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### **Educational Qualifications:**

Exam passed	University / Institute	Year of passing	% of marks secured	Class / Division	Subjects taken	Remarks
B.E	University College of Engineering, Osmania University	2006	83.20	I (with distinction)	Civil Engineering	3 <sup>rd</sup> rank holder
M.E	Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore	2008	92.50	I (with distinction)	Structural Engineering	1 <sup>st</sup> rank holder

## **Achievements:**

- 1. GOLD MEDAL for achieving All India Rank-1 in GATE-2006.
- 2. GOLD MEDAL from Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore for best performance in Civil Engineering Department, 2008.
- 3. SILVER MEDAL from Hon'ble Power Minister, Govt. of India, *Sri. Shushil Kumar Shinde* for meritorious performance in NTPC Executive Training Programme, 2009.

## **Industrial Experience: 5 Years**

- 1. Engineer at GE India Technology Centre Pvt. Ltd., Bangalore from August, 2008 to February, 2009.
- 2. Manager (E) at HMWS&SB, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh from July, 2009 to September, 2009.
- 3. Assistant Manager at NTPC Limited, New Delhi from October, 2009 to September, 2013.

#### **Teaching Experience: 12 Years**

• Assistant Professor at Department of Civil Engineering, University College of Engineering (A), Osmania University, Hyderabad from October, 2013 to till-date.

#### **Areas of Expertise:**

- Analysis and Design of Structures
- Structural Fire Engineering

#### Publications in Journals/Conferences: 06

- 1. S Venkatesha, R Rajender, and C S Manohar, 2008, Inverse Sensitivity Analysis of Singular Solutions of FRF matrix in Structural System Identification, CMES: Computer Modelling in Engineering and Science, 37(2), 113-152.
- 2. Mohammed Shoaib A, Mohd Aliuddin, PV Dilip Kumar, R Rajender, 2016, Effect of Bracings on the Seismic Response of a Soft-Storey Structure, International Journal of Earthquake Engineering and Hazard Mitigation, 4(2), https://doi.org/10.15866/irehm.v4i2.9569
- 3. Ali Abdelaziz, R Rajender, 2024, Assessment of Structural Response of RC Building under Blast Load, International Journal of Structural Engineering (IJSE), 6(2), 35-49, https://iaeme.com/Home/article\_id/IJSE\_06\_02\_004
- 4. PV Ramana Rao, R Rajender, 2024, Study of Behaviour of Self-Compacting Concrete with Recycled Concrete Aggregates by Different Curing Techniques, International Journal of Innovative Research in Technology (IJIRT), 11(5), 197-204, https://ijirt.org/Article?manuscript=168216
- 5. R Aishwarya, S Vaishnavi, V Sai Bhavani, B Amogha, R Rajender, 2024, Behaviour of Restrained Steel Beam with Varying Rotational Stiffness Subjected to Real Fire, International Journal of Structural Engineering (IJSE), 6(2), 56-64, <a href="https://iaeme.com/Home/article\_id/IJSE\_06\_02\_006">https://iaeme.com/Home/article\_id/IJSE\_06\_02\_006</a>
- 6. R Aishwarya, S Vaishnavi, V Sai Bhavani, B Amogha, R Rajender, 2024, Effect of Fire Parameters on Structural Behaviour of a Restrained Steel Beam, International Journal of Structural Engineering (IJSE), 6(2), 74-85, <a href="https://iaeme.com/Home/article\_id/IJSE\_06\_02\_008">https://iaeme.com/Home/article\_id/IJSE\_06\_02\_008</a>

No. of M.E Thesis Guided: 04

No. of Guest Lectures Delivered: 10

#### **Training Courses Attended: 12**

- 1. Seven weeks training programme on Hydro & Thermal Power Development at Central Board of Irrigation & Power, New Delhi during 09.11.09 to 24.12.09.
- 2. Pedagogical training programme for the Faculty of TEQIP institutions from 16<sup>th</sup> December to 20<sup>th</sup> December, 2013, organized by National Institute of Technical Teachers Training and Research (NITTTR), Chandigarh.
- 3. One Week Faculty Development Program on MSC-NASTRAN (Hands on Experience) held from 12-17 May, 2014 under TEQIP-II at Department of Civil Engineering, University College of Engineering (A), Osmania University.

