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# A Case Study on Paralympian Gold Medalist Pramod Bhagat and his contribution towards Para-Badminton

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#### **Abstract**

Success is peace of mind that's the direct result of tone- satisfaction in knowing you did your stylist to come stylish that you're able of getting. As a man who has supported the expression "Train smarter and harder", it's maybe no surprise to see hard work as one of my keys to success. The most successful athletes, brigades, players, and businessmen are those that can fantasize about their end thing and put forth the hard work demanded to reach them. The purpose of the study was to understand the donation and achievements of Padma Shri Pramod Bhagat towards the game of Para-Badminton and its creation. The trip of Pramod Bhagat changed his fortune, from being Polio- stricken to getting world no 1 in both mates and doubles and dominating the sport as no one has ever seen. Born on 4th June 1988 in Attabira in Bargarh District, Odisha at the home of the late Kailash Bhagat and late Kusum Devi, he's one of six sisters and sisters. Tragedy struck when he was five times old as he developed polio, leading to a disability affecting his left leg. Pramod Bhagat started playing badminton in 2002 after watching people play in his neighborhood. His gameplay was good and was encouraged by observers, which motivated him to move ahead in his badminton career. He got into the competitive Para circuit in 2006 after playing with suitable-bodied players and beating them. His support both financially and innocently was the people from his city and his family. He's a graduate with an ITI degree and is presently working in a government institution. Pramod Bhagat believes that his disability is God's gift and it has helped him achieve heights beyond his capacities. In his career to date, he has won a whopping 125 orders (59 International orders and 48 public orders). Pramod Bhagat has been recognized with Padma Shri on the dusk of the 2022 Republic Day. The ace-shuttler had a memorable 2021 time getting the first Indian badminton player to win gold in the Olympics/ Paralympics. He was also awarded the Dhyan Chand Khel Ratna Award in 2021 and Arjuna Award in 2019. He also holds the no 1 ranking in the SL3 order.

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#### Introduction

Para-badminton is a variant of badminton for athletes with a range of physical disabilities. Badminton World Federation (BWF) is the main governing body for Para-badminton starting from June 2011. The sport was governed by Para-Badminton World Federation (PBWF) until an amicable decision to join BWF during a meeting in Dortmund in June 2011. Para badminton is now honored as a Paralympic sport and has been inaugurated for the first time at the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games. The Paralympic Games are a major transnational multi-sport event for athletes with physical disabilities or intellectual impairments. This



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includes athletes with mobility disabilities amputations, blindness, and cerebral paralysis. Paralympic sports relate to organized competitive sporting conditioning as part of the global Paralympic movement. These sports are organized and run under the supervision of the International Paralympic Committee and other transnational sports coalitions. Achievements of Pramod Bhagat Pramod Bhagat is an Indian professional Para-badminton player, who's ranked no. 1 in Para-badminton men's mates SL3 and also a 5-time BWF World Champion. Pramod represented India at the 2020 Tokyo Paralympics, where he earned a gold order in Men's Mates SL3 order. Pramod Bhagat was born on 4 June 1988 in Attabira in Bargarh District, Odisha in a low middle-class family. His father late Kailash Bhagat and the late Kusum Devi (Baday Papa and Maa). He's one of six sisters and sisters. Their top fiscal resource was the service of his father, who was a motorist in a Rice Mill in Attabira. When he was five times old he developed polio, leading to a disability affecting his left leg. Pramod Bhagat got his primary and high academy education from Attabira, High School. Attabira. Pramod Bhagat's sisters and sisters were lessoning there. As a child, he loved justice and was a proud opening batsman in original events. In his teens, however, Bhagat developed a new setup relish for badminton. As a 14- time-old, Bhagat would finish his studies to snappily go to a near playground to watch his academy seniors play in new out-of-door courts." When everyone would watch television in the gloamings, he'd go and watch badminton. His fidelity reaped prices as he soon started training with them." He had to stay a bit because he was inferior and impaired, but once he started, everyone was impressed with his progress, and he came to a quarter-champion. That is how he decided to play it professionally." He was also introduced to his first trainer, SP Das, who he credits for shaping him as a professional Para-athlete." He was his first tutor. He used to play outside, while it was an inner sport professionally. He was the one who helped him to make that shift, and ultimately come a transnational player.

