

Demitri Harris was born in Vancouver and has been living/working there for over 20 years. Demitri made his name in high school as an athletic standout, he played on the basketball, rugby, volleyball and track teams. Some of his athletic accomplishments include; city champion (grade 8 volleyball team captain), aggregate award (grade ten track and field city meet most wins) and MVP (BC AA high school provincial basketball tournament 2008).

After graduating high school, Demitri picked Capilano College for post secondary and then went on to Saint Mary's University in Halifax on a basketball scholarship. Following a year at Langara in the Recreation Leadership program Demi chose to step away from school to pursue his basketball aspirations with the Seattle Mountaineers, semi-professional, basketball team. He now plays for the Musqueam team, an all Native Club in Vancouver, that is traveling to Bella Bella for a tournament at the end of the month.

Having grown up in the Downtown Eastside, Demitri immersed himself into his surroundings; earning his NCCP level one Coaching Certificate at the Aboriginal Friendship Center, working at Britannia sports camps and coaching a Fastbreak Basketball Program at Strathcona Community Center, his Alma mater. This has grounded Demitri, allowing him to branch out and work in the West and South ends of Vancouver at schools like Jules Quesnel (west) and Trudeau elementary (south), to name just a few, for the Real Basketball league of Vancouver. In 2012 and 2013 Demitri coached two U13 basketball teams to back to back Provincial titles at the Richmond Oval. Demitri is a great positive role model for his community and uses his athletic skills to give back.

Demitri is also a Nike Product Model for the NCAA March Madness Clothing line. The Picture attached is from a shoot done in 2013.

