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## NOTICE OF ACUPUNCTURE BOARD ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING

**FRIDAY, MAY 29, 2015, 1PM**

**Department of Consumer Affairs  
1747 North Market Boulevard  
HQ2 First Floor Hearing Room  
Sacramento, CA 95834**

**Teleconference Meeting Location:  
Hildegarde Aguinaldo, Chair, Public Member  
Jeannie Kang, L.Ac, Licensed Member  
320 West Fourth Street, 8B Conference Room, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Los Angeles, CA 90013**

### **Enforcement Committee Members**

*Hildegarde Aguinaldo, Chair, Public Member  
Kitman Chan, Public Member  
Jeannie Kang, L.Ac, Licensed Member*

### **AGENDA**

#### **ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE MEETING - 1pm or Upon adjournment of Executive Committee Meeting**

- 1. Call to Order, Roll Call, and Establishment of a Quorum**
- 2. Opening Remarks**
- 3. Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda**
- 4. Approval of Minutes: April 18, 2014, Committee Meeting**
- 5. Discuss and consider whether the Board should contract with National Practitioner Data Bank as recommended by the Sunset Review Committee**
- 6. Request Pursuant to Business and Professions Code Section 4967 (b) to waive exam as requirement for new licensure. (Mr. Skoien may appear by teleconference).**  
  
**James Skoien. Cancelled License AC 2562**
- 7. Future Agenda Items**
- 8. Adjournment**

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April 18, 2014

Draft Enforcement  
Committee meeting  
minutes



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## Enforcement Committee Meeting Minutes

April 18, 2014  
(REVISED LOCATION)

Department of Consumer Affairs  
1747 North Market Blvd.  
Old Location: Ruby Room  
New Location: HQ2 Hearing Room  
Sacramento, CA 95834

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Junipero Sera State Building  
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Kitman Chan, Vice Chair, Public Member  
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Committee member attendance: Hildy Aguinaldo, Kitman Chan, Jeannie Kang  
Board staff attendance: Terri Thorfinnson, Kristine Brothers, Tammy Graver  
Legal Counsel: Spencer Walker

### **Enforcement Committee Meeting - Upon adjournment of the Exam Committee**

1. **Quorum established.**
2. **Opening Remarks**

Welcome. The agenda has two primary purposes: 1) review and analyze acupuncture standards regarding standards of practice in Article 5; 2) Discuss the National Practitioner Data Bank contract.

3. **Review Acupuncture Standards of Practice regulations in Article 5:**
  - **Condition of Office-** section 1399.450
  - **Treatment Procedures-** section 1399.451
  - **Treatments Outside the Office-** section 1399.452
  - **Record Keeping-** section 1399.453
  - **Single Use Needles-** section 1399.454
  - **Advertising-** section 1399.455

In reviewing the current Standards of Practice, there is a need to both update specific regulatory language and add additional standards to guide and regulate practice. The “single-use needle” is a term that needs to be included in all references of needles. There are still some outdated references to sterilized needles that should be replaced with the term “single-use needles.”

The next section 1399.451 relates to treatment procedures. The reference to sterilized needles should be replaced with the term “single-use needles.” Are there any additional practice standards related to treatment that you would recommend. What about privacy standard related to patient draping, use of gloves, changing sheets between patients, standards for good hygiene that is consistent with public health standards?

There should be some language that requires acupuncturists to maintain a clean technique and sterile field. There was some discussion about that the proposed language was legally vague and unenforceable. The word “field” was deemed legally too vague. If the Clean Needle Technique was used in the regulation, a document supporting the standard would have to be incorporated into the regulation.

#### Public Comment

There was a discussion about sterilized needles, the need to sterile trays that hold needles and the use of single-use needles. There was a proposed language recommendation: “The sterility of the needle will be maintained until the time of insertion” will address the issue. There was reference to using the “Clean Needle Technique” book for a standard. Discussion tabled, no action taken.

