

# Aikido World Alliance Seminar

Instruction by:  
**Andrew Sato, Sensei**

March 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup>, 2006

Hosted by:

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## About the Seminar

Instruction will be given by Andrew M. Sato, Chief Instructor of the Aikido World Alliance. Standing and seated empty hand waza, as well as weapons training will be covered over the course of the event. Please bring your jo and bokken, weapons will be large part of seminar.

## Seminar Schedule

<b>Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>6.00 pm– 6:30 pm</b> <b>6:30 pm– 8:30 pm</b>	<b>Registration</b> <b>Aikido</b>
<b>Saturday, March 18<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>9:30 am – 12:30 pm</b> <b>2:30 pm – 5:30 pm</b> <b>TBA</b>	<b>Aikido</b> <b>Aikido</b> <b>Group Dinner</b>
<b>Sunday, March 19<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>10:00 am –1:00 pm</b>	<b>Aikido</b>

## About the Instructor

Andrew M. Sato, Rokudan Aikikai, is a full time Aikido instructor. Sato sensei trained under Fumio Toyoda shihan beginning in 1977, until Toyoda sensei's passing in 2001. First as member of the Ki Aikido Society, then with the Aikido Association of America and Aikido Association International. From 2002 until the end of 2004 Sato sensei served as the chief instructor of both the AAA & AAI. In 2005 he organized the Aikido World Alliance for dojo cho and students to further improve their understanding and art of Aikido through standardized instruction and intensive training, while providing opportunities for personal exchange and community networking.

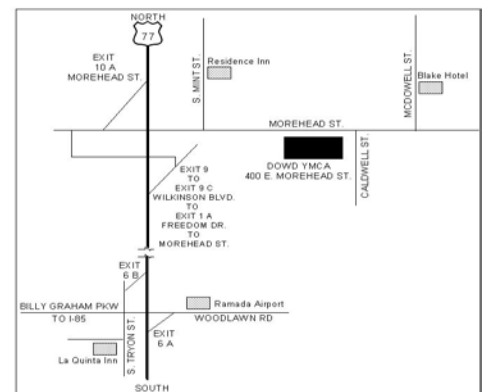
## Directions:

Going North on I-77 take Exit 9 to Exit 9C to Exit 1A right onto Morehead Street.

Going South on I-77 take Exit 10A turn left onto Morehead Street. The YMCA is approximately 1 to 1.5 miles from I-77 on the right-hand side.

Easiest to park in rear and come in the rear entrance.

Go to the Receptionist Desk tell them you are with the Aikido Seminar in the Underwood Gym.



## Lodging in the Area

### The Blake Hotel

555 South McDowell Street  
Charlotte, NC 28202  
Phone: 704-372-4100

[www.theblakehotel.net](http://www.theblakehotel.net) or  
[www.expedia.com](http://www.expedia.com)

Rates: \$79 (plus taxes and parking,  
Breakfast included)

### Ramada Airport South and Conference Center

212 Woodlawn Road  
I-77 Exit 6A

Charlotte, NC 28219  
Phone: 704-525-8350

[www.ramada.com](http://www.ramada.com)

Rates: \$69 per day (plus taxes)

### La Quinta Inn Charlotte Airport

3100 Queen City Drive  
Charlotte, NC 28208  
Phone: 704-393-5306

[www.laquinta.com](http://www.laquinta.com) or [www.expedia.com](http://www.expedia.com)

Rates: \$50 to \$65 (plus taxes, free  
breakfast)

**Please Note:** Participants of the Aikido Seminar are to use Underwood Gym and it's adjacent facilities only.

# Seminar Registration Form— Retsushinkan Dojo, NC

I would like to register for the seminar. Please find enclosed my check or money order (made payable to “Aikido World Alliance”) in the amount of:

\$70 Entire Seminar

\$30 Friday only     \$50 Saturday only     \$30 Sunday only

EVENT DATE(S): \_\_\_\_\_ FEE: \_\_\_\_\_ TODAY’S DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE (H): \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE (W): \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

MARTIAL ART:    ( ) AIKIDO    ( ) OTHER: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF DOJO: \_\_\_\_\_ RANK: \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**PAYMENT METHOD:**

Check enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card: Visa    MasterCard    Card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_\_\_

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(Parent or guardian if participant is under 18)

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