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Dr.Sami Al Sufi has a multidisciplinary academic back ground with a PhD in Physiotherapy with focus on therapy for Cardio Pulmonary diseases in developing Countries. He has keen interest in Out of Hospital Emergency Care and has two Post Graduate Diplomas in Emergency Care and Disaster Management from Stanford School of Medicine, USA. He is an Instructor and Course Director for American Heart Association and International Trauma Life Support Training Programs. He has undergone various certifications in Project Management, Faculty Development, Clinical Simulation, Quality Assurance and Academic Accreditation. He has displayed unmatched administrative efficiency coupled with tremendous compassion for teaching in his 10 years of work as an Educator and Training Manager for the development of Emergency Medical Services in India. He has made significant contributions as – Advanced Clinical Educator, Master Trainer, Project Manager, Emergency Management Specialist and Consultant.

He has been one of the pioneers in designing Curriculum and implementing the Emergency Medical Technicians Training Program necessary for the expansion of Emergency Management and Research Institute which happens to be the largest integrated EMS System in the world.

Dr.Sami was instrumental in conceptualizing, developing and implementing Rural Community Health Worker Training Program awarded by Chief Minister of Uttarakhand, India for enhancing skills, reducing mortality and morbidity rate in the rural areas of the state. He has trained more than 6700 Community First Responders, 5300 Ambulance Drivers, 4500 EMTs , 210 Paramedics and 32 EMS Instructors. He has extensive experience in organizing Disaster Drills and is associated with Centre of Disaster Management, Government of India for training and preparedness. He has participated in Training 2500 Emergency Response Personnel in Disaster Management Skills for Preparedness at Kumbh Mela 2010 – the Largest Religious Congregation of People in the world. He has also participated in numerous Rescue Operations involving Mass Causality at India. His unique ability to innovate lead him to train first aid skills for the Visually Challenged Individuals of National Institute of Visually Handicap – India by using first aid book in braille language and blind folded Instructor to teach them the life saving skills.

He is passionate about improving the standards of EMS education. He authored chapters in training modules meant for Community Health Workers and First Responders published by Ministry of Health - Government of Uttarakhand, India. He has been a guest speaker at various colleges and institution. He has published and presented numerous scientific papers in national and international conferences. Dr.Sami has been sharing his expertise in different council committees of Curriculum Development, Accreditation, Ambulance Quality Assurance, Strategic Planning, Staff Development and Research. He is a recipient of numerous awards and recognitions for his outstanding performance as a Teacher.

He is associated with many professional and business affiliations, including: World Association for Disaster and Emergency Medicine, Society of Critical Care Medicine, Society for Simulation in Health Care, National Association of EMS Educators, Indian Red Cross Society, Indian Society for Trauma and Acute Care and St John's Ambulance Association. Currently he is engaged in Training Saudi Students to develop them as Emergency Specialist at King Saud University – Kingdom of Saudi Arabia for strengthening the Saudi EMS System. Dr.Sami is interested in Training and Research activities in EMS and Emergency Management.