

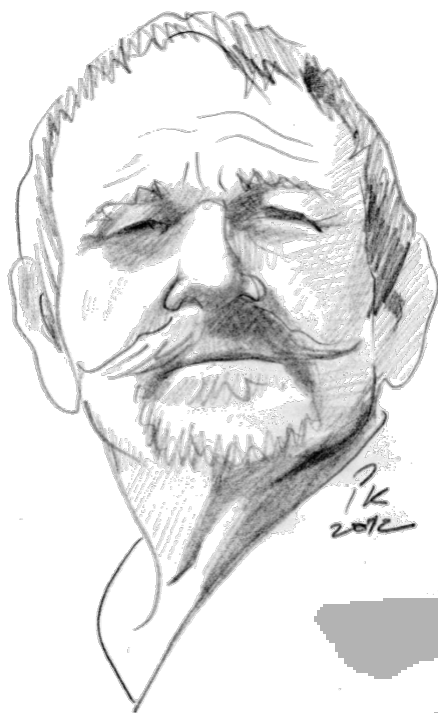
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# ALPINE BUDO SEMINAR 2022

## XXII TRADITIONAL JAPANESE MARTIAL ARTS INTENSIVE SEMINAR

June 23 ~ 24 ~ 25 ~ 26, 2022

Soraga, Val di Fassa (Tn), Italy



*The 22<sup>nd</sup> edition of the Alpine Budo Seminar awaits enthusiasts from all over Europe for yet another intense training experience under the tutelage of **Malcolm Tiki Shewan Shihan** and **Pascal Krieger Shihan**, our long-standing guides in this summer gasshuku in the wondrous landscape of the Dolomites. These renowned international Budo experts, founders and life-spirits of the European Iaido Federation and of the European Jodo Federation, shall lead us in the study of **Aikido, Aikiken, Iaido and Jodo**, while cherishing the memory of René Vandroogenbroeck "VDB" Sensei (1941-2012). Together with our teachers, I hope to welcome many of you, together with your companions and family members if you wish, at the Wellness Hotel Dolomia in Soraga, in majestic Val di Fassa.  
A presto!*

Lorenzo Trainelli



## General information

### Technical direction

The seminar is directed by two of the most renowned international experts: **Malcolm Tiki Shewan Shihan**, *Aikido* VII Dan and deeply versed in *Iaido* and *Kenjutsu*, and **Pascal Krieger Shihan**, *Shinto Muso-ryu Jodo Menkyo Kaiden* (the highest rank in traditional schools) and expert in *Iaido* and *Judo*.

### Location

Wellness Hotel Dolomia, Via Molin 2, 38030 Soraga (Val di Fassa, TN), Italy.

Tel. 0462.768107 – E-mail: [info@wellnessfassa.it](mailto:info@wellnessfassa.it) – Web: <http://www.dolomiahotel.com>

### Dates and time schedule

Opening on Thursday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, at 2:00 pm – Closing on Sunday, June 26<sup>th</sup>, at 1:00 pm.

### Conditions for participation

We propose the participants a “full package” including:

- practice of the arts: *Aikido*, *Aikiken/Kenjutsu*, *Iaido* and *Jodo* for about **18 hours total**;
- lodging in double, triple, 4-bed rooms as appropriate; it is possible to ask for single-bed use (extra: 20 € per day) and/or for upgrading to a Junior Suite (extra: 15 € per day, per person);
- all meals from Thursday evening dinner to Sunday breakfast;
- use of the hotel relax & wellness facilities.

Complete seminar: <b>Euro 350</b> (without extras)
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The seminar is conceived to be attended in its entirety. Starting May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022, the state of emergency related to COVID-19 has been lifted and no restrictions apply to sport activities now.

Accompanying persons can take advantage of **reduced** participation fees, as well as children, according to their age. Please contact the organizer to get detailed information.

### Reservation and payment

Those interested in the seminar should contact the organizer **as soon as possible** by sending an email to [lorenzo.trainelli@gmail.com](mailto:lorenzo.trainelli@gmail.com)

An **advance payment** of 50 Euro will be requested for each participant (practitioners and non-practicing guests alike) through bank transfer. The balance payment **must be paid in cash** on site. Please note that credit cards, bank cheques or other forms of payment will **not** be accepted.

### Organization and information

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## Technical programme

### Planning

Practice starts on Thursday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, at **3:00 pm** and closes on Sunday, June 26<sup>th</sup>, at **1:00 pm**.

About **18 hours of practice** are envisaged, a part of which in common classes, another in parallel courses, in the following disciplines: *Aikido*, *Aikiken* with elements of classical *Kenjutsu*, *Iaido* (*Muso Shinden-ryu* and possibly other schools), *Shinto Muso-ryu Jodo*.

Practice will mainly take place **in the open air**, in compliance with recommended guidelines.

The **detailed programme** of activities will be finalized on site: in addition to practice and resting time, it will include the traditional conference on **Shodo** (Japanese calligraphy) by P. Krieger, *Shodo Shihan*.

On Saturday morning, given suitable weather conditions, a **mountain practice session** is scheduled, in a nearby valley at 2,000 m. A meal – fully arranged by the hotel – will be served on place.



### Equipment

It is mandatory to bring, together with a few *keikogi* and the **weapons** (*bokken*, *jo*, *tanto*, possibly *iaito*), the minimal equipment for a **mountain walk** (trekking boots, wind coat, small rucksack, etc.). Sunglasses and a peaked cap may be useful for **outdoors** practice. Please consider the possibility of variable weather conditions in an alpine climate setting.