

## Pain is temporary but CGPA is permanent

I am an Alumni of the 2015 batch at IIT Hyderabad. Maharashtrian upbringing with my current family settled in Pune. Married to Nutan and blessed with a son Raghav. Optimistic about taking risks and challenges in life and like to explore. Vegetarian by choice with a pro-life outlook.

IIT Hyderabad was only 2 years old so not much data available at the time so the decision was made entirely on the founding team. Very proud of each and every faculty member of this esteemed institute.

Enjoyed the most - ICTD by Dr. Nimmi Rangaswamy, One of the most prominent researchers in Anthropology. Learned some of the most important aspects of life which I happen to use / recollect till date. Enjoyed the least - Material Science, The course core to chemical engineering and chemistry unfortunately has been my biggest weaknesses.

I was involved in robotics, movie club, fresher student mentoring, E-cell, extra mural lectures, Startup - PURE (still functional)

I was specialized in Thermal stream of mechanical engineering with a B.Tech and M.Tech Dual degree with honors and minor in entrepreneurship

IIT Hyderabad taught me to be a problem solver in life, it taught me hustle and most importantly result oriented work ethic. Today I come across multiple problems everyday to which I look forward and am able to solve most of them on my own.

The day we secured our first angel investment for our startup PURE was my best moment.

Two things I want to convey to the existing student folk @ IIT, Hyderabad:

1. IITH is very unique in letting you explore each and every aspect of activity happening in the world, make the best use to learn as much as possible academically or otherwise.
2. Pain is temporary but CGPA is permanent.

The best thing about IITH is its "T education" students get to know about so many different aspects of technology which is generally not possible in any institution.

IITH can improve on the industry interaction with academia for streams other than Computer Science.

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To all my peers, teachers and friends I want to sincerely thank you for everything that you contributed at IITH, life would not have been the same without you.



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