

# SAKETH PALAKODETY

Spin Bowling All Rounder



Name	Saketh Palakodety
DOB	24-01-1993
Nationality	Indian
Player Status	Available
Playing Role	Bowling All-Rounder (Spin)
Batting Style	RH Middle Order Bat
Bowling Style	RA Off Spin
Entry Route	International Sportsperson Visa
Coaching Qualifications	ECB Core Coach

Saketh Palakodety is a high-quality spin-bowling all-rounder currently playing for Hyderabad in India’s domestic circuit. A classical right-arm off-spinner and reliable middle-order batter, he brings a wealth of experience, composure, and match-winning ability to any side he represents.

Saketh made a triumphant return to the domestic spotlight during the 2023/24 Ranji Trophy, where he claimed 12 wickets at 17.08 from five matches, including standout figures of 4-33 against Meghalaya. It marked a significant comeback after an earlier stint between 2017 and 2020, which had been disrupted by a lack of opportunities and the COVID pandemic.

His route back to the professional game was paved through sheer determination and consistent performances at A Division level for Central Excise and Customs Cricket Club, proving he remained a serious talent on the fringes of Indian domestic cricket.

A former Hyderabad U19 and U22 representative, Saketh boasts a first-class batting average of 35.87, underlining his genuine all-rounder credentials – something consistently on display at club level, even if not yet fully utilized in the Ranji setup.

In 2024, Saketh took his game abroad for the first time, enjoying a stellar season with Littletown Cricket Club in the Durham and North East League. His stats speak volumes:

598 runs @ 35.18  
32 wickets @ 17.78

A composed, adaptable, and intelligent cricketer, Saketh also serves as Head Coach and Teacher at St. Peter’s High School, showcasing leadership both on and off the field.

With his proven domestic quality, a strong maiden UK season under his belt, and ambitions to push higher in both coaching and playing pathways, Saketh Palakodety is eager to return to the UK in 2026. For clubs seeking a high-impact all-rounder with professional experience and maturity, Saketh presents an exceptional opportunity.

## Overseas Statistics

Team (Season)	Mts	Inns	NO	Runs	HS	Ave	Ovs	Runs	Wkts	BB	Avg
Littletown (2024)	27	25	0	598	76	35.18	141	569	32	4/19	17.78

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