

Biodata Dr Deepak Shikarpur



Academic Qualifications

Year	Degree	College/University	Honours
1985	Bachelor of Engineering	Walchand College Of Engineering Sangli (Shivaji University)	Rank Holder-First Class with Distinction
1987	Diploma in Business Management	Institute of Management Development and Research Pune	Rank Holder First Class with Distinction
1988	Masters Diploma in Business Administration	Institute of Management Development and Research Pune	First Class with Distinction
2012	PGDM (IT) AICTE Approved	Vishwakarma Global Business School	IT Management
2010	Doctor of Philosophy (PhD)	Bharati Vidyapeeth University India	Engineering and Technology

EXPERIENCE

- **Tata Group:** 15 years (Telco (now Tata Motors) and Tata Technologies)
- **Independent Director:** Kinetic Communications, Fenace Auto (Belrise Group)
- **Bank of Maharashtra:** Member, Customer Service Committee (since March 2023)
- **National Board Member:** IT Board by All India Council of Technical Education (2016-19)
- **Member, Academic Council:** Yashwantrao Chavan Maharashtra Open University (2014-17)
- **Chairman Board of Studies (Computer Management)** SP Pune University (2008-2010)

- **Member (Internal Quality Assurance Committee)** Savitribai Phule Pune University
- **Member eGovernance Task Force Maharashtra State (2010)**
- **Member Academic Council** Pune Institute of Computer Technology
- **Member Academic Council** Bharati Vidyapeeth University
- **Government of Maharashtra Task Force Member**
Task Force on NEP 2020- Digital Education Group

LEADERSHIP AND MEMBERSHIPS

- **Chairman:** Computer Society of India
- **Fellow:** Maharashtra Academy of Science
- **Fellow** Computer Society of India,
- **Fellow** Institution of Engineers
- **Founder Member** Pune International Centre
- **District Governor** Rotary International District 3131 (2013-14)

PUBLICATIONS AND WRITING

Number Books Authored : 68

(<https://www.deepakshikarpur.com/pdf/listofbooks-updated.pdf>)

E-waste Management Policy Paper : Released by the Hon. Environment Minister (January 3, 2016) for Pune International Center

Contributions to the Visually Impaired

- Authored books converted into Braille
- Supported blind students across the state with Career Guidance Talks

Global First Innovation (twin.deepakshikarpur.com)

In recent years, Dr. Shikarpur has embraced advanced technologies to scale his impact. His innovative Digital Twin AI Chatbot represents a powerful extension of his personality, knowledge, and communication style. This AI-driven system is designed to interact with users in simple, conversational language, making technology guidance available 24/7. Importantly, it is multilingual, enabling users to engage in Marathi, Hindi, English, and other regional languages—breaking the long-standing barrier of language in digital adoption.

Oratory

Frequent speaker at academic, socio-cultural forums, and literary meets

Articles:

Numerous contributions educating the public on Advances in Information Technology in leading newspapers Times of India, Maharashtra Times, Sakal, Lokmat, Tarun Bharat, Rashtrasanchar, Sampada , Vyavsaik Patrika etc.

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Details of Awards or Honors Received by the Nominee:

Srl	Award Name	Year	Field	level of Award	Awarding Body
1	Best Literature	2007	Science and Technology	State	Maharashtra State Government
2 .	Best Literature	2011	Science and Technology	State	Marathi Sahitya Parishad
3	Service Above Self	2017	Digital Literacy and Youth	International	Rotary International (Global Board Of Directors)
4	Outstanding Alumni Award	2016	Engineering and Technology Education	Others	Walchand College of Engineering Sangli
5	Citation of Merit	2023	Science and Technology Education	State	Marathi Vidnyan Parishad
6.	Bharat Gaurav	2023	Information Technology	National	KTK Oustanding and Achievers Foundation New Delhi
7	Lifetime Achievement	2015	Technology awareness for Visually Challenged	Others	Poona Blindman Assocation
8	Solapur Bhushan (Lifetime Achievement)	2018	Information Technology Promotion	Others	Solapur Muninicpal Corporation and Solapur Smart City Corporation
9	Citation of Distinguished Services	2022	Services to Humanity (Youth at large)	International	Rotary Foundation (Worlwide)

