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### **EDUCATION HISTORY**

## Master of Arts (M.A) in Journalism

# University of Amsterdam (The Netherlands)

Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters Degree in

Journalism

Specialisation: Politics and Communication

Year of Graduation: 2024

## Aarhus University (Denmark)

Erasmus Mundus Joint Masters Degree in Journalism

Year of Graduation: 2024

CGPA: 7.18/10

## Bachelor of Arts (B.A) in Liberal Arts

## **NMIMS** University

Jyoti Dalal School of Liberal Arts Specialisation: Mass Media

Year of Graduation: 2021

CGPA: 3.60 / 4

## **AVI GOPANI**

## International journalist

International journalist with a Masters in Journalism and Communication from The University of Amsterdam. Proficient in research, communication, policy advocation and storytelling. Passionate about exploring technology, policy, culture, and economics with climate change. Advocate for human rights, climate change and free speech.

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### Video Iournalist

## The European Correspondent

May 2024 - Present

News media covering European stories through local correspondents.

Anchoring social media videos corresponding to stories Work sample: <a href="https://www.instagram.com/reel/C-uSuw2oyHd/?">https://www.instagram.com/reel/C-uSuw2oyHd/?</a>
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#### **Journalist**

## The Copenhagen Post

August 2023-October 2023

• Denmark's biggest English newspaper catering to expats.

Wrote extensively about Denmark's culture, explainers, news.

The articles were also shared by The Danish Embassy (UK).

 $Work \ sample: \underline{https://cphpost.dk/2023-08-17/general/why-do-danes-leave-their-babies-\underline{unattended-in-strollers-outside/}$ 

## Associate Technology Journalist Analytics India Magazine

July 2021 - June 2022

• India's biggest online technology magazine with 2 million readers. Researching and writing opinion stories on the socio-political intersections of emerging technological trends with human rights. Work sample:

https://analyticsindiamag.com/author/avi-gopanianalyticsindiamag-com

## SEO- Content Writer VertoDigital, Bulgaria

August 2022- May 2023

• Digital marketing consultancy agency

Writing SEO-friendly technology stories for VertoDigital's tech company partners requiring an understanding of SEO-analytics and softwares.

## Communications Executive

#### **Reels and Frames**

Aug 2021 - Aug 2022

 Premium wedding photography company with an online following of 100K+

Managed the social media account and corporate communication in the form of newsletters and blogposts for the website to bring more traction.



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## **PROJECTS AND PUBLICATIONS**

#### **Euro News**

"Mental health: Is Denmark's youth living up to the country's happiness claims?"

(<u>https://www.euronews.com/my-europe/2023/03/19/mental-health-is-denmarks-youth-living-up-to-the-countrys-happiness-claims</u>)

Thesis research on **how Indian journalists navigate legal challenges to press freedom?** 

Thesis research on the role of independent music in protests as a form of freedom of speech.

## **RELEVANT SKILLS**

- Open Source Investigation
- Conducting interviews
- Collaborative working
- Research
- Photography
- Data analysis
- Technical knowledge
- Softwares including MS
   Office, Canva, Premiere Pro,
   Final Cut Pro, SPSS, Python
   notebooks, WordPress and
   GitHub

## **LANGUAGES**

English fluency Dutch (A1-A2) Danish (A1-A2) Hindi native fluency Gujarati native fluence

## **EDUCATIONAL TRAINING**

- Policy recommendation
- Climate reporting
- Data analysis (using softwares like SPSS and Python notebooks)
- Investigate journalism
- Academic research
- Data designing

## **SOCIAL IMPACT WORK**

## Student Worker at Studenterhus Aarhus

January 2023 - September 2023

## Substitute Teacher for Teach for India

June 2021- September 2021

Working as an English and Math teacher for 7th grade students as a substitute teacher at Teach for India, a non-profit providing education to children with lesser resources.

# Content Writer and Researcher at GirlUp by the United Nations

June 2019- August 2020

Creating social media content and blog articles for the Mumbai branch of GirlUp, UN's initiative at fostering gender equality and women upliftment.

## Social Service Worker at Aarham Yuva Seva Group

J2016 - 2022

Assisting the NGO in providing food to the needy in Mumbai's informal settlements during the weekend.