

Saumil Majmudar

Saumil Majmudar is the Co-founder, CEO and MD of EduSports - India's first and largest school sports enterprise. Saumil is also the Founder-Director of SportzVillage.

Saumil has been an entrepreneur since 1998.

Over the last seven years, in his role at EduSports, Saumil has personally engaged with over 20,000 children, 5,000 parents and more than 100 schools in the sports context.

Saumil believes that schools are the ideal partners for creating a generation of "Champions in Life" that is, healthier and fitter children equipped with key life-skills. In his role of CEO at EduSports, he has been working with schools, federations, policy-makers and sponsors towards creating more quality opportunities for children to experience the magic of sport.

Saumil represented EduSports on India's leading social activism platform on television – Aamir Khan's Satyamev Jayate Sports episode – where EduSports was chosen as the sustainable and scalable model of getting children to play. He has also received the CII Emerging Entrepreneur Award and has been recognized as one of the "Top 50 Leaders influencing Education" by Education World.

In his student days, Saumil was selected for the Maharashtra Badminton team and represented IIT Bombay in Football.

In addition to conducting workshops in many leading schools in India, Saumil has also presented the EduSports journey at forums like IIMPACT Singapore 2014, FICCI, IIM Bangalore, ISB Hyderabad, LNCPE (Laxmibai National College of Physical Education, Trivandrum) and TiE (The Indus Entrepreneurs).

Prior to 2003, Saumil was the Founder-CEO of QSupport (one of the first remote tech support businesses in India) and worked with Wipro (Global R&D) in the international marketing team after completing his MBA.

Saumil holds a B Tech degree and is a Distinguished Service Alumnus from IIT Bombay. He also has a PGDM from IIM Bangalore, a Basic Mountaineering Degree from Nehru Institute of Mountaineering (Uttarkashi) and a Black Belt in Karate.

He continues to follow his passion for sports through regular badminton, karate and an occasional round of golf.

He blogs at:

<http://myedusports.blogspot.in/>

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