

Internal power, structure and mind control are at the core of Push Hands Jins (Skills). Without them, you cannot give your focus totally to your opponent and develop the required sensitivity. The only way to train your body and mind to that level is through form.



This series of workshops will feature in-depth training in the Yang Style traditional 8-5 Form. Each aspect of the form will be studied in detail. Each movement will be drilled to ensure the body and mind are working as one, then that knowledge will be applied to developing Push Hands Skills. There will be physical contact for the Push Hands component of the workshop but no aggressive movements or takedowns.

Workshop suitable for people with some Tai Chi Experience



Sifu James Gao -

Sifu James Gao is a 6th Generation Traditional Yang Style Tai Chi master, with lineages to both Yang Chengfu and Yang Ban Hou. He has over 40 years of martial arts experience, from internal as well as external styles. While hands-on in both forms and Push Hands/Application Training, Sifu James, through his research, has gained a wealth of knowledge in classic Tai Chi and other Chinese Internal Martial Arts theory. His ability to articulate the essence of this theory and how to apply it is well-regarded by his peers and students.

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