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Introduce yourself in a brief paragraph:

This is Dr Ritin Fernandez a Senior Lecturer at the School of Nursing and Midwifery at UWS and also the Deputy Director of the New South Wales Centre for Evidence Based Health Care (NSWCEBHC), which is the NSW Collaborative Centre of the Joanna Briggs Institute. I have extensive clinical experience in coronary care and am actively involved in secondary prevention research related to heart disease management. My area of research interest is Asian Indians and Heart Disease and educational strategies for international students. I am currently supervising local and international PhD students. I have been awarded research grants totalling to over \$800,000, published in numerous peer reviewed journal articles and presented at a large number of national and international conferences. I am a member of numerous national and international professional organisations, including the Cardiac Society of Australia and New Zealand and the Australian Cardiac Rehabilitation Association.