#### **4. National Practitioner Data Bank. Should the Board contract with National Practitioner Data Bank as recommended by the Sunset Review Committee?**

The National Practitioner Data Bank is a data bank that reports adverse actions, disciplinary actions of practitioners, malpractice and settlements. The Sunset Review Committee recommended that the Board consider a contract with the data bank to improve its enforcement. The options are listed in the memo that focus on two levels of access: one time or continuous access. One time access is the cost of looking up one person’s record once. Continuous access provides continuous access to reports about the licensees specified in the contract. The one time access does not provide the Board with the type of reports or information that the Board needs for enforcement. Continuous access would provide the Board with ongoing reports on specified licensees, which would be helpful to the Board’s enforcement. The next level of consideration is with respect to how many licensees to cover under continuous access. That is the focus of discussion. The least expensive option that many Boards use is to cover the entire out of state licensees only. Other Boards we checked with are satisfied with this coverage. We currently have 1,666 out-of-state licensees, so the annual cost for their coverage is \$5,414.50, a very affordable amount. If we added coverage for our entire data base, then the cost goes up to \$41,000 and increases yearly by 2, 600 of new licensees each year. The question for the committee to decide is would the out of state coverage be sufficient or does the Board want to expend the money for more coverage? The concern that the EO has is that \$41,000 is a lot of money to spend for this purpose on enforcement each year with very little potential benefit for enforcement. The Board has access to in-state police reports, so the out of state is the weakness for the Board enforcement coverage wise.

The discussion focused on the mandate to report to the data bank and why we need this contract. There was a proposal to maximize coverage while minimizing cost by contracting for one third of the licensees per year and rotate each year to a different one-third coverage, so the rotating coverage would cover the entire database every three years for one-third the cost. How much coverage does the Board need is the

decision for the Committee. There was concern that the decision should focus on public safety and not cost.

#### Public Comment

One issue was raised is that the practice history of foreign licensees is not included in the National Practitioner Data Bank and represents a gap in coverage. The gap was estimated to be as much as 10-20 percent of practitioners. There was a request for a future agenda item to be a discussion about good manufacturing regulations for herbs. The international standards organization technical committee 249 is just finishing up international standards for needles and needle manufacturing and sterilization, which the Board should consider. The discussion was tabled until a future meeting, no action taken.

### **5. Future Agenda Items**

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# NPDB memo

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<b>DATE</b>	May 29, 2015
<b>TO</b>	Enforcement Committee
<b>FROM</b>	Terri Thorfinnson Executive Officer
<b>SUBJECT</b>	National Practitioner Databank (NPDB) Query Information

**Issue:**

The Sunset Review Committee background paper for the Board's 2013 Sunset Review has recommended that the Board start querying the National Practitioner Databank (NPDB) continuously, or at minimum, conduct periodic checks of sets of licensees to ensure protection of the public.

**Problem:**

All licensing, certification and regulatory agencies over acupuncturists nationwide are required to report disciplinary actions to NPDB. In addition, insurance companies, health networks, and certain employers are also required to report malpractice and other adverse actions to NPDB. Currently, the Board has not participated in NPDB's querying system to learn of these disciplinary and other adverse actions. Insurance companies are also required by Business and Professions Code section 801 to report malpractice judgments and settlements over \$3,000 directly to the Board. However, without querying, the Board is reliant on self-reporting from licensees during their renewal and self-reporting on examination applications from applicants to report any in-state or out-of-state disciplinary actions taken.

The Board needs to decide whether it should contract with the NPDB, and if so, for what type of coverage. There is a significant cost to contract for access to NPDB queries.

**Background:**

The Board reviews its examination application to screen those applicants that have prior healing arts disciplinary action for evaluation purposes. There are four separate questions on the examination/licensure application that asks if the applicant was ever denied a healing arts license anywhere in any state or country, voluntarily surrendered a healing arts license, or had a healing arts license disciplined. The application also asks if the applicant was ever charged with unprofessional conduct or another unlawful activity. If an applicant reports yes on any of these questions, it is referred to enforcement for further review. After additional information is evaluated, the Executive Officer then determines if the applicant will be granted or denied a license after passing the exam.

The Board also screens licensees through the renewal process for any disciplinary actions or licenses denied by another licensing authority of this state, out-of-state, or out-of-country for current



licensees. Both the examination and license renewal applications require the individual to sign under penalty of perjury that those statements are true and correct.

In the past, the Board has looked into querying capabilities with NPDB but always ran into logistical problems with terms of payment, as you can only use a credit card or electronic fund transfers for the service. The other barrier is the cost for querying the Board's applicant and licensee population.

Since the Committee discussed this last year the cost has changed. The NPDB charges \$3.00 per query for a one-time query or per continuous query. The Committee had consensus that the one-time query coverage was inadequate for the Board's enforcement purposes. So, the remaining issue was deciding on what continuous query option to choose.

