

Madan Padaki
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Biography

Madan Padaki is the Co-Founder & CEO of MeritTrac Services Pvt. Ltd. MeritTrac is India's Largest Skills Assessments Company and is based out of Bangalore.

An engineer from the National Institute of Engineering, Mysore he started his career with Wipro Corporation - Fluid Power unit in Export Sales. Attracted by the booming IT industry, he moved to Infosys Technologies into a Product Management & Marketing role. After a year's stint, he went on to pursue a formal MBA from S.P.Jain Institute of Management & Research, Mumbai. On graduating, he joined BFL Software where he was posted to Tokyo in a role that involved setting up the operations of BFL Software in Far East.

Bitten by the entrepreneurial bug in Aug 2000, he conceived and started MeritTrac along with other friends & colleagues, which then was a pioneering idea.

INSEAD, Europe's Leading Business School has written a case-study on MeritTrac and this is being taught at its Entrepreneurship courses - where Madan is also an invited faculty. MeritTrac has also been featured extensively in a book on Entrepreneurship, titled "Mastering Business in Asia" - by Prof. Patrick Turner & Chris Boulton.

Madan is an active speaker at many forums and is invited regularly to deliver guest lectures at INSEAD, Singapore on Entrepreneurship. He has been invited as a Speaker at the prestigious India IT Forum - Global Entrepolis @ Singapore to talk about Talent Pools & Development Models in India and at the Asia Business Forum in Singapore to talk about Entrepreneurship. He also serves on a panel constituted by the Ministry of IT, Govt. of India to evaluate IT education in India.

Madan is actively involved with many entrepreneur groups and is a member of TiE.