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D.O.B: 6th May, 1973 NATIONALITY: Australian

PASSPORTS: Australian, Maltese.

POSITION: Striker HEIGHT: 178 cm WEIGHT: 83 kg

## **Football Details:**

## Junior-State & School-

- Represented Western Region Soccer Squad in Regional Championships (1985-88)
- Represented Victoria Soccer Federation State Team in National Championships (1985-88)
- Catholic Regional College U16 Soccer Squad New Zealand Tour Best & Fairest Winner (1989)
- Represented Victorian Secondary Schools Sports Association for the Boys U20 Squad in the National Championships (1990)

## Senior-

- Previous player at Green Gully S.C. in the Victorian Premier League, Played first team soccer at the age of 16. (1978-1990)
- Previous player at Heidelberg S.C. in the Australian National Youth League (1991)
- Previous player at Albion S.C. in the Premier League of Victoria, Club Top Goal Scorer both years (1992-93)
- Represented the Victorian Soccer Federation's State Senior Team Winner of the Interstate Cup (1992)
- Previous player at Parramatta Eagles S.C. in the Australian National League, Winners of the Challenge Cup & League Cup (1993/94)
- Played for the Melbourne Knights S.C. in the Australian National League, League Cup Winners (1994/95), League Champions (1994/95) (95/96)
- Member of the Australian Olympic Soccer Team at the Atlanta Olympic Games (96)
- Olympic Team appearances 20, Top Goal Scorer with 14 goals.
- Australian Senior Soccer Team A-International appearances 12
- Debut against Ghana 24 June 1995. A-International goals scored 4
- Played for Sturm Graz in Austria, Austrian Cup Winners (96/97), League Champions (97/98), Cup Winners Cup Qualifiers (97/98 scored twice in comp) Played:-35 Scored:-18

- Played for Lierse S.K in Belgium. Belgium Cup winners (98/99) scored opening goal in 3-1 win. Played-33 Scored-16
- Played for Norkopping in Sweden for 3 months where I help them avoid relegation. Played-6 Scored-2
- Played for Fawkner Blues in the Victorian Premier League where I was a Grand finalist runner up (01/02)
- Represented the Victorian Soccer Federation's State Senior Team in china and other interstate games (01/02)
- Played for Marconi Stallions in the National Soccer League where I was a semi finalist. Played-30 Scored-12
- Played for Kingston City Soccer Club took the club from Div 2 to Vic Premier league winning both leagues in successive years.
- Played for the Melbourne Knights in the Vic Premier League
- Played for the Werribee City Soccer Club in the Victorian Div 2 Champions team where I won Best and Fairest Player
- -Currently playing for Point Cook Jets

The best features of my game are, I can finish chances effectively, and hungry for goals, very strong on the ball, able to turn players very well, and I am aggressive with a lot of speed.

## **Coaching Details:**

- Completed Coaching License, Youth Level.
- Completed Football Federation of Australia's C license
- Conducted youth development programs for the NSW soccer federation at local schools.
- Coached in Europe conducting development programs at local schools and clubs
- Coached at Victorian Soccer Federation holiday programs.
- Coached at Fun Football school Holiday Programs in Victoria
- Head coach of Fawkner Soccer Clubs Youth Team.
- Provided specialist coaching advice to junior team coaches and helped with coaching drills.
- Coached at Football Star Academy semester programs and specialized one on one sessions
- Past Director of Coaching at the Werribee City Soccer Club
- Director and Head Coach of the Soccer Pro Academy.