**Discussion:**

There are a total of 12,473 (active, inactive, delinquent) licensed acupuncturists both in-state and out-of-state and 1,107 (active, inactive, delinquent) out-of-state licensees. In reviewing the cost of continuous query capacity, it would cost \$37,419 to contract for coverage of all licensees. It would cost \$3,321 to contract for just out-of-state licensees. One of the other options proposed last meeting was to consider querying either one third or one quarter of the total licensees on a rotating basis that changes the query every year to cover a different one third or one-quarter licensee population. Under this option, the entire licensee population would be covered every 3-4 years for considerable less money. The cost of this option would be \$12,474 for one third of licensees and \$9,354.75 for one quarter of licensees. Each year, there are approximately 800 new licenses issued, so the annual costs would increase by a maximum of \$2400, but that amount could be less because there is also a continual decrease in licensees through retirement and cancellation.

**Options:**

- Continuous query of entire licensee population annually \$37,419 plus an annual increase of \$2600 per year.
- Continuous query of out-of-state licensees annually \$3,321 with some annual increase.
- Continuous query of one third of licensees annually \$12,474 with some annual increase rotating the query base each year.
- Continuous query of one quarter of licensees annually \$9,354 with some annual increase rotating the query base each year.

**Recommendation:** Try the out-of-state continuous query for \$3,321 and evaluate the number of reports it provides on an annual basis.

# James Skoien

## Request

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<b>DATE</b>	May 29, 2015
<b>TO</b>	All Board Members
<b>FROM</b>	Cricket Borges Enforcement Analyst
<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Request Pursuant to B&amp;P § 4967 (b): James Mark Skoien, AC 2562</b>

The following is a request from James Mark Skoien, a previously licensed acupuncturist whose license lapsed and permanently cancelled. Business and Professions Code (B&P) section 4967 provides conditions that one must comply with when seeking a new acupuncture license from the Board. B&P section 4967 states, a person who fails to renew his or her license within three years after its expiration may not renew it, and it may not be restored, reissued, or reinstated thereafter, but that person may apply for and obtain a new license if he or she meets three requirements.

Mr. Skoien has submitted a request to the Board to be issued a new license without having to take the exam. Mr. Skoien was issued license AC 2562 on July 23, 1985. His license was cancelled on July 5, 1998, for failure to renew within three years from the date of expiration (June 30, 1993).

Below are the conditions required by B&P 4967 and a status of Mr. Skoien's compliance with each one.

- (a) B&P section 4967 (a) requires that an applicant be clear of any acts or crimes constituting grounds for denial of licensure under Division 1.5 (commencing with Section 475). **Mr. Skoien completed a live scan and he has received fingerprint clearance.**
- (b) B&P section 4967(b) requires that an individual with a cancelled license take and pass the examination that is required for initial licensure. ***This is the requirement that Mr. Skoien is requesting be waived based upon the evidence he is presenting that he is qualified to practice as an acupuncturist.***
- (c) B&P section 4967(c) requires that an individual with a cancelled license pay all of the fees that would be required if an initial application for licensure was being made, as well as the examination fee. **Mr. Skoien has paid both his examination and license fees.**

Mr. Skoien is also submitting a total of 128 Board approved continuing education units (CEUs) dating back to April 2012, for your consideration.

Mr. Skoien has been unlicensed in California since 1993, but had his license remained current, he would have needed to complete 440 CEUs. (Note: Prior to August 2008, 30 CEUs were due for each renewal cycle.)

Enclosures: 1) Request to Board; 2) Curriculum Vitae; 3) CEU Certificates; 4) Additional Documentation



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Kristine Brothers  
Enforcement Coordinator  
Acupuncture Board  
[kristine.Brothers@dca.ca.gov](mailto:kristine.Brothers@dca.ca.gov)

Dear Kristine Brothers,

I have completed the four listed steps for licensure without having to take an exam (see attached Email copy).

I would like to be granted an appointment to present my case before the Acupuncture Board for obtaining a new license without taking the exam.

Thank you for your assistance.

  
Sincerely,  
James Skoien

April 22, 2014 / July 10, 2014

Dear Representative, Acupuncture Board

Topic: reactivation of Acupuncture license 2562

I am sending this mail with copy of certified letter of March 7, 2014 (no response) at the request of your telephone assistance (916-515-5200).

