



Jai Jinendra!

I have been a member of the Jain Center of Southern California (JCSC) for over 20 years and have had the privilege of volunteering in various capacities over the years. I still fondly remember working alongside a small group of volunteers in the kitchen and helping serve food on Sundays in 2002–2004, when our Center was much smaller than it is today. It has been wonderful to see how our community has grown over the years.

My two daughters are students at JCYC, and our family lives in Irvine. You can often find me at the temple on Pathshala days, participating in programs and helping wherever needed. Professionally, I am a healthcare entrepreneur and business leader with experience in business strategy, finance, technology, and operations.

Over the years, I have supported JCSC and its activities by:

- Helping with RSVPs, kitchen activities, and food service.
- Supporting technology infrastructure and related initiatives.
- Assisting with Pathshala sessions and religious events to help ensure programs run smoothly.
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Why do I want to join the Executive Committee?

JCSC has grown tremendously, and I believe we have an opportunity to continue improving how we operate so that volunteering, participating, and contributing become easier for more members of our community.

I would like to bring my professional experience in financial management, technology, and operational transformation to support the Center's continued growth. In particular, I hope to contribute to greater financial transparency and reporting, strong accounting practices and internal controls, and practical technology and operational improvements.

Most importantly, I want to work collaboratively with fellow Executive Committee members and volunteers to ensure that JCSC continues to meet the evolving needs of our community while preserving the Jain values and traditions that bring us together. I believe it is our responsibility to keep our culture and heritage alive and to build a strong foundation for the next generation.

I would be honored to serve our community in this capacity and contribute my time, experience, and energy to the continued success of JCSC.