

## **CURRICULUM VITAE**



### **PERSONAL DETAILS:**

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### **TABLE TENNIS CAREER:**

1989: Active Table Tennis player.

2000 – 2005: Table Tennis Coach in Al Arabi Club in Syria for boys  
Juniors.

2005 – 2006: Syrian Ladies National Team Coach.

2006 – 2009: Returned to Al Arabi Club.

2013-Present: Gauteng North Head Coach.

2015 – Present: South African National Team Coach

2016-2021: member of South African Coaching Commission (high performance manager)

### **ACHIEVEMENTS AS A PLAYER:**

2000: Arab championships in Damascus. I competed against an Egyptian player who was ranked first in Africa and an Arab Champion – Kuwait – United Arab Emirates – Algeria – Syria.

2002 – 2004: I played for Al Jaish Club which was in a Premier League.

2004: I competed against Iraq and Sudan in a friendly Tournament.

2004 – 2008: I played for Al Horria Club which was one of the best clubs in Syria.

2013 - 2015: South African National Championship top 16 seeded.

2019: Champion of mixed doubles in South African table tennis open.

### **ACHIEVEMENTS AS A COACH:**

- My junior boys' team in Al Arabi Club has qualified for the Premier Table Tennis league in Syria and remains among the three best teams.
- All my junior teams of seven boys ranked in the Top 10 in Syria.
- When I used to coach the ladies' National team, one of my players attained a silver medal (Doubles) in the Cyprus championship and a bronze medal in the Iran World Islamic competition. (Syria.)
- I coached the Gauteng North Juniors and Senior team from 2013 till present for the South African National Championships.

- I have junior players in the Top 3 in South Africa with less than 2 years training
- 2015 Coaching South African women team in region 5, Namibia (second Place)
- 2015 Coaching South African women and men team in Commonwealth, India (women's team ranked 8<sup>th</sup> and the men's team ranked 5<sup>th</sup>)
- 2016 Coaching South African women team in the World Championship, Malaysia - World ranking (72).
- Trained the South African Women's and Men's team for the Africa Championship in Morocco (Agadir) and the Woman's team attained a Bronze medal.
- Region 5 Southern Africa Championship – Won gold medals in teams and singles
- 2018 World championship in Sweden - ranked 56 in the world
- African championship in Mauritius won bronze medals in women's event and women's doubles
- **One of my down syndrome players attended world lady's number (1)**
- One of my players, a 9 years old junior, Ruan Scholtz, attained 5<sup>th</sup> position in the Czech Open 2019 in the u11 category
- One of my players, Juane Scholtz, attained 3<sup>rd</sup> place in Czech Open 2019 in her category, girls u11 in singles and doubles
- Nominated to participate in all African Games in Morocco 2019
- Attained gold medals during the South African Open 2019 in the women's team
- Attained 10 medals during the South African Open 2019 in the men's seniors and u13 - u15 boys' categories, including doubles and mixed doubles and girl's category
- During the South African Nationals my u13 boys and my two senior ladies played in the finals
- **My 11 years old player, Ruan Scholts, qualified to play in Jordan Hopes World Week and Tournament for the Top 20's in the world.**

**This is the first time in South Africa that a player has reached a Top 20 place in the world.**

- My down syndrome team in SA national tournament got 15 medals with all categories.
- Me and my player Ruan Scholtz participated in WTT Austria
- Me and my player Ruan Scholtz invited to participate in world hopes training camp in Austria

### **Notice:**

\* I have been trained since Junior stage by Japanese, North Korean and Chinese trainers.

### **Courses:**

- \* courses in professional sport events.
- \* course in sport event management.
- \* 2007: Coaching course completed in Syria.
- \* 2007: Umpiring course completed in Syria.
- \* 2020: umpiring course with Zimbabwe federation
- \* 2021 attending over 5 courses with ITTF on Hopes program and made the exams with high degrees.

### **Presentations:**

- 2021 my presentation (theories behind Table Tennis) won ITTF competition first place on working with players aged 9-15 years old- presentation was presented online to 35 coaches from 35 countries in the whole cotenants in present of ITTF.