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PERSONAL DETAILS

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MARITAL ARTS CAREER

July 2011 - Present Chairman, De Silva Taekwon-Do Association
October 1998 – Present Instructor, De Silva Taekwon-Do Academies
January 2017 - Present Technical Director, ITF England

INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

2017 - 2018 Head Coach, ITF England National Team
ITF World Championships - Ireland, 2017
AETF European Championships - Bulgaria 2017, Slovenia 2018
2015 - 2017 Coach, ITF England National Team.
AETF European Championships - Scotland 2015, Finland 2016
2015 Competitor Analyst ITF England for ITF World Championships, Italy.
2006 Head Coach, UK ITF for ITF European Championships - Germany.
2006 Head Coach, UK ITF for ITF World Championships - Australia.

SEMINARS

June 2018 Sparring and ITF Seminars in Sri Lanka and India alongside GM Bos as part of the ITF Asian Development Programme.
February 2018 Sparring seminars delivered in four cities in Argentina to members of APAT.
June 2017 Technical Sparring seminar delivered to T-UK

LANGAUGES

English - Native
German - Fluent
French - Fluent
Sinhalese - Fluent

ADDITIONAL EXPERIENCE

August 2015-July 2017 Bank of America - Vice President, Agreements & Documentation
Non Prime Brokerage, Hedge Fund - Head of derivatives trade
documentation negotiations. French Derivatives.
German Master Agreements
August 2011 - June 2015 Barclays Capital - Assistant Vice President, Contract Negotiation
June 2010 - May 2015 Freshfields Bruckhaus Deringer LLP

COMPETITOR

GLOBAL TITLES

- 2015 Unified ITF World Championships (Hatfield, England) – Silver (Individual Sparring, Advanced Snr)
- 2015 Unified ITF World Championships (Hatfield, England) – Silver (Individual Patterns, Advanced Snr)
- 2013 Unified ITF World Championships (Hatfield, England) – Gold (Individual Patterns)
- 2007 ITF World Championships (Birmingham, England) - Bronze (Team Destruction)
- 2006 ITF European Championships (Wetzler, England) - Bronze (Individual Destruction)

INTERNATIONAL TITLES

- 2013 IUTF 4 Nations Invitational - (Cork, Ireland) Silver (Individual Patterns)
- 2012 PUMA World Black Belt Championships (Bristol, England) – Silver (Individual Patterns)
- 2012 PUMA World Black Belt Championships (Bristol, England) – Bronze (Individual Sparring)
- 2007 ITF World Championships (Birmingham, England) – Bronze (Team Destruction)
- 2006 ITF Australasian Championships (Geelong, Australia) – Gold (Individual Patterns)
- 2006 ITF Australasian Championships (Geelong, Australia) – Gold (Team Sparring)
- 2006 ITF European Championships (Wetzler, Germany) – Bronze (Individual Sparring)
- 2005 USTF World Championships (Florida, USA) – Silver (Individual Patterns)
- 2005 USTF World Championships (Florida, USA) – Silver (Individual Sparring)
- 2005 USTF World Championships (Florida, USA) – Gold (Team Destruction)
- 2003 Master Choi Cup (Toronto, Canada) - Silver (Individual Sparring)
- 2003 Norwegian Open (Bergen, Norway) – Bronze (Individual Sparring)

NATIONAL TITLES

- 2010 ITF English Championships – Bronze (Individual Sparring)
- 2010 ITF English Championships – Bronze (Individual Patterns)
- 2005 ITF UK Championships - Silver (Individual Sparring)
- 2004 Imperial British Championships – Gold (Individual Sparring)
- 2000 Imperial English Championships - Gold (Individual Destruction)
- 2000 Imperial English Championships – Gold (Individual Patterns)