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EDUCATION

- Obero International School (OIS), International Baccalaureate Diploma, Grade 12** 2025 – Present
- Grade 11 Semester 2 HL: Economics 7/7, Math AI 7/7, Chemistry 6/7 | SL: English 6/7, Spanish B 5/7, ESS 7/7
- Chatrabhuj Narsee School, Mumbai** 2023 – 2025
- Cambridge IGCSE, Grade 10 - 4 A*, 3 A (Math 96, Chemistry 96, Physics 92, Business 90); ICE with Distinction

STANDARDIZED TESTS

- SAT Score: 1510/1600 Superscore (Math: 780/800, English: 730/800)** 2026
- Sittings: 1450 (Aug 2025), 1470 (Mar 2026), 1470 (Jun 2026)

HONORS & AWARDS

- CREST Award, British Science Association: **Gold (highest tier)** for informal economy research paper 2026
- John Locke Institute Global Essay Prize: **High Commendation** (Public Policy, Theology), **Commendation** (Economics) 2026
- National Finance Olympiad: **National Rank 14**, 49/50 in Round 1; 50/55 in final round; 45/50 in 2026 Round 1 2025 – 2026
- CCIR ReThink Essay Competition: **Honourable Mention, top 10%** 2026
- Immerse Essay Competition: **\$1,300 scholarship** to the Immerse Research Program 2026
- Avogadro Chemistry Test, University of Waterloo: **Distinction, School Rank 2** (93.8%) 2026
- Certificate of Recognition in Economics: **top 3 students** in the grade 2026

ECONOMICS RESEARCH & WRITING

- Author, Research Paper - “Credit Source and Enterprise Performance in Urban Maharashtra”, Published in IJSSER** 2026
- Mentored by **Dr Ceyhun Elgin, Columbia University**; awarded the **CREST Gold Award**
 - Analysed govt survey data on **53,000+ small enterprises**: bank loans tied to **17% higher output**, informal loans to none
 - Surveyed **18 Mumbai vendors** and found supplier credit, their most common loan, is barely recorded in official data
 - Built and ran the survey with a live data logger across 2 Mumbai markets; tested results 6 ways (by year, sector and firm size)

- Researcher & Developer, Tremor: Informality Gap Index (tremor-five.vercel.app)** 2026
- Built a public index comparing GST and GDP growth across **32 Indian states** over five years
 - Tested whether GDP misses informal activity; the data rejected it, and the result held across **3 robustness checks**
 - Combined RBI, GSTN and PLFS data; states with more informal workers showed a **smaller** GST-GDP gap, not a larger one ($r = -0.49$, $p = 0.005$)

- Author, “The Breaking Point: Inside the Economic Crises That Rewrote History”** 2025 – 2026
- Wrote a **188-page book** tracing 10 economic crises (1929–2023) from **150+ sources** across 20+ economies
 - Ranked in **Amazon’s Top 500 Bestselling Education Books**; available in 150+ countries

INTERNSHIPS

- Macroeconomic Research Intern, Abakkus Asset Management, Mumbai** 2026
- Joined as the firm’s **first high-school hire**; built the Tremor Informality Gap Index
 - Wrote **5 equity research reports** using DCF and relative valuation; catalysed a **\$5k investment**
 - Drew on annual reports and earnings calls to build investment theses and price targets
- Corporate Strategy Intern, BSA Polycontainers Pvt Ltd, Mumbai** 2025
- Rebuilt costing for **4 products** at an industrial packaging manufacturer, allocating overhead by actual use
 - Found small-batch drums were **8% less profitable** than flat-rate costing showed, leading BSA to reprice them
 - Built a client pitch deck for the sales team

DOLLAR DIGEST - ECONOMICS MEDIA PLATFORM (<https://dollar Digest.in>)

Founder & Editor

2025 – Present

- Publish weekly economics articles in English, Hindi and Marathi: **60+ articles, 20k+ reads, 2k+ subscribers**
- Produce monthly YouTube roundups and shorts with **40k+ views and 5k+ subscribers**; now used by teachers in class
- Built **2 free 10-unit courses** (macro and micro) on Indian data, **6 economics games** and a daily Indicator Board
- Run the Aravalli Lithium Challenge, a public case competition with **100+ sign-ups from 5 cities**
- Launched Reader's Voice and a community forum with **8 community writers** and 40+ reader articles
- Taught **70+ NGO students** with a 40-page economics booklet; quiz scores rose **42%**
- Cover India's informal economy, BRICS and the dollar, Mumbai housing and data-centre policy, with monthly roundups

ENTREPRENEURSHIP & SOCIAL IMPACT

Co-Founder & President, The Founders Lab (thefounderslabs.in)

2026 – Present

- Run a 12-week entrepreneurship incubator in India with a partner US chapter; built a **20-hour startup course**
- **100+ students** completed it and launched **30+ startups**; **10+ won seed funding** at pitch day
- Personally mentor **20+ students**; produced a founder story series with 5k+ views

Co-Founder, Project Saathi (projectsaathi.org)

2026 – Present

- Built a fundraising and storytelling platform for NGOs on a **100% pass-through** donation model
- Raised **\$75k+** for 4 NGOs serving **6k+ cancer patients** and 180+ destitute adults; funded a new orphanage for 2k children
- Onboarded first partner Majha Ghar Foundation, a shelter for destitute adults; lead its donor outreach and fundraising

SCHOOL LEADERSHIP

Vice President, OIS Student Investment Fund

2025 – Present

- Lead **20+ managers and analysts**; our mock US equity portfolio returned **113% a year** vs the S&P 500's 19%
- Trained **6 new members** in equity research; their stock picks returned **47%**

Head of Finance, Relay for Life

2025 – 2026

- Raised **\$17k** for the Indian Cancer Society through CSR partners and crowdfunding
- Led a **20+ member team** running the annual overnight event for **200+ students**; built sponsorship decks

Cultural Captain, Student Council, Chatrabhuj Narsee School

2023 – 2025

- Elected through interviews and a speech from **50+ applicants**; led the theatre department for 500+ students
- Launched the school's **first inter-house drama contest**, now held every year

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Volunteer, Majha Ghar Foundation

2026 – Present

- Run theatre games and mobility exercises for residents recovering from chronic illness, disability and trauma
- Lead sports, storytelling, music and dance sessions for residents' children

Tutor, IGCSE Economics, Business Studies and Mathematics

2024 – Present

- Teach one student **2 hours a week**; scores improved by about **10%** across subjects

COMPETITIONS & PROGRAMS

- **Times of India AI Summer Camp**: 20+ hrs of live sessions; final project website **featured on the TOI platform** 2025
- **International Math Olympiad**: Top 10 in school in Grades 9 and 11

2023 – 2025

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

- **Cricket**: Varsity fast bowler, selected from 60+ at trials; **4th at ISSO nationals**
- **Theatre & Speaking**: Lead roles and directed a school play; inter-school elocution; anchor school events
- **Interests**: Vexillology (flags of 150+ countries), financial markets
- **Languages**: English, Hindi, Spanish