Thank you in advance for your response.

James Skoien

March 7, 2014 / July 14, 2014

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Topic: reactivation of Acupuncture license 2562

Dear Representative, Acupuncture Board,

I am writing in regards to licensure for Acupuncture in the State of California. I have viewed the Department of Consumer Affairs Acupuncture Board website to inform myself. I wrote an email to your mail address [acupuncture@dca.ca.gov](mailto:acupuncture@dca.ca.gov) on the 19<sup>th</sup> of February, but have not received an answer. Therefore, I have chosen to write you with a USPS registered letter.

I successfully passed the California Acupuncture and Herbal examination in 1985. I practice with this license in California several years. I was also a main instructor for Acupuncture and Chinese Herbal Medicine at numerous schools in California during this period (1985-1993). In the early 1990's, I practiced and was licensed not only in California but in Colorado. In 1993, I moved to Switzerland to actively practice Chinese Medicine and to work as the academic program director and main TCM instructor for a school for Acupuncture and Chinese Medicine in Zürich, Switzerland (Tao Chi Schule für TCM). I directed the entire

TCM program in Zürich, actively organized and directed the first teaching clinic for Chinese Medicine in Switzerland and worked as the main instructor for Chinese Medicine for almost 20 years (1994-November 2013). I have also instructed internationally on all topics of TCM for the last 29 years (see attached CV). I have written numerous articles on Chinese Medicine published in internal journals. I have published six textbooks on Chinese Medicine (German language). In 2013, Yo San University honored me for my services to the national and international community of Chinese Medicine with a Doctor of Science, h.c. title.

I have currently returned to California. As I did not renew my license in California after 1993, I have a lapsed license. I would like to apply to the Acupuncture Board for a active license. I have read the information on the website (<http://www.acupuncture.ca.gov/licensees/lapsed.shtml>) regarding lapsed licenses. I certainly have not committed any acts of crimes (point a.).

Specifically relevant to my case is the second part of statement b. (below):

b. "..., or otherwise establishes to the satisfaction of the Board that, with due regard for the public interest, he or she is qualified to practice as an acupuncturist."

I would greatly appreciate information regarding my request for licensure.

Thank you in advance,



James Skoien

I have included a brief CV with this mail. Of course, I would be happy to answer any questions ([akupunkturluzern@gmx.net](mailto:akupunkturluzern@gmx.net)). / 909 213 7301

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**James Skoien, Doctor of Science h.c., Yo San University, 2013, Acupuncturist, Herbalist, International Lecturer (Chinese Medicine) and Senior Clinic Supervisor; 29 years of clinical experience as Acupuncturist and Herbalist; 29 plus years of teaching experience (Chinese Medicine)**

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**Acupuncturist, Herbalist, Lecturer and Clinic supervisor**

Nationally certified acupuncturist (1985) (NCCAOM, United States); diplomate in Acupuncture and Chinese Herbology (active status since 1997) (SBOTCM, Switzerland), license TCM practitioner in Canton Lucerne, Switzerland since 2004, California license und National certification (NCCAOM) in 1985 (currently lapsed license in California)

**29 years of clinical experience, private clinics, teaching clinics**

- 2004-2014: private clinic for Traditional Chinese Medicine (TCM) in Lucerne, Switzerland
- 1998-2004: clinical director for the Tao Chi School teaching clinic for TCM, Luzern, Switzerland; responsible for the treatment of patients and the supervision of interns
- 1994-1998: private clinic for TCM in Stans, Switzerland
- 1985-1994: private clinic for TCM in Los Angeles, CA und Colorado Springs, CO, U.S.A.; successfully passed the California State license und National certification (NCCAOM) in 1985.

**29 plus years of teaching experience**

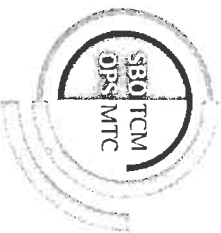
- 1995-2013: main instructor and director of the TCM program (Tao Chi Schule, Zürich, Switzerland); approximately 500 teaching hours a year
- 1985-2013: lecturer in the English and German languages for TCM herbal medicine and acupuncture (numerous medical doctor and veterinarian training programs, including the International Society for Veterinary Acupuncture, Belgien Veterinary Acupuncture Society, German Veterinary Acupuncture Society, Assoziation Schweizer Ärztgesellschaften für Akupunktur und Chinesische Medizin, Arbeitsgemeinschaft für Traditionelle Chinesische

