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Currently: Board member, Strategy Advisor, Growth Consultant to several leading Governmental and Multinational Institutions, Incubators, Startups, Corporates, NGOs in Innovation, Entrepreneurship, Sustainability, Women Empowerment, Global Partnerships

2017-2021: Atal Innovation Mission as Mission Director and Additional Secy at the NITI Aayog (the Government of India Think Tank - National Institution for Transforming India) to drive the creation of a world class innovation and entrepreneurship ecosystem across the length and breadth of the country - during this stint AIM established over 10000 Tinkering Labs in schools across the country, over 100 Atal Incubators fostering over 3000+ Startups of which 33% are women led Startups, over 56 Atal New India and ARISE Challenges for Startups and micro small medium enterprises, over 25 Atal Community Innovation Centers in Tier2, Tier3 cities to foster local innovation and local job creation and a network of over 6000+ Mentors of Change nationwide to mentor Students, Startups, incubators, innovators

2001- 2017: Managing Director and CEO of CMC Limited between 2001-2017 driving transformation of a government owned Public sector IT/ITES enterprise CMC to a global, private sector, product driven Systems Engineering and Integration organization after it's acquisition by the Tata Group in 2001 - During this period CMC operating margins grew from 1.5%-2% to 21% at its peak, and it's share price rose from Rs 180 to Rs 2450 after a hundred percent bonus dividend to its shareholders in that period before it's amalgamation into TCS. CMC transformation has been recognized as one of the most successful privatization initiatives of the Government of India

1981-2021: Senior Vice President of Tata Consultancy Services upto 2021, joining TCS in 1981 and driving the creation and growth of a world class IT/ITES organization in various capacities from product development, to global business development and marketing, general management, Strategy and Visioning, Business excellence. TCS has grown to around 650000+ to date and is among the Global Top 3 IT consulting services companies of the world.

Core member of the Tata Group Innovation Forum TGIF, the Tata Business Excellence Model initiative, Board member of Tata Companies like Tata iQ, Tata Business Support Services, IDEX Defence Innovation Organization, Indo Israel Innovation Forum, Indo US Science and Technology Forum, Fellow IIM Bangalore NSRCEL Innovation Hub, New Zealand Trade Enterprise Chair of Beachhead Advisors

Alumni of IIT Mumbai in Electrical Engineering , Harvard Business School Advanced Management Programme, Cambridge Sustainability Leadership

Honorary doctorate from Gujarat Law Society in recognition of contributions to Corporate leadership, Business excellence and pan India Innovation and Entrepreneurship

Elected Lifetime Chair of the Harvard Business School AMP187 Alumni Association Chairperson New Zealand Trade and Enterprise Beachead Advisory Board Advisor IIM Bangalore, IIM Udaipur, IIM Bodh Gaya, SPJIMR, IIT Bombay Innovation Cell, Startup Tamil Nadu, SNDT Women University

Awards and Recognitions: Distinguished Alumni IIT Bombay for Outstanding contributions in social sector, Most Valueable CEO award from Business World twice in succession, Outstanding Asia CEO award by CMO Asia at singapore, Digitalist of the year award SAP-MINT, Rajiv Gandhi Shiromani Award, National Leadership in Innovation award by Confederation of MSME India and many others

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