

## Aikido seminar with **Haruo Matsuoka Shihan**

**September 14 & 15 2024**

- Saturday: 10h -12h / lunch/ 15h - 17h
- Sunday 10h – 12h / lunch / 15h - 16h

**Contribution:**

- 2 days = 120\$
- Saturday or sunday only = 80\$

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**Aikido Doshinokai Association**

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Through over 40 years of training and teaching, Haruo Matsuoka Sensei (Chief Instructor 7th Dan Shihan - Aikikai Foundation) has developed a unique approach in teaching Aikido, the martial art codified by Morihei Ueshiba.

Haruo Matsuoka Sensei is a direct student of Seiseki Abe Sensei (1915-2011), one of the highest-ranking and closest disciples of Aikido's founder. Abe Sensei was not only a master of Aikido but also a shodo (Japanese calligraphy) instructor to the founder. Matsuoka Sensei's Aikido skills have been featured in numerous films, and he played a significant role in introducing Aikido to the United States in the 1980s, along with his first teacher Steven Seagal.

Matsuoka Sensei was promoted to the rank of Go-dan by Abe Sensei's recommendation and in 2024 received 7th Dan directly from Doshu, Moriteru Ueshiba."

While maintaining the active duty as the chief instructor at the Seishinjuku Dojo in Los Angeles, California, Matsuoka Sensei is the president of the Aikido Doshinokai Association, established in 2000, who is dedicated to promoting the principles, practice, and philosophy of Aikido

