**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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**EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:**

B.A. (Economics) at St. Xavier’s College, Mumbai, India (2003-2004)

M.B.A. (specialization in rural management) at Xavier Institute of Management, Bhubaneshwar, India (2008-2010)

Licentiate in Philosophy at the Gregorian University, Rome (2017-2019)

PhD in Philosophy at the Pontifical Gregorian University, Rome (2019-2022)

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**LANGUAGES:** Konkani, Marathi, Hindi, English, Italian and Spanish (written)

**PUBLICATIONS**

*Alasdair MacIntyre's Views and Biological Ethics: Exploring the Consistency,* Cambridge Scholars Publishing, Newcastle upon Tyne 2022.

“The Significance of Self-Awareness for Christian Leadership”, *Jnanadeepa: Pune Journal of Religious Studies* Vol.22, No. 2 (July-December 2018), pp. 126-143.

**PAPER PRESENTATION**

“Scientific Perspectives on Divine Providence: A Critique of the Non-interventionist Approach” for the Conference “La provvidenza di Dio e il senso della vita umana” at the Pontifical Gregorian University, Rome (November 11-12, 2021)

“The Moral Traditions of Aristotle and the *Bhagavad* *Gita*: A Brief, Comparative Study from the MacIntyrean Perspective” for the Conference “Cross-cultural Encounters” at the Muğla Sıtkı Koçman University, Turkey (June 15-17, 2022)

**TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Course - Logic at St. Pius X College, Mumbai (2018, 2019, 2023)

Course - Philosophy of Religion at Ruhalaya Major Seminary, Ujjain (India), (2022)

Seminar - Synthesis in Philosophy at the Pontifical Gregorian University, Rome (2022)

Seminar - Research Methodology (Basic) at the Pontifical Gregorian University, Rome (2020)

Course - Critical Thinking at Jnana Deepa, Pune (2019, 2020, 2023)

**OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE**

7 years at Jan Seva Mandal, Nandurbar, Maharashtra, India in the field of primary education as trainer and coordinator of supplementary classes (2010-2017); also as Hostel Warden for 3 years of high school boys (2010-2013)

9 months of pastoral ministry at St. Peter’s Church, Mumbai, India (2008)

2 years as a teacher of Religion and English at Colegio El Salvador in Zaragoza, Spain (2001-2003)

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

Conducted a number of sessions on value education, personality development, motivation and critical thinking for high school and university students. Also conducted talks and sessions on spirituality and prayer to religious and laity

Published some articles in Catholic periodicals like The New Leader, Examiner, JIVAN.

Did “Inquiry Oriented Education” course organized by Thinq in collaboration with Indian Institute of Science Education and Research, Pune, India; presently part of Thinq’s support group (<http://www.thinq.education/people>)

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