

Pacific Symposium 2007

The 2007 Pacific Symposium, November 8 – 11 at the Catamaran Hotel, provides the opportunity for practitioners all over the world to learn from recognized leaders, and speakers in the Oriental medicine field.

This Symposium offers both the Restoration Track and Advanced Acupuncture Technique Workshops that have been popular attractions in the past few years.

The Restoration Track is a hands-on, relaxing series of workshops that provides an in-depth exploration of bodywork and massage. Whereas, the Advanced Acupuncture Techniques Workshops are offered to provide the opportunity for attendees to learn advanced needling, palpatory diagnosis, pulse analysis, and pain management methods. This track is invaluable to practitioners due to its diverse techniques taught by the most experienced professionals in the field.

Highlighting the event is Felice Dunas, as she provides the keynote lecture discussing the opportunities that TCM can have in corporate America. Dunas has been in practice since 1974, and has been a public speaker and consultant for corporate and hospital CEO's and has lectured in over 40 countries and on every continent. Dunas is the author of the best selling book, "PASSION PLAY: Ancient Secrets for a Lifetime of Health and Happiness Through Sensational Sex", which has been published in six languages.

This year marks the 19th annual Symposium held in San Diego, and features some of the most renowned names including Kiiko Matsumoto, Alex Tiberi, Effie Chow, Nigel Dawes, Richard Gold, Bill Helm, and Honora Lee Wolfe.

Providing two dynamic post Symposium workshops this year are Matt Callison and Toyohari Acupuncturists, Haruhiro Kasumi and Michio Murakami.

Matt Callison will share how to assess and treat common lower back and hip injuries

using TCM and Western biomedicine assessment and treatment techniques on Monday, November 12 in his special in-depth session “Common Injuries to the Lower Back and Hip.”

On Tuesday, November 13, The Toyohari Acupuncturists will provide an introduction to the Toyohari, a refined system of Japanese meridian therapy. This form of acupuncture uses extremely fine needling techniques, and places great emphasis on the use of pulse diagnosis and palpation skills. Many practitioners of this style in Japan are blind and have developed extraordinary sensitivity to qi through this practice. This workshop is designed to explore qi as a living and growing experience, not just an abstract concept.

This is a rare opportunity to study with Japanese masters of this style. Come join us for the 19th annual Pacific Symposium. Don't miss this opportunity to learn from the best in the industry and discover the newest products and services showcased at this event. **OM**