- Medizin, Austria); more than 50 lectures in several countries (U.S.A, Canada, England, Ireland, Belgium, Norway, Finland, Denmark, Sweden, Austria, Germany)
- 1984-1994: lecturer for TCM, numerous TCM colleges and schools in California and Colorado (Yo San University, SAMRA University, Emperor's College, Royal University, Colorado School of TCM, etc.)
  - Teaching materials and publications: numerous instructional books, numerous journal articles, my latest published textbooks of Chinese Medicine (German language):
- Chinesische Arzneimitteltherapie Band I: Die Heilmittel, 2011 (Eigenverlag, ISBN-978-3-033-01273-8)
  - Chinesische Arzneimitteltherapie Band II: Grundlagen, Arznei- und Rezepturvergleich, Kombinationen und Rezepturen, 2011 (Eigenverlag, ISBN-978-3-033-03096-1)
  - Die Grundlagen der Traditionellen Chinesischen Medizin; Ein umfassendes Lern- und Arbeitsbuch für Praktiker und Studenten, 2., überarbeitete und erweiterte Auflage, 2007 (Eigenverlag, ISBN-978-3-033-01273-8)
  - Akupunktur; Wirkungen, Indikationen und Punktlokalisation, 2007 (Eigenverlag, ISBN-978-3-033-01280-6)
  - Muster-Differenzierung in der Traditionellen Chinesischen Medizin, Band I: Die Grundmuster und ihre Behandlung mit Akupunktur und Chinesischer Arzneimitteltherapie, 2006 (Eigenverlag, ISBN-13: 978-3-033-01037-6),
  - Muster-Differenzierung in der Traditionellen Chinesischen Medizin, Band II: Schlüsselsymptome und -krankheitszeichen, Muster und ihre Behandlung mit Akupunktur und Chinesischer Arzneimitteltherapie, erarbeitete 2012 (Eigenverlag, ISBN 978-3-8442-1672-1)



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**JAMES SKOIEN**

Mitglied seit 01.04.1999

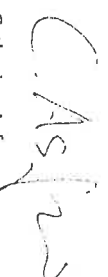
erfüllt alle Voraussetzungen der SBO-TCM zur A-Mitgliedschaft  
und ist daher berechtigt, den Titel

**dipl. Herbalist SBO-TCM**  
**dipl. Akupunkteur SBO-TCM**

zu führen.

Degersheim, 2.2.2015

  
Carla Fuhrrott  
Präsidentin

  
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## Acupuncture for Pain: Interactive Case Studies

### April 21, 2012

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#### PDA Points / NCCAOM® Recertification Categories:

- 8 Core Knowledge, Skill, Ability
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- Ethics
- CPR
- Adjunctive Therapy/Continuing Education
- Biomedicine
- Injection Therapy
- Practice Enhancement

**Yuan Da Chen, President, Provider Designee**

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NCCAOM® provider-Course #: 344-111

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State of Illinois License #: 225.000014

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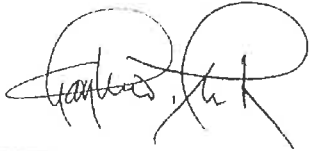
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### Acupuncture for Pain: Interactive Case Studies

May 03, 2012 | In Witness Whereof,  
The Instructor and the Provider hereunto affixed their signatures



Charles Funk, President  
Provider Designee



Robert Doane, L.Ac.  
Instructor

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## Auricular Diagnosis Part I

### October 13, 2012

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NCCAOM® provider-Course #: 344-115

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## Auricular Diagnosis Part II

### October 14, 2012

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- Practice Enhancement

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# Pain Management Strategies Using Acupuncture

## March 14, 2015

NCCAOM® Program Approval Dates: 07-03-2014 through 07-17-2016

### PDA Points / NCCAOM® Recertification Categories:

Core Competency (Required for Recertification)

