



Ghaz Jabur

Ghaz gained his Postgraduate Diploma in Cardiac Physiology from Otago University, and qualified as a cardiac physiologist at Auckland City Hospital in 2008. Ghaz subsequently joined the perfusion trainee programme at Auckland City Hospital in 2009. After completing a Masters of Cardiovascular Perfusion through Swinburne University, he wasted no time in developing research interest by undertaking several comparative studies investigating arterial filtration in perfusion circuits. His enthusiasm in research has led him to formalising his scientific training by working towards completing a PhD through the University of Auckland and has been awarded an MBA through Griffith University. Ghaz has gained many awards for presenting his research at various national and international scientific meetings.

Apart from working as a clinical perfusionist at Auckland City Hospital, Ghaz is also heavily involved with the Friends of Fiji Heart Foundation; a charitable trust founded in New Zealand in 2006 that provides much needed open heart surgery to the poor and needy citizens of Fiji. His involvement over the last 6 years as a perfusion team leader is from a logistical and medical perspective. This includes organising the perfusion team and ensuring all the required equipment and disposables are adequately acquired, tested and accounted for to make the trip a success.

Outside the packed work and study schedule, Ghaz enjoys playing footy, softball and being in the outdoors.