

## **SHIHAN ANTHONY MEDINA**

"The increasing worldwide appeal and popularity of this form of sports entertainment cannot be denied. Fighters Source® will be the source for athletic and combative talent for years to come."





## Shihan Anthony Medina Owner/CEO

Originally from the Bronx, The Medina family moved to Suffolk County when Anthony was 4 years-old. They resided there until he turned 16. Shihan Medina started his martial arts training when he was 5 years-old; the will to succeed was then instilled in him. First, Anthony studies Karate and Judo at the prestigious academy of martial arts Miyama Ryu Ju Jutsu, located in the South Bronx, N.Y. In junior high school, Shihan Medina started wrestling for his local school team. Taking full advantage of his years of judo training, he became an instant standout. By his freshman year of high school, he had achieved multiple tournament wins, and posted an undefeated wrestling season for William Floyd High School in Long Island. In the summer of 1989, Shihan Medina's family moved to Boca Raton where he attended Spanish River High School.

Shihan Medina was a star student athlete, playing on the varsity football and wrestling teams. He proudly represented his high school and region in the Florida State Wrestling. In 1995, Shihan Medina continued his martial arts studies by receiving his black belt in Judo form Shihan Antonio Pereira. Through his study and pursuit of Budo, Anthony made the decision to delve chiefly into the sport of Judo, winning many local and national tournaments.

In 2009, after 30 years of martial arts experience in the study of Japanese Budo, Shihan Medina was awarded the rank of Kaiden (7th degree Black Belt in Miyama Ryu Jutsu) and Yodan (4th degree Black Belt in Judo). The English translation of the word Budo is "the martial way" or "way of the warrior." The Budo way has become a true testament and expression Shihan Medina has chosen to live by. He serves as the Director of International Development for USA MMA.

#### **Martial Arts Experience:**

Instructor in Ju Jutsu, Judo and MMA, Miyama Ryu Ju Jutsu, Women's Self-defense, Police Tactics; Judo and Karate. Since 1995 Shihan Medina has been a Judo Rank Examiner and Karate instructor teaching children and adults from the rank of White to Black Belt.









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## **ADAM MEYERS**

"In a world of such financial uncertainty it's nice to be involved in the explosive world of amateur MMA."





## **Adam Meyers**

#### Owner/CFO

A seasoned entrepreneur, Adam has over 30 years' experience in small, mid-size and large companies. After he held various management positions, He spent twenty years as COO of Manhattan Parking Systems, one of the largest privately owned parking companies in New York. Through his leadership, Manhattan Parking Systems grew between the years 1985-2000 from 15 to 67 locations. In 2001, Adam was responsible for the largest single leasehold sale in parking history.

Adam was born and raised in New York and began training in martial arts at the age of 10, holding ranks in both Judo and Ju Jutsu. Adam has spent the last twenty-nine years owning and operating more than one hundred parking garages in New York City. His passion for martial arts led him and his partners to create Fighters Source®, an international organization focused on selecting and promoting the best Amateur MMA Fighters, and building a pathway to their professional careers. Adam's main goal now is to have Fighters Source® become a global ambassador for Amateur MMA.









**ADAM MEYERS** 













### **KEVIN MEDINA**

"In the amateur world of MMA, bridging the gap between nations is the first step towards Olympic recognition."



#### **Kevin Medina**

#### **Owner/CDO**

Kevin began his martial arts training at the young age of 6. When Kevin was 18, he took gold in the United States National Championship in judo before he graduated from Spanish River High School. His continued growing passion for the arts was rewarded with a full scholarship to the prestigiously world famous college Yong-In University in Seoul, South Korea.

Graduating with honors, Kevin was bestowed respectable ranks in both Judo and Tae Kwon Do. Throughout his career. He competed and placed first in various reputable local, national and international tournaments, which allowed him to train with the U.S. team for their participation at the 2000 Olympic games in Sydney, Australia in 2003. And after acquiring enough points to compete in the 2004 Olympics, Kevin suffered a traumatic injury to his ACL, which resulted in several

strenuous operations.

Kevin relocated to Boras, Sweden, and opened his academy Miyama Ryu Combat Ju Jutsu where he has served the general public since 2005 as a full time instructor. In recent years, Kevin has developed close relationships with major worldwide martial arts organizations such as the USA MMAF, IMMAF, and the SMMAF to bring international amateur MMA to Olympic recognition.

#### **Martial Arts Experience:**

Kevin has trained or holds certifications in the disciplines of Western Boxing, Kickboxing, Krav Maga, Defendo, Kali, BJJ, Aikido, Judo, Taekwondo, Ju Jutsu and Shotokan Karate.

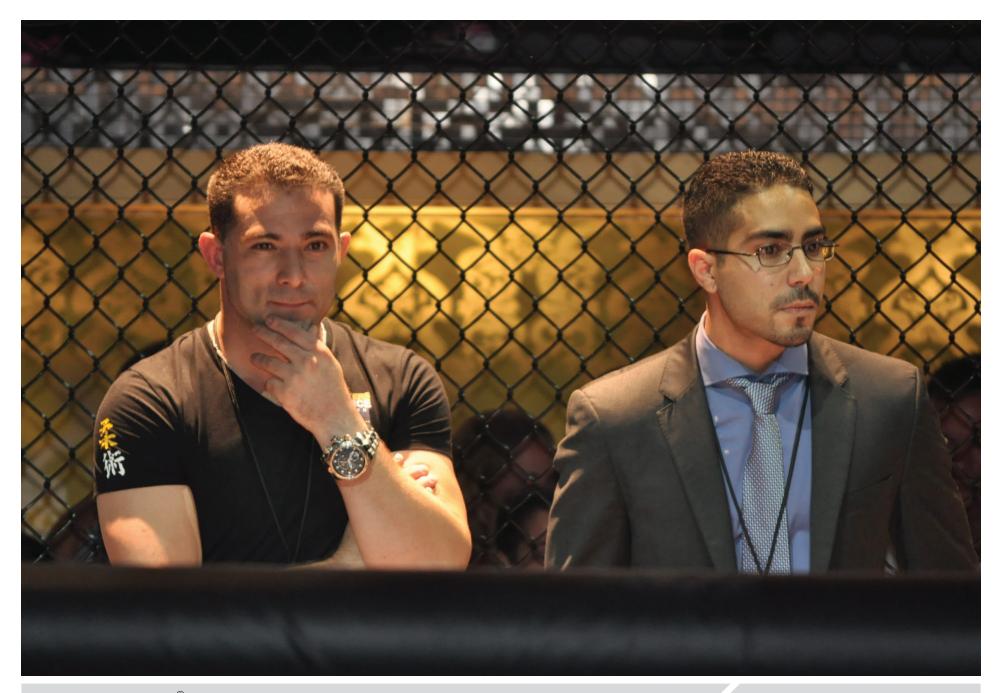














#### **BRANDON MEDINA**

"A much needed push to provide an outlet in which an amateur MMA athlete can achieve greatness."



### **Brandon Medina**

#### **Co-Founder**

Brandon started training in the Martial Arts at a very early age and holds the respectable rank of Black Belt in the arts of Judo, Miyama Ryu Ju Jutsu, Tang Soo Do and Teakwondo. His love for Judo and carrying the family name drove his passion for competition and won many major tournaments on both state and national levels. Brandon is now retired from competition, but is still actively training and teaching his students. His main objective is to work diligently in hopes that Fighters Source® can help accomplish the dream of securing MMA as an Olympic sport.









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# Innovation distinguishes between a leader and a follower.

-Steve Jobs Founder of Apple



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