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Mr Surinder Punjya is the Executive Director of Nesbitt Centre. He has 20 years' experience in the NGO field. He also has advanced academic study in field of disability, with an MSc dissertation "*Identity and self-worth for people with Disabilities*". With strong leadership in practical application of current issues in the field, he currently projects the setting up of two coffee shops as social enterprises. His key areas of expertise are in human rights, ethics and empowerment for people with disabilities. In 2010, Mr Punjya was awarded a scholarship to pursue an EMBA at the Kellogg-HKUST programme based in Hong Kong and at Northwestern University. He is presently undertaking a doctorate – Thesis title: "*What is the impact of a social-mission on social-enterprises among Not for Profit organisations.*"