CV of Jonah Winters, RMT, MA

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Education and training

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| 2012 | Registered Massage Therapy | |
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| | 2,200-hour diploma program, Ontario College of Health and Technology | (OCHT) |

2008 Certified Spa Therapy

One-year certificate program, Vancouver School of Bodywork and Massage (VSBM); curriculum and hours equivalent to US National Certification Board for Therapeutic Massage and Bodywork

2003 Certified Internet Technologist

6-month tech program, Bodwell College (Vancouver); see Technical, below

1997 Master's Degree, Islamic Theology

Dept. of Comparative Religion, University of Toronto; see Publications, below

1995 Honours B.A., Buddhist Philosophy and Music History

Reed College (Portland, OR)

1993 B.A. Minor coursework, History of Christianity

Spring term courses [audited], McGill University

1992 B.A. Minor work, History of Religion, and Graduate work, Eastern philosophy One-year student exchange, Brock University (St Catharines, ON)

Bodywork certification

2009 Advanced Joint Release and Trager Method

Two-day workshop with Amaro Hogräfer, Certified Advanced Rolfer (Vancouver)

2009 Deep Tissue Massage

Six-day workshop and 12-hour video training, Art Riggs study course (VSBM)

2008 Advanced Neck and Shoulder Myofascial Release

Two-day workshop with Amaro Hogräfer (Vancouver)

2008 Intensive Lomi Lomi

Four-day full-day workshops, Sacred Temple Hawaiian Massage (Vancouver)

2008 Thai introductory

Half-day introductory course, Metta in Motion (Vancouver)

2008 Hot Stone

Two-week workshop, Ocean Stone Massage (Alexandra Thompson, VSBM)

2008 Sports Massage

Two-day workshop, Paula Jasper (VSBM)

2008 Reflexology

Six-day course, Natalie Gold (VSBM)

2007 Aromatherapy

Six-day course, Daphne Roubini (VSBM)

2007 Introductory Swedish Massage

Two-day Vancouver School of Bodywork and Massage introductory course

Professional memberships

| 2013 | Member, College of Massage Therapists of Ontario |
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| 2013 | Insured, through Registered Massage Therapists Association of Ontario |
| 2012 | Standard CPR and First Aid, Red Cross Level C |
| 2010- | Member, Registered Massage Therapists Association of Ontario |
| 2009-2010 | Insured, Preventative Health Services |
| 2007-2009 | Licensed "Therapeutic Touch Technique" practitioner (City of Vancouver) |
| 2007-2008 | Member, Natural Health Practitioners of Canada |

Work experience

Bodywork

2010-2012 OCHT Student Clinic

Three massages per week for 12 months

2010–2012 OCHT volunteer massage Outreach events

Provided therapeutic massage at Bob Kemp Hospice and post-event massage at three marathons: Peach Bud 5K; Twenty Valley 10K; Road2Hope

2007–2010: Volunteer and charity events, table and chair massage

Provided 5-25 massages at each of the following events: Art Institute of Vancouver Health & Wellness Fair; Kits Neighbourhood House Wellness Fair; Steeves Manor Annual Health Fair; Vancouver Art Institute St. Nick All-Nighter; Yoga4Kidz 24-hour Yoga Relay; Denman Car-Free Festival; Koodoo's Big Night Out Street Party

2007–2010: Winters Body Works mobile massage and event/corporate chair-massage

Provided regular massage at client's homes (2-4/week) and at 5-10 massages at each of the following events: Art Institute of Vancouver student services; Davie Day; Davie Street Pride Party; Denman Car-Free Day; East Side Pride Festival; Ironman Triathlon; Morguard Golf Tournament; Riley Park Community Day; Sunset Beach Festival; Under the Volcano Artisans Fair; Vancouver Art Institute Fine Arts Campus; Vancouver Culinary Academy

campus of the Art Institute of Vancouver; Vancouver Fashion campus of the Art Institute of Vancouver

