**ABHIJITH SHENOY K “ABHIRANG”**

Initiated into music by Grandparents - Sri Karki Gopal Krishna Shenoy &

Shrimati Radha Shenoy K, and Parents - Sri Satish Shenoy K & Shrimati Shweta Shenoy K.

Learnt Hindustani Classical Vocal in **Gwalior Gharana** shaili from

**Pt. D B Harindra** of Bangalore for 23 years. Also learnt from **Pt. Ramchandra Janthalli** of Hubli. Learnt thumri – gaayan under the guidance of **Smt Aditi Upadhya Kaikini.**

Completed - **Vidwat Antya** (Hindustani Vocal) from Karnataka State Govt, and **Sangeet Alankar** (Hindustani Vocal) from the Akhila Bharatiya Gandharva Mahavidyalaya Mandal, Mumbai.

Presently doing PhD in music from Jain University on the topic

– Voice Culture.

Graded artist of **All-India –Radio**.

Awarded title **“Raag – Ratna”** by Ragamitra Prathishtan, for his efforts in exploring rare / aprachalit / anvat raags in Hindustani classical music.

Receipent of the **Aryabhatta award** and **Yuva Chandrahaasa Purasakara**. Receipent of State and Central Gov.t Scholarships in music under the HRD department. Receipent of Sur Sagar Scholarship in music.

Has composed around 300 bandishes (compositions in classical music) under the pen-name - **"ABHIRANG”.** The 1st part of his book was released on May 21st, 2017, featuring 75 compositions spanning 50 raags.

President of **NINAAD SANGEET SAGAR FOUNDATION**, a music trust dedicated to promotion of Indian Classical Music by providing a stage to deserving, upcoming artists.

2 audio cd's- **NINAAD** (Hindustani Classical Vocal) and **NAADAMRITA** (Kannada Bhajans) released recently by Lahari Recording Company, Bangalore.

Conducts online classes in Hindustani Classical Vocal for aspiring students of music, both in India and Abroad.

Hindustani Classical Vocal and Bhajan/Dasavani Concerts rendered at the following Prestigious Platforms –

* Sawai Gandharva Festival, Kundugol.
* Karnataka Sangha, Mumbai.
* Gnana Prabhodini School, Pune.
* Kala Prakash, Varanasi
* Yuva Sangeetotsav, Gururao Deshpande Sangeet Sabha, Bangalore.
* Devnandan Ubhaykar Memorial Concert, Bangalore.
* Sur Sagar, Bangalore.
* Sangeeta Krupa Kuteera, Bangalore.
* Other places – Delhi, Indore, Vadodara, Hubli, Dharwad, Sagar, Sirsi, Shimoga, Siddhapur, Karwar, Yellapur, Honnavar, Goa, Puttur, Mangalore, Kanhangad, Kundapur, etc.

Schooling at Sri Aurobindo Memorial School, Bangalore.

**B.Com** & **Hindi Diploma in Mass Communication** - Sri Bhagawan Mahaveer Jain College, Bangalore.

**Diploma in International Trade** from the Northern Institute of Tafe, Australia.

**M.Com in Personnel Management and Industrial Relations** from KSOU, Mysore.

**MBA in Human Resources** from ICFAI.

Presently working as the **H.O.D - Human Networking Academy, Jain University, Bangalore.** Faculty for Personality Development Training for students, teachers, parents and corporates.

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