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Santosh P. Shinde, an experienced academician and researcher in Computer Science with more than 15 years of teaching and administrative experience. Currently serving as the **Officiating Principal at Late Dr. Sacchidanand Mungantiwar Night College, Chandrapur**, with a strong background in teaching programming and advanced computer science subjects including Python, Java, C, C++, Android, PHP, Data Warehousing, and Software Testing.

Professional journey spans across various reputed institutions such as **Sardar Patel Mahavidyalaya, Chandrapur**, where postgraduate students in Computer Studies and Research were guided, and **VJ Polytechnic College, Rajura**, where responsibilities included heading the Science and Humanities Department and managing academic examinations. Earlier roles at **Rajiv Gandhi College and Dr. Ambedkar Jr. College** further strengthened teaching expertise in undergraduate and higher secondary programs.

Academic qualifications include an **M.Sc. in Computer Science from Nagpur University**, an **M.Lib. & I.Sc. with a Gold Medal** from Gondwana University, and ongoing Ph.D. research in Computer Science. Beyond teaching, responsibilities have extended to exam coordination, external examiner duties, and **coordinating ycmou study center**, reflecting strong leadership and organizational skills.

Areas of interest extend to **research, technology integration in education, and student mentoring**. With a passion for continuous learning, professional development, and knowledge-sharing, the focus remains on contributing to academic excellence and nurturing the next generation of learners.