2008-2009: Steeves Manor seniors home, on-site masseur Therapeutic services provided 2 days/week, 2-4 massages per day 2007–2008 VSBM Student Clinic Four massages per week (3 in-clinic, 1 off-campus) for 8 months **Academic** 1997–2013 Executive editor, publisher, programmer: Bahai Library Online www.bahai-library.com is the Internet's largest resource for Bahai studies, and among the most prolific publishers of original content. See bahai-library.com/about. 1997–2001 Teaching assistant: Wilmette Institute (Chicago) Prepared curricula and mentored students for college-level distance-learning courses 1997–1999 Editor, research assistant: Research and Review Office, United States Bahai National Center (Chicago) Various tasks for the education department of the US Bahai community, including secretary, editor, researcher, teaching assistant, computer training 1997 Research Assistant, University of Toronto Research assistant, data entry for the Department of Comparative Religion Technical 1997–2007 Sole proprietor, operator: Winters Web Works Website hosting and server management; site design and implementation; general computer consultation; original PHP programming 1997-2013 Irfan Colloquia technical officer Website programmer, designer and creator, irfancolloquia.org 1997-2007 Website design and programming portfolio Created approximately 100 websites; see winterswebworks.com/portfolio 1997-2001 Wilmette Institute technical staff Website designer and creator, www.wilmetteinstitute.org Culinary 1997–1998 Manumit Seafood Restaurant (Toronto) Line cook, food prep, wait staff, janitor 1990–1991 Professional Food Service Management (Portland, OR) Caterer, Line cook (breakfast and dinner), serving staff 1989–1990 Greenleaf Restaurant (Ashland, OR)

Kitchen Supervisor, Head janitor, line cook, food prep at upscale restaurant and deli

Other work experience

- 2004–2009 High-rise building manager, Prospero International Realty (Vancouver)

 2½ days/week as on-site residential manager; tasks included administration, security, carpentry, plumbing, and janitorial
- 2003–2009 Groundskeeper, Beachview Tower (Vancouver)
 2 days/week as landscaper and gardener; job included complete removal of old grounds, original design of new grounds, and installation of new design
- 1983-1996 Grounds and building maintenance, Silver Creek Landscape (Grants Pass, OR) Landscape, maintenance, and construction, and occasional crew leader
- Cashier and security guard, Purview Entertainment (San Francisco)
- 1992 Telemarketing and Sales, *The Chronicle-Examiner* (San Francisco)
- 1985-1987 Correspondence reporter, *The Daily Courier* (Grants Pass)

Publications

- 2003-2013 Lights of Irfán volumes 3-14. Editor, desktop-publisher
- 2004 "Bahá'í Ethics," in *Religious Ethics: A Sourcebook,* ed. Arthur D. Dobrin (Mumbai: Hindi Granth Karyalay, 2004).
- 1999 "Reviews of Jack McLean et al., *Revisioning the Sacred: New Perspectives on a Bahá'í Theology* and Christopher Buck, *Symbol and Secret: Qur'an Commentary in Bahá'u'lláh's Kitab-i-Iqan.*" *Iranian Studies* 32:1 (Winter 1999)
- 1999 "Review of Christopher Buck, Symbol and Secret: Qur'an Commentary in Bahá'u'lláh's Kitab-i-Igan." Journal of Bahá'í Studies 9:3 (September 1999), pp. 69-75
- 1997- Dozens of short online pages and compilations on various Baha'i and website matters: bahai-library.com/author/Jonah_Winters
- 1997 A Resource Guide for the Scholarly Study of the Bahá'í Faith, with Dr. Robert Stockman. United States Bahá'í National Center Research Office (Wilmette, IL), 198pp. Comprehensive literature review, curriculum guide outlines, and bibliographic research. Also published online at bahai-library.com/stockman_winters_resource_guide.
- 1997 Master's Thesis, University of Toronto. *Dying for God: Martyrdom in the Shí'í and Bábí Religions,* first published at bahai-library.com/winters_dying_for_god and later copied around the internet
- 1996 *Curriculum Guide for the Bahá'í Faith,* by Robert Stockman. Editor and desktop-publisher. Earlier, shorter version of *A Resource Guide,* above.
- 1995 "Review of Moojan Momen, *Buddhism and the Bahá'í Faith.*" *Journal of Bahá'í Studies* 6.4 (Dec. 1994–Mar. 1995), pp. 70–74.