SAP implementations in India ; USA ; Canada ; Brazil .

Since 2000 has established **his own SOFTWARE FIRM (ARV Infotech)** ; and is mainly in IT Recruiting. Has Domestic clients like PERSISTENT ; L&T Infotech ; Siemens Information Technology Ltd. ;TCS ; KPIT Cummins Infotech Etc .

Vivek was **Member of board of studies for Management in Pune University** for two years. He is visiting and guest faculty at various management Institutes. .

Other than Professional experience Vivek has following **Social credentials**.

- **Founder member** of Naturist organisation “Nisargsevak”. Has been actively working for creating environmental awareness in Youth & School Children.
- **Member of Environment committee Of MCCA**
- Has been writing articles on various subjects in Sakal ; Loksatta; TOI ; Herald ; Magazines ;Has written more than 300 articles so far . In 2003 he wrote a series of articles in sakal with name “**CAREERNAMA**” ( 25 articles on various career opportunities for 10 th / 12 th / Graduate students) ;In 2004 Wrote a series of articles Daily in Sakal with Title “ **Internet che Mayajal**”. In 2005 he has written a series of article in Sakal (Yuva sakal suppliment ; Tuesday) with title “**Swayam rojgaratoon samrudhhi kade**” (25 articles on various schemes ; Institutes for self employment ) ; In 2006 he wrote a series of article in Sakal on “ Vata Baravi nantarchya” . ( 25 articles).
- Has delivered more than two hundred lectures on Career Guidance & Self employment in Cities and rural areas of Maharashtra.
- Has given **free career guidance** to hundreds of students .
- Active Member of **Rotary Club of Pune South** ; currently handling portfolio of **Director (Public Relations)** .
- **Script writer for E-TV** .
- Has been **fighting with PMC for better roads for puneites**.
- Is member of Traffic Improvement Committee ; Pune Police.
- Trustee of “Pre Paid Rikshaw seva society”
- Successfully used **right to Information** act on various social issues ;Filed more than 100 RTI Applications ; given more than 150 lectures on RTI Awareness in Rotary clubs ; Lions Clubs; Corporate houses ; senior citizens clubs ; Colleges ; NGOs ; Govt. offices & Public meetings. National Trainer on RTI and done several workshops for government officials across the country on RTI through YASHADA.

- Founder president of NGO named “**Sajag Nagrik Manch.**” The NGO works for spreading awareness about Right to Information. Manch also initiates campaigns on social issues.
- Convenor of “PMP Pravasi Manch” which is working as pressure group on PMPML .
- He has been awarded **Poonya gaurav** for his contribution in social field by Brotherhood foundation. Awarded “**Rotary Samaj Gaurav Puraskar**” by Rotary club of Lokmanyagar & Rotary club of Parvati . He was also awarded Shahu-fule-Ambedkar Lokmanya Puraskar for his contribution in the field of Right to Information .
- He was **Guest editor in Sakal** on 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 2007.
- Wrote a book “ Swayam rojgaratooon samruddhikade “.
- Co Author and Editor of book “Career Planning” ; the book is published by SAKAL
- Editor of Two volumes of Book “Pune 2020 – Vedh Punyachya Bhavishyacha”