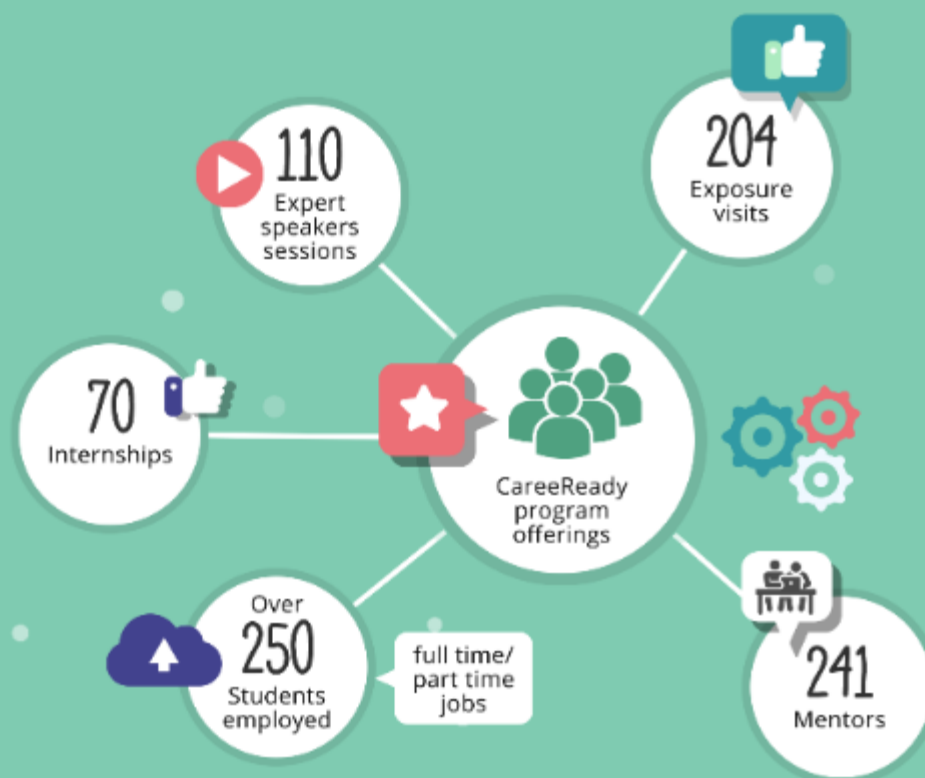


# Antarang Foundation

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## THE ANTARANG CORPORATE TOUCHPOINTS



**156** Industry Partners

**1380** Total Career Linkages

Education, Employment or Training



Youth in EET nationally



Antarang Graduates in EET

( 2012 to present )  
In education, employment or training – a youth productivity measure used by the ILO

## What value does an Antarang graduate add to your organisation?

Antarang graduates are highly motivated, goal oriented individuals, who have a clear and well thought-out career plan. They display high levels of professional etiquette and strong work ethics including participation, initiation, punctuality, regularity and sincerity.

Our graduates consistently stand out in their workplace by virtue of their distinct abilities to harmoniously work in teams, tackle complex problems with a calm approach, and effortlessly handle the stress and strains of a professional environment.

See what some of our graduates and their employers have to say about their experiences of working together...

### Employee: Saraj Salvi

"I joined Abaca as a fresher without any knowledge about retail, especially furniture. I took over a month to understand the basics of the business, and today, I can confidently talk to even high profile clients. This job has transformed my personality; I learnt how to read customer body language and convince him to purchase a product by observing my manager. My English has improved a lot, so has my vocabulary. The work environment at Abaca is 'Happy-go-Lucky', where everybody is treated equally."

### Employer: Rashida Asrani, Owner, ABACA

"Sai Salvi was placed with us at ABACA by Antarang a year and half ago in March 2016.... he has since, proved himself to be a hard working, smart, and sincere member of our sales team... Sai is always punctual, never misses work and is always eager to learn and contribute.

Sai is now well versed with all attributes and specifications of our products and confidently attends to our clients while being polite and helpful.

We are very happy to have him as a member of the ABACA team."

### Employee: Vijay Dawande

"It's been two years that I have been working with HDB Financial services, and it has been full of excitement and challenges.

Today, after two years, I am a confident professional who is willing to take up more responsibilities and face greater challenges."

### Employer: Prashant Shiroom, Regional Head – HR & Operations, Mumbai

"We as an Organisation are pleased to associate with Antarang Foundation, which focuses on providing vocational training and skills like effective communication, etiquette and grooming to make youth eligible for employment. Initiatives like these have a direct impact on their livelihoods and makes a difference to their lives. Associating with organisations like yours helps address our manpower requirements and makes the services affordable by providing trained students."



## THE ANTARANG ENTREPRENEUR

Vinay Gupta, an Antarang alumni is an exemplar of the entrepreneurial spirit that the youth of today entail. His unlimited energy, & dedication motivates all of us. It is with immense pride that we share his entrepreneurial journey.

**2010**

At a young age of 15, Vinay along with his education helped his father with the vegetable business.



**2016**

Vinay enrolled himself in the CareeReady program at Antarang Foundation. Due to his new founded learnings about e-commerce sector, Vinay expanded his business to cover retail home delivery as well.



**1997**

Vinay's father made his transition from working in the old Dadar, to the new Dadar market selling vegetables starting his own small business.



**2014**

They expanded their business from selling vegetables in the wholesale market to tie-ups with restaurants in lower parel area where they started supplying vegetables daily.



**2017**

He joined Antarang Foundation in the Administrative department and got a hands-on experience on how an organization runs. He puts his time management learnings into practice by working at Antarang, managing his vegetable business and studying for his TY B.Com.



In the future he wants to convert his venture into a company and turn into an online portal for selling grocery.

Give these bright sparks a chance to enter your organisation – in a job, an internship or even a visit. One chance to show their potential is all they need!

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