



SAHITHI NYMISHA KOTALA

Aspiring Winemaker

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EDUCATION

- M.Sc - Vine, Wine & Terroir Management
(MASTER VINTAGE)

École Supérieure d'Agricultures d'Angers

2023 - present

- B.Sc. In Hospitality & Hotel Administration

Institute of Hotel Management, Hyderabad

2015 - 2018

EXPERTISE

- Creative Writing
- Critical Thinking
- People Management
- PowerPoint
- Sommelier
- Wine Tasting
- Whisky Tasting

CERTIFICATIONS

- WSET Level 1 'Merit' 2019
- WSET Level 2 2019
- 'Train the Trainor' - Ecole hôtelière de Lausanne 2021
- Certified Whisky Ambassador - 2022
- Inside LVMH - LVMH - 2023

LANGUAGE

- English - Native
- Telugu - Native
- Hindi - Native
- French - Beginner
- Italian - Beginner

ABOUT ME

A career in hospitality unfolded my inner traits like problem-solving, creative expression, team spirit, and willingness to learn. These evolved into professional skills such as people management, negotiation, team building, and critical thinking. My strength in Food & Beverage Service outlined my potential, as a sommelier alongside a hotelier. I have dealt with wine from an end user, consumer, and retailer perspective. I am willing to strive in understanding viticulture, oenology, and wine marketing on an international scale.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Sept 2023 - Oct 2023

Quinta do Ruguengo | Douro Valley, Portugal

Harvest Intern

- Harvest Internship, assisted in grape reception, cellar and wine lab activities

Feb 2020 - May 2022

ITC Maratha | Mumbai, India

Assistant Manager - Food & Beverage Service

Overlooked managerial duties and responsibilities at the All Day Dining, Multicuisine Restaurant as well as Beverage Training. Transitioned to research and development core team for 'Contactless Service Design' & Take Away Vertical during the pandemic, ITC Hotels launched their own food delivery app. Continued handling In Room Dining & Take Away. Supervised a team of 160 members across the department, aged 21 - 52.

- Completed Whisky Ambassador Certification
- 'Train the Trainor' Skill Training Certificate from Ecole hôtelière de Lausanne

Jul 2018 - Jan 2020

ITC Hotels Ltd | Gurugram - New Delhi, India

Hotel Management Trainee

Recruited through a strenuous national selection amongst country's reputed universities, enrolled into their corporate training program to be appointed as Assistant Managers in the company. Cleared all evaluations as associate, supervisor and manager phases during the on the job training regime.

- Associate at ITC Maurya, New Delhi
- Supervisor and Manager at ITC Grand Bharat, Gurugram
- Completed WSET Level 1 (with Merit) and WSET Level 2 in Wines & Spirits
- Participated in the Indian Sommelier Championship 2019

Oct 2016 - Mar 2017

Park Hyatt Hyderabad | Hyderabad, India

Industrial Trainee

- Operational training in Food & Beverage Service, Food Production, Housekeeping and Front Office.
- Awarded the 'Brand Ambassador' Certificate of appreciation post training
- University Head Girl 2017 - 2018

REFERENCES

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