RAZEEN M

SWIM INSTRUCTOR | AQUATIC EXPERTISE | SPORTS PERFORMANCE COACH

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

I'm an accomplished sports professional with a track record of optimizing swimmer performance and fostering wellness. My expertise includes tailored training, nutrition plans, and data-driven insights. I'm passionate about empowering athletes to exceed their personal bests and am committed to delivering exceptional client experiences. My strong academic and sports background underscores my motivation, self-learning capabilities, and effective time management.

KEY STRENGTHS

- Coaching and Training: Coaching | Program Design | Motivation | Nutrition Guidance | Athlete Assessment | Stroke Technique Correction | Stroke Drills | Strength Training | Flexibility Training | Fitness Assessment | Functional Training | Exercise Programming | Movement Mechanics | Recovery Strategies | Innovative Training Methods
- **Communication and Interpersonal**: Communication | Empathy | Client Relations | Motivational Speaking | Interpersonal Skills
- Performance and Assessment: Goal Setting | Performance Tracking | Progress Monitoring | Goal Achievement |
 Body Composition Analysis | Sports Psychology
- Inclusivity and Empowerment: Inclusivity | Client-Centric Approach | Athlete Empowerment
- Adaptability and Problem-Solving: Adaptability | Problem-Solving | Leadership | Cross-Functional Collaboration
- Planning and Organization: Time Management | Event Planning
- Patience and Positive Approach: Patience | Positive Reinforcement
- Teamwork and Group Dynamics: Teamwork | Group Dynamics
- Feedback and Improvement: Data Analysis | Feedback Incorporation
- Personalized Training Programs: Tailored Workouts | Customized Training Plans | Individualized Progress Tracking

EXPERIENCE

• Swimming Instructor, Propel, Delta, BC, Canada

December 2023 to Present

- ✓ Elevating swimming techniques for children with diverse abilities, consistently ensuring significant progress for every child.
- Empowering numerous adults to conquer water fears, fostering newfound confidence in swimming environments.
- ✓ Developing and implementing personalized training programs, resulting in improved client performance and overall satisfaction.
- ✓ Cultivating strong relationships with clients, leading to noticeable improvements in learning outcomes. Received positive feedback for patience, clear communication, and motivational coaching.
- ✓ Educating and empowering clients on essential water safety practices, contributing to heightened community awareness and fostering a safer aquatic environment.

• Swimming and Sports Performance Coach, Special Olympics, Sri Lanka

June 2014 to April 2023

- ✓ Mentored and coached intellectually disabled individuals, driving significant improvements in their swimming skills, fitness, and self-confidence.
- ✓ Collaborated with a diverse team of over 300 coaches, fostering knowledge sharing and enhancing coaching techniques, resulting in a more effective coaching network.
- ✓ Developed and executed comprehensive training programs and events, positively impacting the performance and well-being of over 2000 athletes nationwide, including achieving a 30% increase in medal wins and recognition at national events.

• Swimming Coach, Sailfish Aquatics Club, Sri Lanka

January 2020 to December 2022

- ✓ Achieved a remarkable 20% increase in swimmers' stroke efficiency and overall swim times through personalized coaching and technique refinement.
- ✓ Improved swimmers' overall fitness and health by conducting comprehensive wellness assessments, resulting enhancement in their physical condition.
- ✓ Enhanced athlete performance and recovery with tailored stretching routines and nutrition guidance, leading to a reduction in recovery time and increase in strength and endurance.

• National Swimmer, Sri Lanka Navy, Sri Lanka

August 2011 to December 2014

✓ Participated in multiple national swimming events as a member of the Sri Lanka Navy. Freestyle swimmer in the 4x50m medley relay to break the national record in the year 2012.

• Swimming Captain, Lyceum International School, Sri Lanka

November 2009 to August 2011

August 2014

✓ Successfully led the Lyceum swimming team to become the overall champions in the Inter-International swimming meet in 2011. This victory marked a significant milestone as it was the first time in 13 years that our team claimed the prestigious title.

CERTIFICATIONS

★ Swim Instructor, Lifesaving Society, BC & Yukon Branch, Canada	August 2023
★ Bronze Cross, Lifesaving Society, BC & Yukon Branch, Canada	August 2023
★ Bronze Medallion, Lifesaving Society, BC & Yukon Branch, Canada	August 2023
★ Standard First Aid & CPR/AED, Canadian Red Cross, BC, Canada	July 2023
★ Special Olympics Unified Sports Coaching Course, Special Olympics International	February 2023
★ Unified Sports for Special Olympics Youth Leaders, Special Olympics International	February 2023

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Participated in multiple national and international events for swimming and swimming coaching.
- Fastest Swimmer in Sri Lanka for a short course 50m Freestyle event in the year 2010 with a time of 24.09 seconds.
- Team member of the Sri Lanka Navy team to break the Sri Lankan National record for the 4x50m Medley Relay in 2012.
- Received Sri Lanka Navy colours awards for sports from years 2011 to 2014.

★ Training for Sports Performance, Special Olympics, Singapore

- Received varsity letter silver award for the best sportsman in 2010, Recognized for outstanding swimming and athletic performance at Lyceum International School, showcasing dedication, discipline, and skill in short-distance sprinting.
- Represented the Sri Lanka Swimming team in 2010, 32nd Chulabhorn Aguatic Club Tri-Nation Swimming Championship, Kasetsart University, Bangkok.
- Represented the Sri Lanka swimming team in 2009, Swim Life, India Sri Lanka Swimming Meet, India.
- Received varsity letter awards for swimming from the year 2004 to 2008, D. S. Senanayake College.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND

- ★ G. C. E. Advanced Level Examination, The University of Cambridge International Examination, UK 2011 Lyceum International School
 - ✓ Successfully passed in science stream.
- ★ G. C. E. Ordinary Level Examination, Department of Examinations of the Ministry of Education 2008
 - D. S. Senanavake College
 - ✓ Successfully passed.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

- Treasurer, Operations Supply Chain and Technical Management Club, KPU, Surrey, BC June 2023 - Present
 - ✓ Managing the financial health of the club by developing and implementing budgetary plans and optimizing resource allocation for club activities. Maintaining transparent financial records, and accurately tracking revenues and expenses.
- Community Engagement & Capacity Building Volunteer, BC Food Bank, Surrey BC

April 2023 - Present

- ✓ Assist in the distribution of food to individuals and families in need.
- ✓ Contribute to the setup and organization of the food bank's storage area.
- ✓ Work effectively with volunteers and staff to ensure efficient operations.
- ✓ Conduct capacity building programs aimed at enhancing the skills and knowledge of fellow volunteers, further strengthening the organization's ability to serve the community effectively.

REFERENCES

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