




Dhanashri Narendra Kelkar

Art Teacher | Freelancer Artist
Pune, Maharashtra


About Me

Date of birth : 1st Oct 1987
Age : 37 yrs
Rangodaay Art Studio,
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Language

- Marathi
- Hindi
- English

Softwares

HANDS ON :
PROCREATE, KRITA, CORAL,
PHOTOSHOP, MS WORD
PRACTICING :
ILLUSTRATOR, BLENDER, MS POWER
POINT, MS EXCEL

Education

- **2008**
**BRIHAN MAHARASHTRA COLLEGE OF COMMERCE , PUNE -
SAVITRIBAI PHULE VIDYAPITH, PUNE**
Bachelor In Commerce (B.com)
- **2010**
**ABHINAV KALA MAHAVIDYALAY, PUNE – KALA
SANCHNALAY, MUMBAI**
Art Teachers Diploma (A.T.D.)
- **2013**
MAHARASTRA RASHTRA BHASHA SABHA, PUNE
Hindi Pandita

Skills

- Digital Illustrations
- Traditional/ Manual Illustrations
- Artistic Technique : Water colour,
Oil colours, sculpting, carving,
printmaking, oil pastels, colour
pencils, b&w pencil sketching,
ball pen drawings
- Tribal art warli , madhubani,
Lippan Art
- Understanding of colour theory
& composition
- Communication &
correspondence
- Understanding an idea and
work as a concept artist on the
same
- Paintings On walls

Experience

• **Art Teacher/ Illustrator**

1. Worked as an Art & Craft Therapist in Prasanna Autism Center, Pune
2. Worked as an illustrator for private educational website
3. Conducting Drawing class named, 'Rangoday Art Studio's Classes', since 18 years
- 100+ students successfully passed GOVT's Drawing Grade examination,
- 20+ students Studying in Design schools , 40+ students studying in art collage, architecture collage,
- 10+ Preparing for Design school & other entrance exams
4. Illustrate Math's Text Book of 6th standard for BALBHARATI for the year 2016
5. Illustrate Math's Text (Algebra & Geometry) Book of 9th standard for BALBHARATI for the year 2017
6. Illustrate Telugu text Book of 10th standard for BALBHARATI for the year 2017
7. Illustrate Text Book of 1st standard for BALBHARATI for the year 2024
8. Illustrate for Government's KISHOR MAGAZINE (monthly) since 2015
9. Illustrate for SSC School scholarship examination book for 5th std.
10. Illustration done for Shikshan Vivek Prakashan, Varada Prakashan, Runa graphics and others...
11. Worked as an Art Teacher, at gram panchayat school (At Jambe, Nere, Kasarsai, Bhoirwadi, Marunji) for NGO URMEE, who worked for CSR projects for mulshi area, Also Conducted an Examination Centre of Governments Drawing Grade examination for Elementary & Intermediate center At Marunji for 4 years
12. Worked as an Art Teacher, with NGO Raintree who worked majorly in Bhor area, conducted art workshops for gram panchayat schools in bhor, for 2 yrs
13. Worked as an Art Teacher, for NGO Rainbow Homes who worked for Girls rescued from difficult situation for 3 yrs
14. Conducted Art Workshops for corporate companies like Roche, Schindler etc.

• **Wall painting**

15. More than 55 walls designed & hand painted for Residential house, Resorts, Cafes' etc.

Wall Paintings sites : LEH-Laddakh, Kondhawale (mulshi, Pune), Pune city

• **Portraits**

16. More than 45 commission portraits done in pencil b & w, pencil colour, acrylic medium on paper

- **Canvas Paintings**

17. More than 65 commissioned canvas paintings done in oil, acrylic, poster colour, water colour, colour pencil medium

Paintings as in collection & grace the wall at Auckland, Boston, Hyderabad, Madras, Pune & Kolhapur

- **Art Workshops**

18. More than 30 self organized art workshops at Rangodaay art studio, Zapurza museum, resorts & various cafes, (Calligraphy, Lippan Art, Coffee Painting, Acrylic on canvas painting, Madhubani Painting, Warali Painting, Paper Craft, Ganesh Idol Making)

- **Assistant art director**

19. Worked as an assistant art director for FTII short film directed by Himanshu singh Nilkuthira, Pandhara chivda - <https://youtu.be/Py0GuQ7Ap2Y?si=Af7oPtfLlcJuo32T>

20. Worked as Production designer for award winning film 'umbartha' film directed by Shruti Dhavale
https://youtu.be/ehjT9zQvO4Q?si=DM2xlp_LOcRgLBpj

21. Worked as an Art Director for sanskrit award winning film 'swamruduladayaha' film directed by Shruti Dhavale
<https://youtu.be/-hY0MPloNmQ?si=OEJNnLAX0ygZKcC->

22. Worked as an art director for FTII direct relay short film on SATYAJIT RAY directed by Himanshu singh

- Working & associated with Interiors designers firm Named Studio Insight, Pune ; Kaleido Design studio, Pune & Studio Design GenX, Pune . Advertising agencies Be Birbal, Pune. Studio design boutique Weaves, Pune



Awards

1. State level award (student life) – 3rd rank
2. Award for Poster Design, Aurangabad – 1st rank
3. Rotary Award, Pune zone – 3rd rank
4. Award in Designing, (Abhinav kala mahavidyalay) – 3rd rank



Exhibitions

1. Realistic portrait Rangoli exhibition named, 'tribute to bollywood legends' (solo show) 1
2. Painting exhibition named, 'Shadows & Light' (solo show) 2
3. Painting exhibitions Chitrawedh, Kala Pratima (duo show) 2
4. Portrait rangoli exhibitions in pune (group shows) 9
5. Organised Rangodaay's Drawing class's students art Exhibition 'Rang Tarang' – 7 exhibitions
6. Paintings displayed in group shows at Cyamroza art gallery, worali, Mumbai & at Monalisa Kalagram, Koregaon Park, Pune
7. Participated in group show & competition Barrister V. V. Oak, Lokmaanya Tilak chitrakala pradarshan, Pune



Hobbies & Interests

- Done theatre for more than 5 years for PDA (Progressive Dramatic Association), Pune & Asakta, Pune ;
- Onstage 3 plays & Backstage 10 plays.
- Firodiya Karandak on stage
- Purushottam karandak back stage
- Rajya Natya Saprda, Pune (Our play Won 3rd Prize) on stage
- Worked as a Content Writer, Script writer & Translator (hindi to marathi) for 3 years
- Worked as a Voice over artist for Radio Advertisements, Jingles & Radio spots for 4 years
- Design & Painted More than 50 Fabrics as per customisation for boutique & Individuals
- Former participant of Pune's oldest Dhol Tasha Pathak for 19 years as a Tasha Player & Pathak Pramukh
- Reading, Movies & plays, Swimming, Singing, Hiking, Travelling, Photography
- Explore the world of art, Explore the new art material & medium
- Know & study the Cultural interest of various tribes, know the living styles, People, nature of the place, geographical conditions, basically to get rooted to the place where I visit