- AOM-BIO (AOM and Biomedicine)
- SA (Safety)
- ET (Ethics)
- CPR

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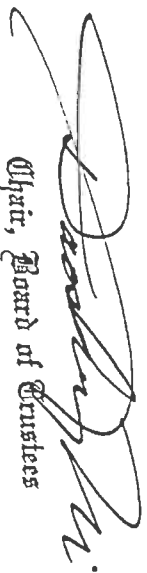
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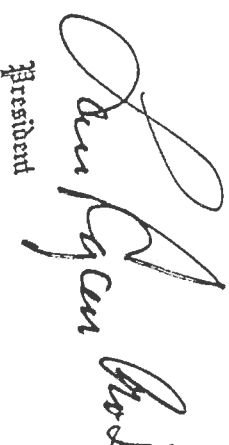
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### 3. Complete and submit a minimum of 50 Board approved CEU's

Date	Course Title	CEU Provider	CEU points
July 13, 2014	Chinese Veterinary Medicine for Dogs, Cats and Horses, Part IV	Lotus Institute of Integrative Medicine	8
July 12, 2014	Chinese Veterinary Medicine for Dogs, Cats and Horses, Part III	Lotus Institute of Integrative Medicine	8
May 18, 2014	Creating Herbal Prescriptions for Sensitive Patients	Lotus Institute of Integrative Medicine	8
May 17, 2014	Auricular Medicine Class VIII: Auricular Treatment and Manipulations	Lotus Institute of Integrative Medicine	8
May 4, 2014	Pain, Endocrinology, Dermatology: Pulse Dx & Herbal Tx	Lotus Institute of Integrative Medicine	8
May 3, 2014	Weight Loss for the Four Body Types	Lotus Institute of Integrative Medicine	8
February 23, 2014	Auricular Medicine Class VII: Auricular Treatment (Day 2)	Lotus Institute of Integrative Medicine	8
February 22, 2014	Auricular Medicine Class VII: Auricular Treatment (Day 1)	Lotus Institute of Integrative Medicine	8
January 12, 2014	Master Tung's Acupuncture: Richard Tan's Application (Upper Body Points)	Lotus Institute of Integrative Medicine	8
Total			72



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## Chinese Veterinary Medicine for Dogs, Cats and Horses,

### Part IV

**July 13, 2014**

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#### PDA Points / NCCAOM® Recertification Categories:

- 6 Core Knowledge, Skill, Ability
- Safety
- Ethics
- CPR
- Adjunctive Therapy/Continuing Education
- 2 Biomedicine
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# Chinese Veterinary Medicine for Dogs, Cats and Horses,

## Part III

**July 12, 2014**

NCCAOM® Program Approval Dates: 11-12-2013 through 11-30-2014

### PDA Points / NCCAOM® Recertification Categories:

- 6 Core Knowledge, Skill, Ability
- Safety
- Ethics
- CPR
- Adjunctive Therapy/Continuing Education
- 2 Biomedicine
- Injection Therapy
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## Creating Herbal Prescriptions for Sensitive Patients

**May 18, 2014**

NCCAOM® Program Approval Dates: 11-12-2013 through 11-30-2014

### PDA Points / NCCAOM® Recertification Categories:

- 8 Core Knowledge, Skill, Ability
- Safety
- Ethics
- CPR
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- Biomedicine
- Injection Therapy
- Practice Enhancement

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California Acupuncture Board Provider #: CEP 383

NCCAOM® provider-Course #: 344-401

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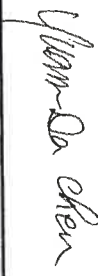
## Auricular Medicine Class VIII: Auricular Treatment and Manipulations

**May 17, 2014**

NCCAOM® Program Approval Dates: 11-06-2013 through 11-30-2014

### PDA Points / NCCAOM® Recertification Categories:

- 8 Core Knowledge, Skill, Ability
- Safety
- Ethics
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 NCCAOM® provider-Course #: 344-399

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# Pain, Endocrinology, Dermatology: Pulse Dx & Herbal Tx

## May 4, 2014

NCCAOM® Program Approval Dates: 11-06-2013 through 11-30-2014

### PDA Points / NCCAOM® Recertification Categories:

- 8 Core Knowledge, Skill, Ability
- Safety
- Ethics
- CPR
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- Injection Therapy
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## Weight Loss for The Four Body Types

### May 3, 2014

NCCAOM® Program Approval Dates: 11-06-2013 through 11-30-2014

### PDA Points / NCCAOM® Recertification Categories:

- 5 Core Knowledge, Skill, Ability
- Safety
- Ethics
- CPR
- Adjunctive Therapy/Continuing Education
- 3 Biomedicine
- Injection Therapy
- Practice Enhancement

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NCCAOM® provider-Course #: 344-397