#### Methodology

A case study has been designed to probe the life of Padma shri Pramod Bhagat as a person. This case study includes the Qualitative styles of opting for the source of data. It presents an each- inclusive account of the study of the case. The integrated approach was used to gather valid and dependable information for the study. The tools used for the study were both structured and unstructured interview styles and open-concluded questionnaires. still, the questionnaire wasn't formalized and was used to probe Padma shri Pramod Bhagat as an outstanding Badminton player. The fashion used for the analysis of data was happy analysis data. After the analysis of the data, the results of the study have been anatomized.



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#### Sports Awards and Achievements of Padma Shri Pramod Bhagat

Pramod Bhagat made his transnational debut in 2006 by contending at the FESCPIC Games, presently known as Asian Para Games, but couldn't give a good launch to his transnational career. He was out of the competition after playing his first match at the first transnational event. Starting in 2009, he went on to train hundreds of aspiring badminton players in the Sambalpur quarter of Odisha and Nagpur in Maharashtra, before shifting focus to his playing career again in 2017 owing to an injury. Pramod Bhagat first came into the spotlight in 2013 when he won a gold order at the World Crowns in Men's Doubles order held in Dortmund, Germany. Pramod Bhagat shared in the Asian Para Games and won a citation order for India. In 2015, Pramod Bhagat got the occasion to represent India at BWF World Crowns and won a gold order, defeating Vietnam's Pham Duc Trung in Men's mate's order. Pramod Bhagat secured a gold order in Men's Mates SL3 and a tableware order in Men's Double's SL3- SL4 order at the 2018 Asian Para Games. Prime Minister Narendra Modi took to Instagram to compliment Pramod on winning two orders at the Asian Para Games. Pramod Bhagat, 2019, was recognized with the Arjuna Award, the sports honor of the Republic of India, for his extraordinary performance in Para-Badminton sports by the President of India Ram Nath Kovind. Pramod had an astonishing performance throughout the 2020 Paralympics and was fortunate in grabbing gold for the country. In 2021 Pramod Bhagat got the occasion to represent India at the 2020 Tokyo Paralympics, making his debut in the Paralympic Games. Pramod Bhagat won a gold order at the 2020 Tokyo Paralympics in the men's mates SL3 class order. He created history in Tokyo by getting the first Indian player to win a gold order in Badminton at the Paralympics. Pramod devoted this palm to his parents. Pramod Bhagat considers Saina Nehwal and PV Sindhu his biggest alleviation to play badminton. The ace shuttler had a memorable 2021 time when he settled the gold order at Tokyo Paralympics. He has been recognized with Khel Ratna Award in the time 2021and and Padma Shri just adds further weight to his achievements. He also holds the no 1 ranking in the SL3 order. Pramod Bhagat on 13 November 2021 entered Major Dhyan Chand Khel Ratna Award from President Ram Nath Kovind at Rashtrapati Bhavan in New Delhi. He came as the first person from Odisha to bag the Major Khel Ratna Award. Paralympic gold quarterfinalist Pramod Bhagat has entered his Padma Shri honor in recognition of his success at Tokyo 2020. Bhagat was presented with India's fourth-loftiest mercenary award at a forum held on 28 March 2022. He earned a palm in the men's mates SL3 at Tokyo 2020 when badminton made its Paralympic Games debut. Bhagat crushed Britain's Daniel Bethell in the final at the age of five, Bhagat contracted polio which caused a disability in his left leg. He took up badminton at the age of 13. Bhagat has enjoyed a successful career in the sport, winning five World Championship orders as well as the Paralympic title. Bhagat had



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formerly entered India's top two sporting honors. He was presented with the Arjuna Award in 2019, before entering the Khel Ratna Award in 2021. Professional Career of Padma Shri Pramod Bhagat presently working as an assistant director in state insurance cooperation.

