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CERTIFICATIONS

Diplomate of Oriental Medicine (DiplOM) **September 2016-Present**
National Certification Commission for Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine
License #163461

Doctor of Oriental Medicine (DOM) **December 2016-Present**
New Mexico Board of Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine
License #DOM1198

EDUCATION

Master of Science in Oriental Medicine **August 2016**
Southwest Acupuncture College, Santa Fe, NM
Cum Laude
262.5 hours clinical experience in Japanese Meridian Therapy

Bachelor of Arts in East Asian Studies **June 2009**
Kalamazoo College, Kalamazoo, MI
Magna Cum Laude
Study abroad in Shiga Prefecture, Japan

WORK EXPERIENCE

Program Director **November 2019-Present**
High Desert Hari Society, Santa Fe, NM
Apply for and maintain continuing education coursework, including NCCAOM, California, Texas, and Florida. Process registration of participants. Advertise new coursework and work to develop new educational programs in the fields of Japanese acupuncture and kampo herbal prescriptions.

Doctor of Oriental Medicine **December 2016-Present**
Anshin Japanese Acupuncture, Albuquerque, NM
Treat patients utilizing Japanese acupuncture, herbs, and bodywork. Specialties include Meridian Therapy root treatment in the Shudo and Hari (Kuwahara) styles, Manaka and Miyawaki style extraordinary vessel treatments, rice grain moxibustion, Sotai, and Kampo methodologies.

Education and Research Developer**May 2017 - January 2018**

Kinesio Holding Corporation, Albuquerque, NM

Design and improve education curricula and materials about the Kinesio Taping Method, including backwards-design oriented course creation for medical professionals. Write, edit, and translate books and academic articles. Execute and design informal research trials and case studies.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

429.5 cumulative hours in Japanese Meridian Therapy, 202.5 in Kampo, and 117 in Kiiko Matsumoto Style

Shiraku: Bloodletting, Cupping, and the Treatment of Blood Stasis**September 2022**

Santa FE, NM. Instructor: Ehrland Truitt. 15 Credits.

Foundations of Kiiko Matsumoto Acupuncture**August 2022**

Webinar. Instructors: Kiiko Matsumoto and Monika Kobylecka. 20 Credits.

Kiiko Matsumoto Style Acupuncture**July 2022**

Webinar. Instructors: Kiiko Matsumoto and Monika Kobylecka. 15 Credits.

Pulse Diagnosis and Advanced Needle Techniques in Hari-Style Acupuncture**March 2022**

Santa FE, NM. Instructor: Ehrland Truitt. 15 Credits.

The Kampo Treatment of Fluid Disorders**March 2022**

Santa Fe, NM. Instructor: Nigel Dawes. 22.5 Credits

Kiiko Matsumoto's Master Class**December 2021**

Webinar. Instructors: Kiiko Matsumoto and Monika Kobylecka. 15 Credits.

Mastering the Temporal Points**November 2021**

Live Webinar. Instructor: Kiiko Matsumoto. 7 Credits.

Extra Vessels and Branch Treatments in Hari-Style Acupuncture**September 2021**

Santa Fe, NM. Instructor: Ehrland Truitt. 15 Credits.

Cycles and Transformations: Supporting Reproductive Health**July 2021**

Webinar. Instructor: Monika Kobylecka. 15 Credits.

Treatment of Scars and Neurological Conditions with KMS Acupuncture Webinar. Instructor: Monika Kobylecka. 15 Credits.	April 2021
Hari: Japanese Meridian Therapy Santa Fe, NM. Instructor: Ehrland Truitt. 15 Credits.	March 2021
Adrenal Stress, the ANS, and Immunity Webinar. Instructor: Monika Kobylecka. 15 Credits.	January 2021
Introduction to Chinese Astrology Live Webinar. Instructor: Sonia Tan. 3.5 Credits.	January 2021
Introduction to Hari-style Japanese Meridian Therapy Santa Fe, NM. Instructor: Ehrland Truitt. 15 Credits.	September 2020
Clinical Applications of Daishi Hari Treatment for Adults and Children Santa Fe, NM. Instructors: T. Koei Kuwahara and Tanioka Noriko. 30 Credits.	March 2020
Clinical Applications of Extra Vessel and Shigo Diagnosis and Treatment Santa Fe, NM. Instructors: T. Kohei Kuwahara and Genan Kuzuno. 22.5 Credits.	December 2019
NAJOM Silver Celebration Vancouver, BC. Instructors included: Stephen Brown, Mizutani Junji, Stephen Birch, and Shudo Denmei. 21 Credits.	April 2019
Iyashi No Michi Boulder, CO. Instructor: Yasuda Mukan. 15 Credits.	March 2019
Shudo Style Meridian Therapy Seattle, WA. Instructor: Murata Morihito. 15 credits.	October 2018
Master Kawai's Non-Needling Techniques Albuquerque, NM. Instructor: Kiiko Matsumoto. 15 credits.	July 2018
Kampo Certification Series Santa Fe, NM. Instructor: Nigel Dawes. 180 credits.	2016-2018
In Touch Japan 8	November 2017