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## Auricular Medicine Class VII: Auricular Treatment (Day

## 2)

### February 23, 2014

NCCAOM® Program Approval Dates: 11-06-2013 through 11-30-2014

### PDA Points / NCCAOM® Recertification Categories:

- 8 Core Knowledge, Skill, Ability
- Safety
- Ethics
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**Auricular Medicine Class VII: Auricular Treatment (Day 1)**

**February 22, 2014**

NCCAOM® Program Approval Dates: 11-06-2013 through 11-30-2014

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- Safety
- Ethics
- CPR
- Adjunctive Therapy/Continuing Education
- Biomedicine
- Injection Therapy
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NCCAOM® provider-Course #: 344-389

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## Master Tung's Acupuncture: Richard Tan's Applications (Upper Body Points)

**January 12, 2014**

NCCAOM® Program Approval Dates: 11-06-2013 through 11-30-2014

### PDA Points / NCCAOM® Recertification Categories:

- 8 Core Knowledge, Skill, Ability
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- Ethics
- CPR
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NCCAOM® provider-Course #: 344-400

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State of Illinois License # 225.000014

TX Acupuncture Board #CAE 00012 (8 general)

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Quick summary to additional information regarding continuing education and active status as Acupuncturist-Herbalist (1985 to 2015)

1985-1992	(Documents Nr 1) California Acupuncture license: active status meeting continuing education requirements, private practice in California, employed as teacher and supervisor of teaching clinics California Acupuncture College, SAMRA, Royal University, Emperor's College, Yo San University, etc.
1992-1994	(Document Nr. 1 and 2) NCCA certified and Colorado State registered Acupuncturist, met all continuing education requirements of NCCA, private practice in Colorado Springs, Colorado, employed as teacher and supervisor of teaching clinics Colorado Acupuncture College (Denver)
1994-1997	NCCA certified and licensed in Canton Nidwaldin, Switzerland, met all continuing education requirements of NCCA, private practice in Stans, Switzerland, teacher at Tao Chi School of Chinese Medicine in Zürich, Switzerland
1998-2004	Teacher at Tao Chi School of Chinese Medicine in Zürich, Switzerland; clinic director and main clinic supervisor for one of the first teaching clinics for Chinese Medicine in Switzerland
1985-2012	(Document Nr. 1) active status with NCCAOM, including the completion of continuing education requirements *actually NCCA registered since 1985 when I passed the first NCCA test and fulfilled membership, including continuing education requirements until 2012. I no longer have copies of the first years of NCCA membership
1999-2015	(Document Nr. 3) Swiss professional acupuncture association certification (40 hours of continuing education yearly)
2004-2015	(Document Nr. 3) Swiss professional acupuncture association certification (40 hours of continuing education yearly) / private practices in Lucerne, Switzerland
1995-2013	Documents Nr. 4-8) Academic Director of Chinese Medicine School (Tao Chi School), solely responsible for the curriculum development and structure of the school, main teacher of all subjects relating to Chinese Medicine, Acupuncture and Chinese Herbology, Internal Medicine, etc. *Documents Nr. 4-8 are only examples. I taught or lectured on the average of 500 hours annually since 1985, starting in the TCM colleges in Los Angeles and Denver, eventually continuing in Zürich. In addition, I taught and continue to teach annually for the International Veterinary Acupuncture Society (since 1986) as well as for medical professionals in most Europe countries.

James Skoien, May 19, 2015



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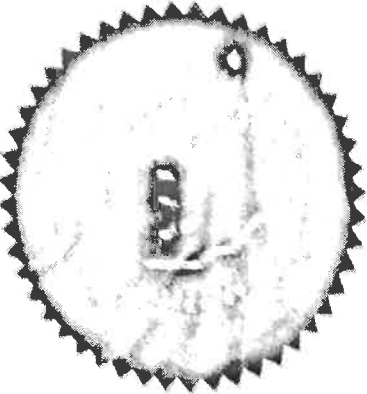


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Acting upon authority granted by the Legislature of the State of California certifies that

James Mark Skolen

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License Number CP2552

Date Issued July 22, 1985

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*James M. Skoien*  
Director

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*William F. Hildebrand, L.Ac., Dipl. Ac.*  
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Washington, D.C.  
This First Day of May, 1992