- 4. Winter School on Recent Advances in Structural Engineering and Materials, January 14-15, 2015 at IIT Hyderabad.
- 5. TEQIP-II Sponsored Training Programme on Structural Steel Design (ISPAT-2015) May 25-29, 2015 at IIT Hyderabad.
- 6. 2-Weeks Faculty Development Programme in Entrepreneurship held during April 18-30, 2016 at Entrepreneurship Development Cell, Osmania University.
- 7. 85<sup>th</sup> Orientation course at Human Resource Development Centre, OU held from 14.06.17 to 14.07.17and Sponsored by UGC.
- 8. Ten days GIAN course on "Seismic Performance Assessment of Structures through Numerical and Hybrid Simulations" held from July 02-12, 2018 at IIT Hyderabad.
- 9. One week FDP on Finite Element Analysis using MIDAS Software (Hands on Experience) at Civil Engineering Department, UCE (A), OU during 12-16, March 2019.
- 10. One week FDP on Design of Bridges using MIDAS Software (Hands on Experience) at Civil Engineering Department, UCE (A), OU during 17-21, April 2023.
- 11. Five days short-term course on Structural Fire Engineering at Centre for Continuing Education, IISc, Bangalore during 22-26, May 2023.
- 12. Four days short-term course on Intelligent Monte Carlo Simulations and Machine Learning-based Methods in Computational Structural Reliability (Supported by SPARC) at Centre for Continuing Education, IISc, Bangalore during 06-09, July 2024.

## **Training Courses Organized: 04**

- 1. Training programme on "LaTeX A Document Preparation System" at e-class room, UCE, OU on 4<sup>th</sup> April, 2015.
- 2. One Day National Workshop on Repair and Rehabilitation of Structures (RRS-2018)at the Department of Civil Engineering, UCE (A), OU on 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2018.
- 3. One Week Faculty Development Programme on "Finite Element Analysis using MIDAS Software (Hands on Experience)" at the Department of Civil Engineering, UCE (A), OU during 12-16 March, 2019.
- 4. One week FDP on Design of Bridges using MIDAS Software (Hands on Experience) at Civil Engineering Department, UCE (A), OU during 17-21, April 2023.

# Other responsibilities held:

- Mentor for B.E (Civil) I/IV students
- Attendance In-charge for B.E (Civil) II/IV students
- Department Hand Book Coordinator
- Coordinator for Spoken Tutorial Project, UCE, OU
- Member of Innovation sub-committee, UCE, OU
- Member of Departmental Committee
- Departmental Coordinator for M.E exams
- Department TEQIP Coordinator

- Lab In-charge for Concrete Technology Lab, Testing Materials Lab, Structural Dynamics Lab and Engineering Mechanics Lab
- Department Coordinator for NBA and NAAC
- Coordinator for Induction Programme of B.E (Civil) first year students
- Member of Scrap Committee
- Member of IQAC Committee
- Mentor for Bureau of Indian Standard (BIS) Student Club at Department of Civil Engineering, UCE (A).

## **Awards and Appreciations:**

- 1. Letter of Appreciation from National Mission on Education through ICT, MHRD, Govt. of India & IIT Bombay for outstanding contribution as a Spoken Tutorial Coordinator during 2015-2016.
- 2. Appreciation certificate from Principal, UCE (A), OU for organizing and conducting Two Week Induction Programme for newly admitted BE First Semester Students during 2023-2024.
- 3. Best project award to BE (Civil) VIII-Semester Students for BE Project titled "Behaviour of Restrained Steel Beam with varying Rotational Stiffness subjected to Real Fire" under my guidance during 2023-2024.
- 4. 2nd Prize at College Level Poster Presentation in 2<sup>nd</sup> International Symposium on Recent Challenges in Engineering at UCE (A), OU to BE (Civil) III-Semester Students on the topic "Analysis Steel Beam Structure: on Earth vs on Moon" under my mentorship during 2023-2024.

#### **Consultancy Services:**

- Involved in analysis and design proof-checking of various government projects from 2023-2024.
- Involved in various structural stability assessment works.