Table: 1 Sports Awards of Padma Shri Pramod Bhagat

| YEAR | AWARDS   |  |
|------|--|--|
| 2022 | PADMA SHRI   |  |
| 2021 | DHYAN CHAND KHEL RATNA AWARD                         |  |
| 2020 | TOISA – PARA SPORTSPERSON OF THE YEAR                |  |
| 2020 | SPORTSTAR ACES AWARD - PARA SPORTSPERSON OF THE YEAR |  |
| 2019 | ARJUNA AWARD   |  |
| 2019 | BIJU PATNAIK SPORTS AWARD – BEST PLAYER OF THE YEAR  |  |

Table: 2 Sports Achievements of Padma Shri Pramod Bhagat

| YEAR                           | COMPETITON   | SINGLES | DOUBLES |
|--------------------------------|--|---------|---------|
| 2021                           | PARALYMPIC GAMES-2020 TOKYO, JAPAN                                 | GOLD    | -       |
| 2021                           | 3 <sup>RD</sup> FAZZA-DUBAI PARA BADMINTON<br>INTERNATIONAL, DUBAI | GOLD    | GOLD    |
| 2020                           | BRAZIL PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL,<br>SAO PAULO                  | GOLD    | GOLD    |
| 2020                           | PERU PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, LIMA                            | GOLD    | GOLD    |
| 2019 IWAS WORLD GAMES, SHARJAH |  | GOLD    | SILVER  |



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| 2019 STH TURKISH PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, ANTALYA  2019 2ND FAZZA-DUBAI PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, GOLD  2019 UGANDA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, KAMPALA  2019 CANADA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, OTTAWA  2019 IRISH PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, GOLD  2019 CHAMPIONSHIPS, BASEL  2019 THAILAND PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGKOK  2019 CHINA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGKOK  2019 CHINA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGKOK  2019 CHINA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGZHOU  2019 DENMARK PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, GOLD  2019 JAPAN PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, ODENSE  2019 JAPAN PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, TOKYO  2018 Ist FAZZA- DUBAI PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, TOKYO  2018 ATT TURKISH PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, ONE BRONZE  2018 BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE |      |            |        |        |
|---|------|------------|--------|--------|
| 2019 INTERNATIONAL, DUBAI  2019 UGANDA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, KAMPALA  2019 CANADA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, OTTAWA  2019 IRISH PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, DUBLIN  2019 TOTAL BWF PARA BADMINTON WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, BASEL  2019 THAILAND PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGKOK  2019 CHINA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGKOK  2019 DENMARK PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, HANGZHOU  2019 DENMARK PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, ODENSE  2019 JAPAN PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, TOKYO  2018 International, Dubai  4TH TURKISH PARA BADMINTON  BRONZE BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  | 2019 | 2019       |        | BRONZE |
| 2019 CANADA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, OTTAWA  2019 IRISH PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, DUBLIN  2019 TOTAL BWF PARA BADMINTON WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, BASEL  2019 THAILAND PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGKOK  2019 CHINA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGKOK  2019 DENMARK PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, ODENSE  2019 JAPAN PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, TOKYO  2018 Ist FAZZA- DUBAI PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, DUBAI  2018 ATH TURKISH PARA BADMINTON  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE   | 2019 |            | GOLD   | -      |
| 2019 OTTAWA  2019 IRISH PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, DUBLIN  2019 TOTAL BWF PARA BADMINTON WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, BASEL  2019 THAILAND PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGKOK  2019 CHINA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, HANGZHOU  2019 DENMARK PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, ODENSE  2019 JAPAN PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, TOKYO  2019 INTERNATIONAL, SILVER  2019 BRONZE  2019 JAPAN PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, TOKYO  2018 INTERNATIONAL, DUBAI  2018 4TH TURKISH PARA BADMINTON  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  | 2019 | GOLD       |        | GOLD   |
| DUBLIN  TOTAL BWF PARA BADMINTON WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, BASEL  THAILAND PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGKOK  CHINA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, HANGZHOU  DENMARK PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, ODENSE  DENMARK PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, TOKYO  1st FAZZA- DUBAI PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, TOKYO  2018  1st FAZZA- DUBAI PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, DUBAI  4TH TURKISH PARA BADMINTON BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE   | 2019 | ,          | BRONZE | SILVER |
| CHAMPIONSHIPS, BASEL  2019  THAILAND PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGKOK  2019  CHINA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, HANGZHOU  DENMARK PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, ODENSE  2019  JAPAN PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, TOKYO  1st FAZZA- DUBAI PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, INTERNATIONAL, DUBAI  2018  4TH TURKISH PARA BADMINTON  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  | 2019 | , ,        | GOLD   | GOLD   |
| 2019 CHINA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, HANGZHOU  2019 DENMARK PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, ODENSE  2019 JAPAN PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, TOKYO  2018 1st FAZZA- DUBAI PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL SILVER  2018 ATH TURKISH PARA BADMINTON  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  | 2019 | 4          | GOLD   | GOLD   |
| 2019 HANGZHOU  DENMARK PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, ODENSE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  -  1st FAZZA- DUBAI PARA BADMINTON  INTERNATIONAL, DUBAI  4TH TURKISH PARA BADMINTON  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE   | 2019 |            | SILVER | SILVER |
| 2019 ODENSE BRONZE BRONZE  2019 JAPAN PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, TOKYO  1st FAZZA- DUBAI PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, DUBAI  4TH TURKISH PARA BADMINTON BRONZE BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE  BRONZE   | 2019 | VIDHYAYANA | GOLD   | GOLD   |
| TOKYO  1st FAZZA- DUBAI PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, DUBAI  4TH TURKISH PARA BADMINTON BRONZE BRONZE BRONZE  | 2019 |            | BRONZE | BRONZE |
| 2018 INTERNATIONAL, DUBAI SILVER BRONZE  4 <sup>TH</sup> TURKISH PARA BADMINTON  BRONZE BRONZE  | 2019 | SILVER     |        | -      |
| 2018 BRONZE BRONZE  | 2018 |            | SILVER | BRONZE |
|   | 2018 |            | BRONZE | BRONZE |