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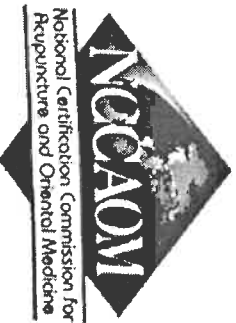
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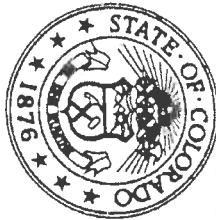


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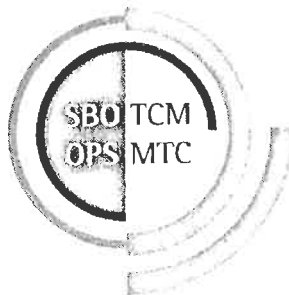
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## JAMES SKOIJEN

Mitglied seit: 01.04.1999

erfüllt alle Voraussetzungen der SBO-TCM zur A-Mitgliedschaft  
und ist daher berechtigt, den Titel

dipl. Herbalist SBO-TCM  
dipl. Akupunkteur SBO-TCM

zu führen.

Degersheim, 2.2.2015

Carla Fuhlrott  
Präsidentin

Catherine Asfour  
Vorstandsmitglied

Continuing education teacher James Skoien 2000 and 2001 600 hours classroom instruction  
/800 hours clinic supervision

Herrn  
Jim Skoien  
Wesemlin-Terrasse 28  
6006 Luzern

30. Oktober 2001

## **WEITERBILDUNGS-NACHWEIS**

**Kurs: Therapeutische Gesprächsführung – Das heilende Gespräch**  
**Kursort: Tao Chi, Ausbildungs- und Seminarzentrum, Bachwiesenstrasse 115a,**  
**8047 Zürich, Tel. 01 401 59 00**  
**Kursleiter: Klaus Karstädt**  
**Vom 22. bis 24. Oktober 2000**  
**28 Lektionen à 60 Minuten**

**Total 28 Std.**

**Dozententätigkeit: Ausbildungsleiter der TCM-Ausbildung für**  
**Dipl. Akupunkteur/Helbalist SBO-TCM im Tao Chi Ausbildungs-**  
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**Total ca. 600 Std./Jahr**

**Supervisor: Tao Chi Schulpraxisleiter**

**Total ca. 800 Std./Jahr**

**TAO CHI Schulpraxis**  
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Continuing education teacher James Skoien 2001 and 2002 900 hours classroom instruction  
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Herrn  
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24. Januar 2003

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**Total 900 Std./Jahr**

**TAO CHI Schulpraxis**  
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**Total 800 Std./Jahr**

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Herr  
Jim Skoien  
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Zürich, 8. Juni 2005

**Bestätigung  
Dozententätigkeit**

Sehr geehrte Damen und Herren

Wir bestätigen, dass Herr James Mark Skoien in der Zeit vom 1. Juni 2004 bis 31. Mai 2005, folgende Stunden als Dozent der Chinesischen Medizin an unserer Schule unterrichtet hat:

- 71 Unterrichtstage à 6 Stunden

total 426 Stunden

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### Bestätigung

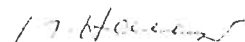
Wir bestätigen, dass Herr James Skoien als Dozent an unserer Schule folgende Kurse unterrichtet hat:

Kursbezeichnung /Thema	Kurs Nr.	Daten	Unterrichtstage
<b>Traditionelle Chinesische Medizin</b>			
Atiologie und Pathologie	C-103	11.01.-05.07.05	14 Tage
Akupunktur	C-300	30.08.-08.11.05	10 Tage
Arzneimitteltherapie	C-310	22.11.-20.12.05	6 Tage
<b>TOTAL im Jahre 2005</b>			<b>30 Tage</b>

Kursbezeichnung /Thema	Kurs Nr.	Daten	Unterrichtstage
<b>Traditionelle Chinesische Medizin</b>			
Arzneimitteltherapie	C-310	03.01.-04.04.06	12 Tage
Pathologie der chin. Medizin	C-320	11.04.-11.07.06	18 Tage
Krankheitsbilder: Dermatologie	C-330	12.09.-26.09.06	3 Tage
Krankheitsbilder: Störung des Bewegungsapparates	CBEW-0610-C	09.10.-31.10.06	3 Tage
<b>TOTAL im Jahre 2006</b>			<b>36 Tage</b>

Jeder Unterrichtstag beinhaltet 6 Stunden à 60 Minuten

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