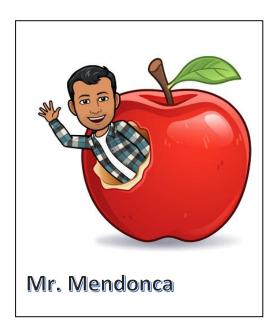
# MEET THE TEACHER



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#### **Hobbies**

Sports – Badminton, Soccer, Snowboarding.
Reading.
Spending time with family.
Journaling, Praying, Reflecting.
Hiking
Travelling

### **About Me**

I was born in India, grew up in Oman and came to Canada when I was 15. Prior to teaching, I was a software developer for 5 years and subsequent to that I was in the seminary studying to be a Catholic priest. I have taught in BC schools in China and Qatar prior to teaching in Canada. This will be my 8<sup>th</sup> year teaching and first year at Notre Dame.

### **Education**

I am very excited about teaching Religion and ADST this year, which are both my strengths.

I completed a Bachelors in Technology, majoring in Network Security from BCIT. My second bachelors came after completing my Bachelors in Arts, majoring in Philosophy from the seminary of Christ the King. I completed a third bachelors after completing my Bachelors in Education degree from Trinity Western University. Subsequent to this, I completed a Master's in Education in December 2020, where I took a few elective courses in counselling.

I look forward to putting all this theory and knowledge to practice through some fun learning activities in the classroom.

#### **Favorite Bible Quote**

For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. – John 3:16.