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| 2018 | THAILAND PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGKOK                  |        | -      |
|------|---|--------|--------|
| 2018 | ASIAN PARA GAMES  | GOLD   | BRONZE |
| 2018 | AUSTRALIA PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, VICTORIA                | GOLD   | SILVER |
| 2017 | THAILAND PARA BADMINTON INTERNATIONAL, BANGKOK                  | GOLD   | SILVER |
| 2017 | BWF PARA BADMINTON WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, ULSAN BRONZE            |        | -      |
| 2016 | 3 <sup>RD</sup> INDONESIA PARA BADMINTON<br>INTERNATIONAL, SOLO | GOLD   | BRONZE |
| 2016 | ASIAN PARA BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIPS, BEIJING                     | BRONZE | BRONZE |
| 2015 | BWF PARA BADMINTON WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, LONDON VIDHYAYANA       | GOLD   | SILVER |
| 2014 | ASIAN PARA GAMES, INCHEON                                       | BRONZE | -      |
| 2013 | 2013 BWF PARA BADMINTON WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS, DORTMUND           |        | GOLD   |
| 2010 | 2010 ASIAN PARA GAMES, GUANGZHOU                                |        |        |
| 2009 | 2009 PARABADMINTON WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS,<br>SEOUL                |        | -      |
| 2008 | ASIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS, BANGALORE                                  | GOLD   | SILVER |
| 2007 | PARA BADMINTON WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS,<br>BANGKOK                  | BRONZE | BRONZE |
|      |   |        |        |



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| 2006 | FESPIC GAMES, KUALA LUMPUR | - | - |
|------|----------------------------|---|---|
|      |                            |   |   |

#### Table: 2 Professional Career of Padma Shri PramodBhagat

| RANK               | YEAR            | POSTED   |
|--------------------|-----------------|--|
| Assistant director | 2016 TILPRESENT | Employees state insurance cooperation. ( ECSI) |

#### **Result and Discussion**

Information about the applicable results was attained through interviews and open questionnaires about Padma Shri Pramod Bhagat there, over forty sports personalities were named for him, including his teammates, trainers, sympathizers, his scholars, family members, cousins, and associates. From the information gathered we know that Pramod Bhagat's professional career is in public and transnational situations from 2006 to till present. He also holds the no 1 ranking in the SL3 order from the time 2015 onwards. He simply loses his cool and has a lot of tolerance and perseverance. He has a tremendous capability to overcome obstacles and his station toward others is veritably friendly and collaborative. Pramod Bhagat is one of the great players in India and is proud of his country. He's a part model for others.

#### Conclusion

Padma Shri Pramod Bhagat has been an outstanding Para-Badminton player. Pramod Bhagat is also known for his great tolerance and true fidelity to badminton. He's apprehensive about his health and exercises daily to maintain his physical fitness. He's a veritably educated, honest, effective, and rigorously chastened player. He has a great relationship with his teammates, trainers, operation, and challengers. His station towards others is veritably friendly and probative. Pramod Bhagat is holds ranked as the World No. 1Para-Badminton Player. He's a part model for others.

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