# VARSHA NAIK

# ACADEMIC PROFILE

| PGDM Marketing     | 6.9 CGPA | Jagdish Sheth School of Management, Bengaluru   | 2025 |
|--------------------|----------|---|------|
| B.Sc. Physics      | 76.8%    | Dhempe College of Arts and Science, Panjim, Goa | 2020 |
| Class XII (GBSHSE) | 62.3%    | People's Higher Secondary School, Panjim, Goa   | 2017 |
| Class X (GBSHSE)   | 83.5%    | Balbharati Vidyamandir, Ribandar, Goa           | 2015 |
|                    |          |   |      |

# AREAS OF STUDY

B2B Marketing, Sales and Distribution Management, Marketing Management, Trade Marketing, Customer Retention and Growth, Sales and Service Analytics, Service Marketing, Managing Sales Channels, Customer Acquisition, Consumer Behavior

# LIVE PROJECTS - EdLightened

#### Power BI

- Created Power BI dashboard to visualize sales, discounts, and profits by segment and region, aiding strategic decision-making
- Power BI dashboard tracked \$2M in total sales, with 48.28% from Consumer segment
- Analyzed regional sales data, highlighting key markets in France and Germany for targeted strategies and identified top profit generators to optimize product offerings

#### **Python**

- Developed sales prediction model using multiple regression in Python, achieving adjusted R-squared of 0.90, explaining 90% of sales variance
- Identified non-linearity and variance issues in forecasting model, recommending additional diagnostics for validation

| INTERNSHIP                 |                     | 3 Months                   |
|----------------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|
| Aashman Foundation, Remote | Social Media Intern | June 2022 - September 2022 |

- Reached out to potential leads through content promotion in social media groups.
- Planned and posted content to build relationships with a growing fan base.
- Applied persuasive communication to increase engagement and drive awareness.

# ACADEMIC PROJECT(S)

# **Design Thinking - PUMA**

- Applied strategies to revamp PUMA's inter-channel communication by developing a simplified app for different roles, enabling realtime data retrieval from SAP for informed decision-making
- Targeted 20% increase in inventory clearance within 6 months by optimizing communication and data accessibility

#### **RFP Project – TTK Healthcare**

- Worked closely with TTK Healthcare sales rep to streamline product placements and order processing, boosting visibility and making transactions smoother for retailers
- Supported sales rep in distributing promotional materials and ensuring stores showcased brand effectively, helping to build stronger presence in market

# CERTIFICATIONS

University of London [Coursera] EdLightened

| 8   | 2024<br>2022<br>2021 |  |
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| ILITY   |                      |  |
| Website Manager (Innovation & Incubation Committee)                                   |                      |  |
| Wrote engaging blogs and regularly updated the website                                |                      |  |
| Ensured effective functioning and increased user engagement                           | 2024-25              |  |
| Head Girl   |                      |  |
| Represented the student body and lead student activities                              |                      |  |
| Provided guidance and support to peers while maintaining discipline                   |                      |  |
| Organized and coordinated school events   | 2014-15              |  |
| Communication Ability, Customer Focus, Problem Solving and Analytical Thinking, Power | BI, Python, Excel    |  |
|   | Meta [Coursera]      |  |