Tokyo and Utazu, Japan. Facilitators: Stephen Brown, Jeffrey Dann, Heather Suzuki. Instructors included Shudo Denmei. 35 credits.

Hari Six-Month Training Series

2016-2017

Santa Fe, NM. Instructor: T. Koei Kuwahara, L.Ac. 80 credits.

Sotai Summit

September 2016

Boulder, CO. Instructors: Peter Guy Thompson, L.Ac., Akiko Thompson, Bob Quinn, DAOM, L.Ac., Stephen Brown, L.Ac., Jeffrey Dann. 15 credits.

Shudo Style Meridian Therapy

May 2016

Santa Fe, NM. Instructor: Murata Morihiro, translated by Stephen Brown. 15 credits.

Hari Retreat

September 2015

Crestone, CO. Instructors: T. Koei Kuwahara and Genan Kuzuno. Invitation-only event. 26 credits.

Japanese Traditional Acupuncture: Contact Needling and Teishin

June 2015

Santa Fe, NM. Instructor: Dr. Anryu Iwashina (Dr. Bear). 15 credits.

Hari Six-Month Training Series

2014-2015

Santa Fe, NM. Instructors: T. Koei Kuwahara and Dr. Ehrland Truitt, DOM. 80 credits.

PUBLICATIONS

Michaelsen, Eric (2022). "Life Lessons from the Yojokun." North American Journal of Oriental Medicine, Vol. 28(84), 3-4.

FUJIKAWA Naotaka (2021). "Auricular Treatment for Weight Loss." Translated by Eric Michaelsen. North American Journal of Oriental Medicine, Vol. 27(82), 38-39.

SAWAGUCHI Hiroshi (2021). "Treatment for Low Back Pain." Translated by Eric Michaelsen. North American Journal of Oriental Medicine, Vol. 27(81), 41-42.

TAKASHIMA Masa-Aki (2020). "Two Case Studies." Translated by Eric Michaelsen. North American Journal of Oriental Medicine, Vol. 27(80), 45-46.

NISHIZAWA Kiyoshi (2020). "Gleanings from Diabetic Case Reports." Translated by Eric Michaelsen. North American Journal of Oriental Medicine, Vol. 26(78), 12.

TAKANO Mika (2019). "Ontake Warm Bamboo Moxibustion." Translated by Eric Michaelsen. North American Journal of Oriental Medicine, Vol 26(77), 23-24.

MATSUBAYASHI Yasuko (2019). "About Fingertip Sensation: Essential Skills for Mastery." Translated by Eric Michaelsen. North American Journal of Oriental Medicine, Vol 25(75), 8-9.

Michaelsen, Eric and Lora Motley (2018). "Using Sterilized Tape to Improve Surgical Outcomes and Limit Pharmacological Intervention." Kinesio Holding Corporation. White paper.

TAKEDA Hiroki and Eric Michaelsen (2016). "Dupuytren's Contracture and the Treatment of Chronic Pain." North American Journal of Oriental Medicine, Vol. 22(67), 27.

AWARDS AND HONORS

2017: Japan Center for Michigan Universities Site Visit Grant (Michigan State University). \$680 including grant and expenses.

2013: Gentle Tiger Award in recognition of demonstrating superior acupuncture point location skills (Southwest Acupuncture College). \$500.

2009: Mary Clifford Stetson Prize for excellence in critical essay writing (Kalamazoo College).

