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EDUCATION

- BABSON COLLEGE, F.W. OLIN GRADUATE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS**, Wellesley, MA September 2026 - May 2028
MBA Candidate
- Concentrations - Quantitative Finance (STEM) & Entrepreneurship
- WHARTON BUSINESS SCHOOL ONLINE** May 2026 - July 2026
Business and Financial Modeling Specialization
- HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL ONLINE** March 2024 - March 2024
Leadership Principles
- UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS**, United Kingdom September 2017 - July 2021
Bachelor in Mechanical Engineering
- Achieved a 2:1 Degree Certification
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EXPERIENCE

- ADANI GROUP - VNEET JAAIN, MANAGING DIRECTOR'S OFFICE**, India, Ahmedabad October 2022 - June 2026
The Adani Group is an Indian multinational conglomerate with a market capitalization exceeding \$200 billion, operating as a market leader across critical infrastructure sectors. Its diversified portfolio spans energy and utilities, ports and logistics, mining, airports, defense, and data centers.
- Overlooking -**
- **Adani Green Energy Ltd (AGEL)**: India's largest renewable utility with a market-leading 20 GW portfolio (targeting 50 GW by 2030) ; The world's largest single-location battery deployment (3.37 GWh at Khavda) excl China.
 - **Adani New Industries Limited (ANIL)**: Clean-tech manufacturer managing 15 GW solar shipments and 2.25 GW annual wind capacity ; deployed a flagship 5.2 MW wind turbine and a pioneering 5 MW off-grid hydrogen electrolyzer.
 - **Adani Infra India Limited (AIIL)**: Project management consultancy executing multi-billion-dollar assets , including Navi Mumbai International Airport and Khavda Renewable Energy Park.
 - **Adani infrastructure Management Services Limited (AIMSL)**: Subsidiary driving end-to-end asset optimization and operational excellence across the group's energy, logistics, and utility sectors.
- As Part of MD's Office -**
- Coordinating, Monitoring, Reviewing, Controlling - budgets, timelines and resources for various projects.
 - Ensuring Regulatory compliances.
 - Aligned HR - Team building, succession planning, training, etc.
 - Finance - developing budgets, financial models for new projects, etc.
 - M&A - evaluating business cases, executing strategic tie ups and acquisitions.
 - Entrusted solely for MD's commitment to the Promoters on projects / businesses.
- Senior Engineer -**, October 2022 - April 2024
- Exercised end-to-end oversight over manufacturing and delivery schedules across solar, wind turbine, and electrolyzer verticals; tracked accountability, escalating critical bottlenecks to executive leadership.
 - Planned and monitored execution of 4 solar renewable energy projects worth ~ USD 2.90 Bn in 2023-24.
 - Accelerated the commissioning of the initial 2 GW phase of the world's largest 30 GW hybrid renewable energy park (Khavda) two months ahead of schedule (Jan 2024 vs. March 2024 target).
 - Leveraged executive oversight to unblock supply chain delays, propelling aggressive performance from external contractors, vendors, and internal project teams.
- Assistant Manager -**, April 2024 - May 2026
- Handled Business deliverable responsibility within MD office with overall budget of USD 5.20 Bn in various Energy Projects.
 - Governed pre-project development and stakeholder alignment for the Hydrogen project spanning 85,000 hectares; mitigated regulatory and land-acquisition risks by coordinating across government bodies and internal divisions.

- Orchestrated a strategic business model transformation to scale annual green energy execution to an unprecedented 5–8 GW; shifted from in-house EPC to a diversified multi-partner ecosystem.
- Led the dual-track expansion of the supply chain, directing end-to-end M&A for key acquisitions while onboarding and governing strategic EPC partnerships optimized for mutual margin growth and long-term stability.
- Spearheaded a company-wide organizational de-layering initiative to eliminate bureaucracy and accelerate decision-making, flattening structures from up to 8 layers down to a lean 3-layer corporate and 4-layer site model.
- Partnered with HR to architect the transition strategy; defined cross-departmental operational mechanics and deployed digital workflows to empower decentralized leadership across all business units.
- Spearheaded a paradigm shift in O&M business model transformation across the energy portfolio, transitioning active brownfield assets and new greenfield projects from an in-house model to a partner-led framework.
- Executed a hybrid strategy of targeted M&A and strategic alliances to onboard specialized O&M organizations; established governance models that secured vendor margin sustainability while protecting long-term gains.
- Spearheaded a strategic 50% equity acquisition and O&M takeover of a high-performing specialized partner to rapidly improve critical operational capabilities.
- Engineered immediate parent-company synergies post-closing, scaling the entity's active commercial pipeline with \$50M+ in newly secured contracts within the first 90 days of deal completion.
- Accelerated the end-to-end launch of a new 50:50 Power Transmission Joint Venture within an aggressive 30-day timeline, managing the process from business model formulation to full legal registration.
- Architected highly scalable JV frameworks and governance documentation designed to support a future pipeline of \$120M+ (\$1.2B+) in infrastructure assets.
- Led digital initiatives from the MD's Office.
- Provided single-point strategic assurance to the Chairman & the MD, serving as the executive filter for operational health, risk management, and governance across the Energy, Infrastructure, and Manufacturing portfolios.

Deputy Manager, May 2026 - June 2026

- Maintained full continuity of core responsibilities (detailed below), leading ongoing strategic joint ventures, M&A integrations, and cross-sector portfolio governance across the energy verticals.

INTERNSHIPS

~MINDMAZE HEALTHCARE UK LTD

November 2021 - May 2022

- Pioneering in Digital Neurotherapeutics - Building platform for brain health and recovery
- Designed prototype test platform useful in Neurotherapeutics
- Designed a case to house all electronics to be mounted in F1 race cars

~CLOUDEDZ

May 2020 - June 2020

- Hired as summer intern to manage market research projects for the development teams

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- SPOT Recognition was awarded for various tasks
- Was moved to the Elite Group under Retention Program for Critical/ High Potential Talent ie Long Term Retention Bonus Plan by awarding LTRB bonus every year from 2024 onwards
- Mentored by Mr K V Kamath, Chairman Jio Financial Services Ltd (Ex Chairman ICICI Bank / BRICS Banks)