



## Empowering and Motivating You to Succeed!

### Paul Assaiante's Profile

Travels from Hartford, CT, USA



**Coach Paul Assaiante** knows how to motivate teams for success. As the "winningest coach in college sports history" and World Championship Coach, Paul Assaiante has motivated top athletes from around the world. He not only cares about his players, he inspires them to work their hardest and deliver their best every day. He understands the daily perseverance required for success in any arena.

Assaiante's core belief is the need to embrace our fears in order to remove the obstacles to our success. He captures this concept in his book, *Run to the Roar: Coaching to Overcome Fear*, a visionary reflection on leadership and mentoring from one of America's most successful coaches. Assaiante has learned that goal setting, while important, is secondary to helping people first learn to deal with their fears. He feels that, "What you fear owns you. Until you can free yourself from these chains, success and the joy of the journey cannot be realized."

Assaiante's crowning victory is coaching the men's squash team from Hartford's Trinity College to 14 NCAA Championship titles - and counting! Competing against terrible odds and the nation's top Ivy League schools, Assaiante has built a legacy of teamwork, leadership, and success that is unparalleled. As a result of his 20-year dedication, Trinity College holds the record for the longest winning streak of ANY college team in ANY sport in history: 13 consecutive NCAA National titles and 252 consecutive match victories - a staggeringly impressive achievement! When asked about his purpose in life, Coach Assaiante says, "To touch people and make a difference." His chosen vocation as an athletic coach provides the perfect avenue for influencing and inspiring others to succeed. And succeed his players do! While the monumental Trinity winning streak ended in 2012, their perseverance paid off when they regained the national squash title just one year later.

At Trinity, Coach Assaiante has demonstrated an exceptional skill for rallying multicultural teams into a cohesive group of winners. He has taken the world's top individual players from a wide range of cultural, religious, and even language backgrounds and molded them into a prolific winning machine that also feels like a family-a group that places the success of the team as a whole above all else. Their triumphs and perseverance has propelled them to the forefront of college sports as legendary players.

Coach Assaiante has been involved in athletics throughout his life and has competed and coached at both national and international levels. Before his position as head squash and tennis coach at Trinity College, Assaiante spent six years as coach of Hartford Fox Force, a World Team Tennis championship team headed by Monica Seles and Marty Fish. Assaiante has coached the USA Men's Squash Team and twice has been named the United States Olympic Coach of the Year. His early career included coaching squash and tennis at the U.S. Military Academy at West Point and the world famous Princeton Club of New York. The Hartford Courant named Coach Assaiante Connecticut Coach of the Century.

His passion for touching people's lives and building successful teams makes Coach Assaiante a powerful keynote speaker inspiring lasting success by helping others conquer their fears, practicing perseverance, and caring about those around them.

**Target Audiences:** Corporate Leaders, Sales Teams, Association Attendees, Young Adults

**Specialties:** Leadership;| Success; Motivational; Teamwork/Teambuilding; Inspirational; Diversity

#### Topics Include:

#### **RUN TO THE ROAR: IDENTIFYING AND FACING THE FEARS THAT BLOCK SUCCESS**

Based on his book, *Run to the Roar: Coaching to Overcome Fear*, Coach Assaiante encourages people to free themselves from the chains of fear, so success and the joy of the journey can be realized. Assaiante details how teams can be strengthened through empathy and by nurturing a positive, forward-thinking attitude. Attendees gain insight to his guiding principles "the awesome power of now" and "love wins." Audiences are inspired to:

- Give everything they have - every day
- To be the best they can be - every day
- Negotiate through change and make the right decisions
- Identify and face the fears that block their success

Imagine the huge impact that can be created when a group of people embrace these concepts! What championship awaits your team?

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**TESTIMONIAL:** *"We are deeply grateful that Paul Assaiante shared his time, his warmth, his insights, and his oodles and oodles of experience with our parents. As I'm sure you know, he was and is remarkable."*

**-Maureen Carson Scudder  
The Cobb School**

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