

Team Member



Vishal Kullarwar

Who am I

I am 29-Year-Old Indian National and a Fashion & Beauty Photographer by profession. Born and bred in Mumbai, I have been living there ever since, with my parents and younger sister.

Where I live

I live in the super-fast paced, exciting city of Mumbai where time flies. I stay in Central Mumbai at Mahim.

My profession

I started off with the Rat Race and took up Engineering. At the end of two years I realized that there wasn't anything that was exciting and zestful in what I was studying. I quit the course and after a two year sabbatical joined a Design School - Cambrian College of Arts, which was a Canadian School and had a branch in my city. After 3 years full time, I joined an ad agency and then did stints with a few agencies and design Houses like Grandmother India, etc as a graphic Designer and visualizer. The urge to pursue photography caught up with me. I began assisting a fashion Photographer from Mumbai and after 2 years I left for Germany and Paris to assist a few photographers there. Since 2 years I have been working as a freelance fashion photographer from Mumbai. I have a small office in Germany from where I operate when I go there. I have been shooting for magazines like Elle, Cosmopolitan, GQ (India), Chew (South Africa), Swank Glossy (Indonesia), to name a few. Editorials, Catalogues, Advertising, are some of the jobs that I take up. Having a keen interest in Travel, I shoot a lot of travel and reportage of places where I visit.

What I do in my spare time

My hobbies include Sports, watching movies (multilingual), Traveling, Adventure sports, Music and Photography. I feel inspired by my work especially the visual appeal, sense of direction, lighting, the Look and feel of a frame.

Why I have participated in the GSE programme

What's more exciting than visiting the Fashion hub of the World - Paris, for a fashion exchange program! Being from the same field and the thought of meeting people, exchanging cultural thoughts of both the countries, were my reasons for participating in the GSE program. I am very keen to promote Indian fashion, culture and diversity to France. There is so much about India than the country just Rajasthan, elephants and turbans that needs to be shared.