Dr Fadi Maayah



Fadi Maayah is a Senior Lecturer at Curtin University with extensive experience gained in his chosen area of Sports Science and Health and Physical Education HPE.

He is also a high-level Football Coach, Technical Director, and Performance Analyst in Western Australia National Premier League Clubs. Fadi is the president of the Australian Council for Health Physical Education and Recreation in Western Australia ACHPER WA. He is a level 3 classroom teacher in Western Australia. Dr Maayah's research focuses on high performance athletes mainly football science, performance analysis, Football Conditioning, Physical Education Pedagogy, and the positive impact of sports on improving health and educational outcomes for Aboriginal people, people from Low SES backgrounds and people with Cerebral Palsy.

Fadi possesses a history as a Principal Supervisor of developing summative and formative assessments and related feedback for high level academic work (at Honours, Masters and Doctor of Philosophy - PhD level). Dr Maayah established courses in Sports Science and Football and Health and Physical Education at Edith Cowan University and at Curtin University.

Dr Maayah has won many prestigious awards including the Vice-Chancellor's Inspirational Award for Outstanding Contribution to Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Advancement, 2017, the Vice Chancellor's Staff Award for Community Engagement, 2015. The "Premier Teacher of the Year, Western Australia"; award by WA Education Department, 2005 and the The Australian Newspaper – "Best innovative school program in Australia", 2004.