

The Eastern School of Acupuncture and Traditional Medicine
Masters in Acupuncture Degree (M.Ac.) Didactic Program Course Outline

Year 1 40 cr./600 hrs. Didactic; 3.8 cr./114. hrs. Clinic

Semester 1 14cr./210 hrs.; .5 cr./16 hrs. Clinic
TM100 History and foundations of Eastern Medicine (3)
TM111 TCM Theory I (3)
WM100 Western Medical Terminology (3)
WM110 Anatomy & Physiology I (3)
EBW110 Taiji (2)
 Grand Rounds (1 session) 8 hrs (.25)

Semester 2 14cr./210 hrs.; 1.5 cr. 46 hrs. Clinic
TM112 TCM Theory II (3)
AC100 Meridian Theory I (3)
TM120 Chinese Medical Classics (3)
(Huang Di Nei Jing/Zhen Jiu Da Cheng)
(Huang Di Ba Shi Yi Nan Jing)
WM120 Anatomy & Physiology II (3)
EBW120 Qigong (2)
 Introduction to Clinical Observation 30 hrs (1)
 Grand Rounds (1 session) 8 hrs (.25)

Semester 3 12 cr./180 hrs.; 2 cr./68 hrs. Clinic
TM113 TCM Theory III (3)
AC110 Acupuncture Channels & Points I (3)
WM130 Anatomy & Physiology III (3)
WM140 Biochemistry & Western Nutrition (3)
 Observation Level 1 60 hrs (2)
 Grand Rounds (1 session) 8 hrs (.25)

****BOLD** denotes aspects of Japanese Acupuncture Track

Grand Rounds hours are part of the existing clinical hours

Year 2 43.66cr./655 hrs. Didactic; 9 cr/272 hrs. Clinic

Semester 1 15cr./225 hrs; 2.5cr./76 hrs Clinic
TM211 TCM Diagnostic Principles I (3)
AC120 Acupuncture Channels & Points II (3)
AC210 Clinical Techniques I (3)
TM220 Survey of OM Systems (3)
WM210 Pathophysiology I (3)
 Observer Assistant 1 (OA1) 60 hrs (2)
 Grand Rounds (1 Session) 8 hours (.25)

Semester 2 17cr./255 hrs.; 2.5cr./76 hrs Clinic
TM212 TCM Diagnostic Principles II (3)
AC130 Acupuncture Channels & Points III (3)
TM221 Japanese Kiiko Style I (3)
WM220 Pathophysiology II (3)
AC220 Clinical Techniques II (3)
EBW130 Tui-Na I (2)
 Intern Assistant I (IA1) 60 hrs (2)
 Grand Rounds (1 Sessions) 8 hrs (.25)

Semester 3 11.66cr./175 hrs.; 4 cr. 128 hrs. Clinic
AC290 Clinical Point Selection (3)
TM222 Japanese Kiiko Style II (3)
WM250 Orthopedic & Neurologic Evaluation (3)
EBW140 Tui-Na II (2)
MSC120 Comprehensive Exam Review (.66) 10hrs.
EL100 OPTIONAL: Needle & Techniques Lab (0)
 Intern Level I 120 hrs (4)
 Grand Rounds (2 Sessions) 16 hrs (.5)

Year 3 39 cr./585 hrs. Didactic; 19.8 cr. 473.5 hrs Clinic

Semester 1 15cr./225 hrs.; 4.5 cr. 136 hrs Clinic
TM310 Treatment of Diseases-OM I (3)
(Gynecology/Andrology)
AC310 Clinical Point Selection II(3)
WM310 Western Clinical Medicine I (3)
BEC310 Practice Management & Medical Billing (3)
WM340 Western Diagnostics & Pharmacology (3)
 Intern Level I 120 hrs (4)

Semester 2 15 cr./225 hrs.; 5.2 cr. 156 hrs. Clinic
TM311 Treatment of Diseases-OM II (3)
(Pediatrics/Geriatrics)
WM320 Western Clinical Medicine II (3)
MSC110 Medical Research Principles (2)
MSC210 Integrative Medicine (1)
BEC320 Medical Ethics & Counseling (3)
WM360 Western Physical Exam (3)
 Intern Level II 233.5 hrs (7.8)

Semester 3 9 cr./135 hrs.; 5 cr. 158 hrs. Clinic
TM312 Treatment of Diseases-OM III (3)
 Mental Diseases/Dermatology
AC320 Treatment of Orthopedic Disorders (3)
WM330 Western Clinical Medicine III (3)
 Intern Level III 120 hrs (4)

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**Japanese Kiiko Style Shifts will be offered for Level II & Level III Interns

M.Ac. Program Total: 2,700 hours/151.33 credits
Didactic hours: 1,840 hours/122.66 credits
Clinical hours: 860 hours/28.67 credits