

Advance Notice
Global Integrative Traditional Medicine Conference
Rediscovering the Essence
September 27 ~ 29th, 2008
Coast Plaza Hotel & Suites, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada

Conference Description

This conference focuses on fundamentals of traditional medicines with the objective to better integrate their practice with Western medicine. By returning to the source, the conference will provide a deeper insight on the spiritual values and basic principles that support the therapeutic practice of traditional medicines. The rediscovery of the essence of traditional medicines will also help in the conceiving of new research approaches that fully respect their fundaments, while generating useful results with harmonious integration.

Three Pre-conference Courses on Sept 27

Qi Gong and Spirituality;
TCM Classics; and
Research Methodology

Conference: Sept 28 and 29 with the following themes

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| a Spirituality | a Clinical therapeutics |
| a Philosophy | a Herbal treatments |
| a Methodologies | a Acupuncture |

Who Should Attend

This conference will be of interest to health care professionals from all disciplines within conventional and traditional medicine (i.e., Chinese medicine, Native medicine, Ayurvedic medicine, Tibetan medicine, etc.), and researchers, educators, and practitioners who work and are interested in integrative traditional medicine.

Conference Hotel – Coast Plaza Hotel & Suites

Reserve today to avoid disappointment by calling toll free: 1-800-663-1144 or 604-688-7711. Please let the hotel know that you are booking under the **Global Integrative Traditional Medicine Conference room block** to receive the reduced rate of \$189, including complementary Internet access and shuttle bus. No extra fee is added for family members staying in the same room.

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