

SHIRAKU seminar

Specialized Japanese Bloodletting and Cupping Therapies

Blood provides the foundation for the creation of energy in the body. Ki governs blood; blood is the mother of Ki.

Bloodletting is one of the oldest methods of acupuncture. It is included in roughly half of the treatments in the *Su Wen, Ling Shu*, which says bloodletting is the basis of acupuncture and calls for its use before other techniques. While the effects of bloodletting can often be profound, it is essential that it be used correctly.

Mr. Kuwahara studied the theory and practice of bloodletting in Japan with Dr. Kunsei Kudo and Kodo Fukushima. This workshop is taught with a focus on clinical efficacy so that participants may competently incorporate it into their practice. This is a rare opportunity to learn techniques that have not often been taught in the United States.

In this workshop, theory and practice will be covered:

- Phenomenon of stasis
- Purpose and effects of blood-letting
- Vascular spiders
- Contraindications
- Diagnosis
- Techniques
- Emergency treatments
- Use and purpose of cupping with bloodletting

Class size will be limited (only eight students) to ensure proper supervision.

Date: 10th (Sat) and 11th (Sun) of JUNE 2017

9:00am to 5:00pm

Fee: Tuition: Ac-students: \$325.00

Professionals: \$385.00 (Hari Member 10% off)

Location:

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