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Working Experience:

Chess Coach

Josh Chess

Duabi, U.A.E.

January 2016 – May 2017

Online Chess Coach

March 2020 - Present

Educational Attainment

Tertiary

Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering

Eulogio "Amang" Rodriguez Institute of Science and Technology

2006 – 2009

Secondary

Macario B. Asistio Sr. High School

Caloocan City

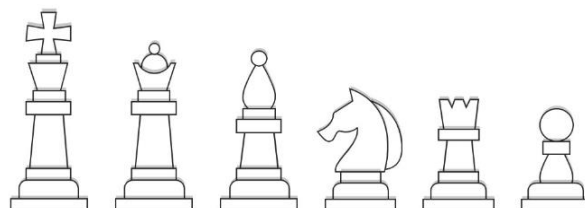
2002 – 2006

Elementary

Imelda Elementary School

Malabon City

1996 – 2002



Basic Information

Title: Arena International Master
Date of Birth: December 24 ,1989
Place of Birth: Fairview Q.C. Phil.
Age : 33
Height: 5'5"
Sex: Male

Character reference:

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robert1121arellano@yahoo.com

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Students' feedbacks



Anna, 7:05 PM

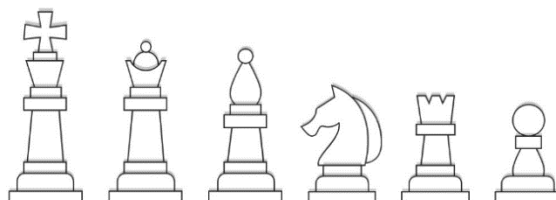
"He is great and the best chess coach."- from both of my sons who has been with Micheal learning chess for two years. Every week, Michael is very thorough and knowledgeable in chess coaching and changing teaching style and methods to better fit their strength and weakness and making chess class so much fun. He also provide frequent feedback and additional resources to me as a parent about how I can support children after coaching. Michael is a very sincere, patient and one-of-a-kind coach and feel confident that my children are always in his capable hands during coaching sessions. After only one year of teaching, one of my children achieved the top 8th ranking at our provincial scholastic tournament and it's amazing!




Cool_Epic 🇵🇭 🐦

23 hours ago


Um I think it was great and anyone can get what you are saying very quickly. 👍




←  **Christopher**
Active 6 hours ago   

 I think coach Michael is a fantastic teacher. Coach Michael goes over your games, teaching strategy and tactics and showing you your mistakes. Michael also helps develop your basic skills and understanding to spot tactics better.


←  **Jose Rafael**
25 m Active 25 minute...   


 You're teaching was the best coach M, you're the best chess coach someone can have


←  **Jonathan**
Active now   





 Coach M has helped me increase my rating to help improve my understanding on opening and traps on both side. He helps with the tactical side of chess to win tempo, pieces, or even games. I'm able to ask questions and he always have an answer but he's doesn't make you feel like your stupid as others would. He's flexible on his lesson when stuff come up. He's an all around great guy who just wants the best for his students in game and life. I would totally suggest taking lessons by him.


←  **Kyle**
Active 3 hours ago   


 Sure! You're teaching is great! I learned a lot in the few classes we did together. I feel like if we did classes full time I could reach 2000 on chess.com. I would recommend your services to anyone who wants to get better at chess 😊

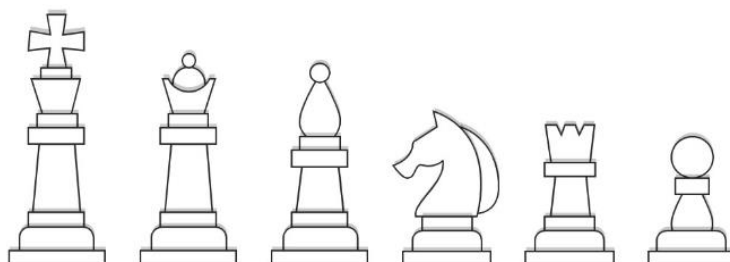
←  **Dustin**
Active 1 hour ago   

 You have a keen eye as to what someone's weaknesses and strengths are. You tailor your coaching to the individual's learning style and are encouraging.

←  **Jacob**
Active 2 hours ago   

 But I thought your teachings were awesome o.o

 I enjoyed them a lot and I wish I was more grounded right now.



←  Sydney
Active 10 hours...   

Morning Michael... I think you hit the target 🎯 on Adrian's weakness. Great job to you 🙌
If you continue training him like yesterday, he will improve greatly 😊👍





←  Sydney
Active 10 hours...   

Adrian really really enjoyed class with you Michael 😊
Thank you ! He says you are the best chess coach ever 🌟

←  Chess Nick
last seen today at 13:43   

Hey Michael! I think you're an excellent teacher- I enjoyed working with you. I haven't had time to dedicate to getting better at chess but it is something I want to come back to in the future!

06:00

←  Lollismate
last seen today at 11:49   

Yesterday

Michael's a kind and patient teacher who has effectively helped me to become a better puzzle solver, a better calculator, and a better visualizer. All of these things have improved my actual games.





02:11

←  Chess Athan   

Yesterday



Your coaching was great and definitely improved my chess

03:39

←  Chess SunnyLi
last seen 29 Aug 2022   





Hi Michael, I have increased the fee to us from tomorrow. Jian likes your lessons very much and you did a great job to teach her! Thanks!

12:44

←  Chess JamesY
last seen today at 11:55   

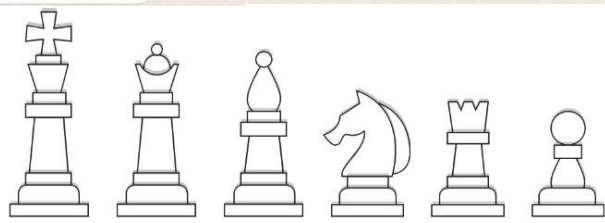
Real client review: I stumbled across Michael/Animaci while playing some 10 minute chess and saw a profile picture saying that he was a chess coach. He offers very reasonable prices for the average joe and is willing to work on any and all aspects of the game with you. He is a very caring individual that gave me a beating while blindfolded and helped me give a new sense of joy out of the game. He stays current on chess news + theory and can connect with anyone. I highly recommend this coach as he has potential to become an IM or higher yet maintains a great deal of humility.

10:26

←  Chess Andy   

Thanks so much for great lesson. When I start to have learnt a lot more and better player I'll extend lessons.

23:32



Titles:

