

# Varun Naren

*Baker, Photographer, Artist, Coder*

A 25-year-old young confident, witty adult with an infectious smile an artist, baker and chef, currently into drawing caricature portraits, also aiming to be a professional photographer.

Varun can read and write and is computer and technology savvy, learning advanced coding , enjoys making videos using Adobe Premiere, Canva, constantly likes to learn new things and is diligent and hardworking, adheres to time deadlines, is also passionate about teaching whether art or baking and has conducted virtual workshops across sections.

Diagnosed with Fragile X syndrome, a single gene cause of autism.

## Contact

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## Skills

Vegetarian  
baking



Customer  
service



Creative



Flexible &  
Adaptive



## Work History

2017 –  
current

### Baker

*Varun's Delights, self-employed*

Bakes from home - A variety of pure vegetarian baked items including gluten free, vegan breads, cakes, babkas, cookies, tarts, pies, sourdough, etc. has been commissioned for different corporates and individuals.

2017 –  
current

### Entrepreneur

*Varun's Creations, self-employed*

Using his artworks, Varun makes utilitarian products like mugs, coasters, custom luggage tags, folders, diaries, drawing books jewel boxes, trays, scarves, stoles, masks etc

2017 –  
current

### Caricature Artist and Painter

*Self-employed*

Varun takes up commissioned work for making caricature portraits and sketches and paintings Artworks have even been selected by Bose Krishnamachari for the Art Sanctuary eCAPA Exhibitions, by NGMA in New Delhi and National Museum New Delhi and other cities as well.

He received a grant from Hyundai and was presented with a cheque of Rs 50000/-and received the Art of hope award selected as the top 10 artists with disabilities as part of their Ability for Dignity program.

**2021 -  
Current**

## **Workshops**

### **Doodling and baking**

Has taken commissioned workshops for doodling with various companies (About 20) including Atypical Advantage, Accenture, Zensar, HCL to name a few.

Has conducted baking workshops for special schools and institutions

**2020 -  
current**

## **Photographer**

Enjoys a variety of photography styles like, portraits, landscapes and nature, aims to be a professional photographer. His photographs have been selected in many exhibitions.

His photograph has been selected by the Bangalore International airport T2 terminal as part of their art program.

**2020 –  
current**

## **Advanced Coder learning online at Hashhackcode, Chennai**

Aim to take up website designing commissions

## Education

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**2003-2008**      *Arya Vidya Mandir – Mumbai*

**2008-2012-**      *JBCN Special School - Mumbai*

**2012-2020**      *The Gateway School of Mumbai – Mumbai*

**2015-June-July**      *Dynamics of Baking and Patisserie at Sophia College Mumbai*

**2019-2020**      *A 6 month Diploma in cookery course at The Veruscka Foundation Culinaris cookery Institute*

## Hobbies

Reading, singing, dancing, baking, doodling and drawing, painting, watching talk shows

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Besides baking and drawing professionally, his profession is also his passion. He loves to read and likes to write stories. He has written three short stories. He enjoys singing. He enjoys dancing to both English and Hindi dance numbers. He enjoys drawing cartoons, caricature portraits, famous artists, the Buddha and loves making videos for his teachers, for his birthday and just for fun. He enjoys talk shows like Jimmy Fallon, Jimmy Kimmel Live, family feud by Steve Harvey, Send to All by Michael McIntyre. He enjoys watching Broadway shows and listening to all genres of music and to go for music concerts.