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Instructor, Clinic Supervisor

2017 to Present

Southwest Acupuncture College, Santa Fe, NM

Spring 2022: Advanced Clinical Diagnosis, Phase 2 Clinic Internship

Fall 2021: Intermediate Clinical Diagnosis, Phase 1 Clinic Internship

Summer 2021: Techniques of Acupuncture and Moxibustion, Japanese Specialty Clinic

Spring 2021: Techniques of Acupuncture and Moxibustion, Advanced Clinical Diagnosis, Medical Terminology

Fall 2020: Medical Terminology, Intermediate Clinical Diagnosis

Spring 2020: Medical Terminology

Fall 2019: Medical Terminology

Summer 2019: Techniques of Acupuncture and Moxibustion

Fall 2018: Intermediate Clinical Diagnosis

Summer 2018: Chinese Medical Theory III (Zang Fu Theory), Techniques of Acupuncture and Moxibustion

Spring 2017: Medical Terminology

Teaching Assistant

2017

Southwest Acupuncture College, Santa Fe, NM

Spring 2017: Point Location I, Point Location IV, Microsystems

English Language Arts Instructor **2009-2012**
O Perry Walker High School, New Orleans, LA

Teaching Assistant, Creative Writing **2008-2009**
Kalamazoo College, Kalamazoo, MI

PRESENTATIONS AND CONTINUING EDUCATION CLASSES

2017: "East Asian Studies and Medicine." Presented to the Japan Center for Michigan Universities in Hikone, Shiga, Japan.

2017: "Introduction to Kinesio Body Design." Presented to Certified Kinesio Taping Instructors during combined CKTI Recertification/Kinesio Taping Research Symposium in Honolulu, HI.

2017: "New Tapes and How to Explain Them." Presented to Certified Kinesio Taping Instructors during combined CKTI Recertification/Kinesio Taping Research Symposium in Honolulu, HI.

2017: "Hari-Style Acupuncture." Presented to the New Mexico Board of Acupuncture And Oriental Medicine. 4 NCCAOM CEU credits.

2017: "Preparation Methods for the NCCAOM Exam Modules." Presented as part of the SWAC Lunch and Learn Lecture Series.

2017: "How Spaced Repetition can Optimize Your Study Time." Presented as part of the SWAC Lunch and Learn Lecture Series.

2017: "Study Tips for Different Learning Styles." Presented as part of the SWAC Lunch and Learn Lecture Series.

2014: "Veisalgia and Chinese Herbology." Presented at the SWAC Albuquerque Research Symposium.

SERVICE TO PROFESSION

Vice President **2019**
High Desert Hari Society, Santa Fe, NM

Secretary of the Board **2015-2018**
High Desert Hari Society, Santa Fe, NM

Host of Monthly Hari Practice and Study Group **2018-Present**
Affiliated with the High Desert Hari Society. Anshin Japanese Acupuncture, Albuquerque, NM

Volunteer Acupuncturist for New Mexico State Legislature **2018**

New Mexico Society for Acupuncture and Asian Medicine, Santa Fe, NM

Master of Ceremonies, 2017 Graduating Class

August 2017

Southwest Acupuncture College, Santa Fe, NM

COLLEGE SERVICE

Chair, Student Support Committee

2013-2014

Southwest Acupuncture College, Albuquerque, NM

COURSES PREPARED TO TEACH AND ASSIST

Interested in curriculum design as well as education. Knowledge and experience not only in course content, but in pedagogical best practices including backward design, five-step lesson planning, grouping, Bloom's Taxonomy, differentiation for intelligences and learning modalities, and aligning course content to high-stakes exams to increase student outcomes.

Courses: Medical terminology, Chinese Medical Theory I - III, Point Energetics I and II, Techniques of Acupuncture and Moxibustion, Differentiation of Disease I and II, Advanced Clinical Diagnosis, Needle Technique Practicum, Advanced Needle Technique and Palpatory Diagnosis, Traumatology and Emergency Medicine, Introduction to Meridian Therapy, Hari-style Acupuncture, Meridian Therapy/Japanese Specialty Clinic, Traditional Chinese Medicine Clinic

LANGUAGES

English: Native speaker

Japanese: Conversational and basic literacy skills including knowledge of the 2100 standard-use kanji. Japanese Language Proficiency Test level N3.

French: Intermediate knowledge of French