



Prakash Paranjape, Ph.D.



PERSONAL PROFILE

Age: 68, Ph.D. Chemical Engineer, Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay.

Bridge Champion, Expert, Analyst, Author, Commentator,

Coach: Indian Juniors' Team, 2023

Recipient of the Best defence award, 2024, for reporting the deal.

Funbridge 'World Grand Master', online finalist, ebridgecup 2026

Bridge Championship Wins

- 1997 Delhi: All India Rama Jain MP Pairs
- 1999 Kasauli, 2000 Mount Abu: Winner IMP Pairs, Summer Nationals
- 2001 Kolkata: Winners, Ruia Trophy and Singhania Trophy, BAM Progressive event
- Winner, Peak Freans Team Event, Karachi, 2000
- Elite Group Player (Only about 4 out of 1000 players are part of this group), Funbridge

Bridge Official / Director

- Joint Secretary, Thane District Bridge Association, 1985-1990
- Secretary, Bombay CBA. 1999-2000
- National Level Director, Bridge Federation of India. 1999

Commentary

- From 2007-present, I have commentated on BBO, initially in late Roland Wald's team on the top World Championship matches. Later, as a BBO star player and commentator.

Mentoring and Coaching

- Coach and NPC of the Indian Juniors' team, 1997 World Juniors Championships, Toronto, Canada; 2023 World Youth Team Championships, Veldhoven, Netherlands
- Course Instructor: OKBridge University, online. ~2005

Author / Content Creator

- 'Easier Done Than Said, brilliancy at the bridge table', Master Point Press, August 1998
- **Sunday Bridge Column, Times of India, 1993-2011**
- Youtube Channel 'Demicoma Bridge Academy'
- Creator: **DE**structive **MI**nor **CO**nstructive **MA**jors (DEMICOMA) Bidding System that finds mentions in the sixth world bridge encyclopaedia.
- Editor, Daily Bulletin, HCL International Bridge Championships, 2022, 2023, 2024, and 2025.