

Yogesh Parale

Present position

- **Assistant Professor/Coordinator – Department of B. Voc. Media and Communication, Fergusson College (Autonomous)**

Work Experience

- **Teaching: 8 years**
- **Research/Industrial: 12 years**

Personal Profile

Yogesh Parale is currently pursuing a doctoral research at Symbiosis International University. He has predominantly worked with Media (Print as well as Digital) in various capacities. Apart from Journalism, National Security, Terrorism and Geopolitics are areas of his interest. He has contributed in multiple forms like columns, podcast, panel discussions, research articles pertaining to issues related to above subjects. He has also worked as a research intern at a Delhi-based think tank Vivekananda International Foundation. He is presently working on a research project as a part of MoU with Centre for Police Research (CPR, Pune).

Course(s) Taught (Only Titles)

1. Introduction to Journalism
2. Social Issues and Ideas
3. Media and Society
4. Introduction to Digital Media
5. Introduction to Indian Polity
6. In-depth Reporting
7. Current Affairs

Field of Specialization/Areas of Interests

- Journalism
- Digital Media
- National Security and Geopolitics

Education

- **M.A. in Mass Communication and Journalism, Savitribai Phule Pune University, formerly University of Pune, 2011**

- Bachelor of Arts (English Literature) – S.P. College – 2008
- Diploma in National Security and International Relations, JRVGTI
- Intermediate course in Persian Language Recognized by Cultural Ministry of Iran

Fellowship/Awards/ Certifications/Achievements/Recognitions

- Part of the team constituted by the Press Council of India (PCI) & worked on a report regarding the “Evolving Media Trends since 2008”. (2012)
- Worked as a Jury Member for a Film Festival organized by the Health Ministry, State of Maharashtra (2023)
- Delivered a series of Podcast on ‘Jammu Kashmir post 370’ for the leading media institution in Maharashtra – Maharashtra Times

Employment History

- 1) **Organization** : Vivekananda International Foundation (VIF) – Think tank based in New Delhi, India (2011-2012).
Role : Research Intern.
 Worked with Ambassador PP Shukla (Joint Director, VIF) on
 A. Change in CPC & CMC relationship and change of guard in China,
 B. China’s surge and Japan’s return in the South East Asia,
 C. Border Dispute with China (Western Sector)
- 2) **Organization** : Sakal Media Group
Role : Research Analyst
Duration : 6 Years

Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create content • Analyze and write op-ed articles on International Relations for Sakal Newspaper • Write a weekly column named Worldview for Sakal’s weekly publication – Saptahik Sakal.
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Research Project

Title of the Project	Name of Funding Agency	Amount (Rs)	Duration (Year) (From To)	Type (Minor/Major)	Outcome
Content Used in the process of Radicalization	Centre for Police Research, Pune		2021-2023		Research Report

Participation in Conferences/Seminars/Symposia/Workshop:

- National Seminar on National Education Policy, Fergusson College 2023
- Workshop series on Pakistan Occupied Territories of Jammu & Kashmir 2023
- Faculty Development Programme on Researching and Publishing in Media and Communication Studies – Contemporary Perspectives, Symbiosis International University

Additional skills/Activities

- Violinist and Musician
- Trekker

