### Harshavardhan Sumant

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### Education

- M.A. in Philosophy from Manipal Centre for Humanities.
- B.A. in Philosophy from Fergusson College, Pune
- Fergusson College, studied: Philosophy, Psychology, Sociology, French, and English.
- Studied French till B1.1 (Diploma) from Alliance Francaise de Poona.

## **Research Paper and Thesis**

- Wrote a Research paper on 'Relation between Film and Philosophy, with special reference to French Cinema' under UGC Research Program.
- Wrote a Thesis in the field of cognitive and analytical philosophy titled, 'Language of Thought and Mental States' as a part of my master's degree.

### Seminars

- Participated in Student Seminar, in S.P. College on 'Ethics of Human Relationships'
- Participated in Student Seminar arranged by Bombay Philosophical Society, Mumbai On 'Role and Future of Philosophy'
- Participated in Student seminar on 'Aesthetics' (S.P. College)
- Participated in Student seminar on 'History of Philosophy' (Bombay Philosophical Society)
- Student Seminar on 'Justice' (S.P College)
- Attended a workshop in BAIF, Pune on ' Learning the World or Learning the World'

## Work

- Worked as a translator In Excuritia (French and English to Hindi and Marathi)
- Worked at Dharohar, a trust/CSR in Rajasthan as a content and communications developer.

Work at Dharohar -

- 1) Conduct training sessions with Engineers and teach pedagogy to them for 3 different programmes.
- 2) Writing articles in Hindi and English.
- 3) Conducting conscious plantations programme for the Jungl3 project and write about the experiences of plantations.
  - Visiting faculty in SSLA for the course 'Organisational Communications'
  - Worked as a translator in 'FlatworldIndia Language Solutions.' Mainly translating from English to Marathi

## **Film Direction**

'Labourer's Sleep' (20 min. Marathi) – This is a story of a privileged young kid who kills his garbage collector, out of existential anxiety and agitation.

'Jordan' (5 min. Marathi) – This is a small incident that takes place at a tea stall that emphasizes the inactivity of the educated working classes.

Attended a workshop 'Learning the World or Learning the Word' Conducted at BAIF, Pune (August 2018)

#### Languages known

Languages	Proficiency
English	Very good
Marathi	Very Good
Hindi	Very Good
French	Good
Kannada	Can communicate

# **Other Interests**

Writing Fiction, Music (vocals and percussions), Theatre (Acting), Films (Direction).

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