



Mr. Fix IT for Mumbai Team

How your life plays out can't be solely left to destiny, your hard work and dedication can craft your life's path. My professional journey started in year 2000 at a young age of 21 years and just like any other person of that age, I too was uncertain and at times - afraid as well. The IT era had just begun, and we all were a bit clueless as to how the future will shape up in this new field.

Interestingly, I had started working as an IT support person right after my 10th standard and therefore wanted to get into an organisation which will offer me good learning opportunities and stability. But life often takes you through strange routes and circumstances before leading to your destiny and in the course also to something which it has carved for you only. And CBRE happened just like that.

Since 2004

Formally I joined CBRE in 2004 in the IT department (before that I was working with a contractor and CBRE actually was my client 😊). The transition was swift and even before I could realise, I became part of a roller-coaster journey with an unlimited learning and possibilities.

The Transformation

Through my 15 years at CBRE, the Mumbai office has grown in front of my eyes. We started with only 16 employees who worked from a small set up and today we are around 250 people with an office in one of the most prestigious locations in Mumbai. Interestingly in all these years, technology and its role in our lives only increased and that ensured that I never had a boring day.

Right from managing desktop computers to laptops and now today in the era of data security, I have seen it all. At times it does give me a sense of nostalgia as the learning I had here is just unparalleled.

CBRE is like a Family

While I already knew the people here and was aware of the basic functioning of the organisation, the bond has only grown stronger with time. Time often helps you identify those who will stand by you irrespective of the circumstances. Almost 12 years ago, a tragedy struck when my mother was diagnosed with a cardiac complication and doctors advised for an urgent angioplasty. Things happened rapidly and I was having a tough time in arranging everything. Somehow seniors in office got to know about it and even before I could realise, things started to fall in place - right from finances to everything big and small. Today when I look back, I find that CBRE not only helped me in time of need, but also helped me fulfil my duties as a son. Unfortunately, few years ago, my mother required another surgery and CBRE was again there for me. Today, I don't even want to think what would have happened had CBRE not been there in my life!

But family is not about a one-way process. It requires whole-hearted commitment of every member. While what CBRE did for me can hardly be repaid, I ensured that my commitment level to work is always high and I keep learning new things to have solutions for all the IT-related issues.

Back home, every family has one common complain - why do you give so much time to office! But my family due to the support CBRE has given, completely loves the environment here. Just like a family has to approve of your life partner, they have approved CBRE for me! Honestly, I can't even imagine a life without CBRE. It gave me the identity I have and many other things which I never even asked for.

THERE IS SOMETHING ABOUT CBRE!

