Year 2003 – US Martial Arts Hall of Fame Inductees



Alabama

John Stump Instructor of the Year

Alaska

Michael Holman Outstanding Martial Artist of the Year

Arizona

Ray Fisher Master

Daniel Spalding Outstanding Martial Arts Competitor

Arkansas

Pat Burleson
Jack Groves
Outstanding Kubudo Sensei
Robert Hardin
Founder of the Year
John Malmo
Senior Master Instructor
Stave Blace
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Steve Place Tae Kwon Do Instructor of the Year Ed Robinson Martial Artist of the Year Victor Romero Latino Instructor of the Year

Farren Wadley Tae Kwon Do Instructor of the Year

California

Mel Abraham Master

T.R. Crimi Grandmaster of the Year

Fumio Demura Most Distinguished Karate Legend

Christopher Dick Instructor
Charles Baker Fisher Master
Scott Merrill Master
Kevin Ford Morris Master

Kathleen Newhouse Female TKD Instructor of the Year

Max Pallen Grandmaster

Arthur Sandubrae Living Legend

Paul Vunak America's Outstanding Self-Defense Instructor
William Weiber Outstanding Military Martial Artist

Marty Zaninovich Master Instructor of the Year



Colorado

Sheldon Marr Instructor **Donald Martinez** Instructor

Connecticut

Jeffrey Blake Instructor Frank Corbo Jr. Grandmaster of the Year Instructor of the Year Daniel Semeraro Jr.

Delaware

Paul Smith Master

Florida

Brian Rubbner Instructor

Hawaii

Grandmaster of the Year Edward James Badiang Randy Choy Grandmaster Peter Kobashigawa

Most Distinguished Master

Illinois

Vladimir Djordjevic **Distinguished Master Instructor of the Year** Richard Temmerman Master Instructor

Indiana

Alicia Deferies Female Competitor Sheri L. Dill Instructor

Competitor of the Year Robert Floyd Instructor of the Year **Eric Gassin** Grandmaster **Larry Goris** Elmer E. Marshall Jr.

Instructor Joseph Rush Jr. **Male Competitor** Tae Kwon Do Instructor of the Year Jim Snowberger Female TKD Instructor of the Year Kelli Snowberger

Kentucky

Jamie Ruth **Outstanding Martial Artist**

Louisiana

Nathan John Burchfield Instructor



Ken Woodside

Willie "The Bam" Johnson

Maryland

Kung Fu Master of the Year

Instructor of the Year

Massachusetts

Kathryn Bailey Instructor of the Year Instructor of the Year **Robert Bronson** Instructor of the Year Jay Bruetta Instructor of the Year **Dean Gaudet Paul Guilbeault Pioneer Award Kevin Herbert** Shihan of the Year David M. Jonson Master Rick D. LeClair **Most Distinguished Grandmaster** Joshua Ryan Lott Instructor of the Year **Master Instructor of the Year Bruce McCorry** Mark McPherson Shihan of the Year Mark Anthony Montaquila Instructor of the Year Instructor of the Year Steve Robillard Frank Vargo **Educator and Humanitarian of the Year**

Michigan

Edwin Emrich Instructor

Minnesota

Harold Mead Master Instructor of the Year

Mississippi

Alan Harrington Instructor
Richard Anthony Lee Master

Missouri

Tara Lynn Bidwell Master **Wayne Carman Most Distinguished Grandmaster** El Roy "Buzzy" Devoll Instructor Allen Fischer Instructor **Gary Jameson** Taekwondo School of the Year **Kristine Jones** Instructor **Robert Lee Jones** Master Instructor of the Year **Outstanding Martial Arts Clinician** Mark Shuey Sr. Sharon L. West Instructor

New Jersey

Ronald Allen Mertz Instructor
Frank Huff Master



Maria Serna

New Mexico

Female Competitor of the Year

New York

Therold Hugh Davenport Ted Ricketts III Michelle A. Smith Mark Tuthill Jim Wood

Master Master

Female Instructor of the Year

Instructor

Master

North Carolina

Richard Stack

Ninjitsu Grandmaster

Ohio

L.J Blevins

Russ Cambarae Charles Comas Jr. Willard E. Cox

John Fogt

Rosemary Isabella

Gary Rooks Jeffrey Sanders Anna Smith

Matthew Zanoskar

Shorin-Ryu Instructor of the Year Instructor of the Year Instructor Martial Arts School of the Year

Senior Competitor of the Year Humanitarian

Grandmaster

Humanitarian Award

Female Instructor of the Year

Master

Oklahoma

James Blount **Truman Briggs**

Russell Cannon

Valleria Krumme Garrett

Wayne Franklin Hall Reginald Hondolero

Tony Mondejar

Ray Lavaughan Whitley

Outstanding Martial Artist

Master

Instructor

Female Martial Artist of the Year

Sr. Master Aikido Instructor **Grandmaster of the Year**

Master of the Year

Instructor

Oregon

Judith Anne Leipold

Instructor

Pennsylvania

James Edward Harlan William Arno Herzer

Mike Reed

Master Master

Shorinji Ryu Master Instructor



Rhode Island

Jospeh Cardin
David Caruso
Eugene R. Coutu
Alan R. Fortes
Joseph Gelineau
Gary Greaves
Richard Petronelli
Alan Reedy
John Rubiano

Youth Program Director of the Year
Deputy Warden of the Year
Golden Life Award
Instructor of the Year
Man of the Year
Instructor
Most Distinguished Grandmaster
Law Enforcement Instructor of the Year
Grandmaster of the Year

Tracy Stephens

South Carolina

Ninjitsu Instructor of the Year

Gerald "Pete" Mills Chad Netherland Dan Netherland James Edward Ogle

Tennessee

Martial Arts Promoter of the Year
Master Instructor of the Year
Grandmaster of the Year
Master Instructor of the Year

Texas

Syed Omar Ahmad Butch Alish-Tasen Michael Bainton Ralph Britt **David Coquat** James Edward Cox **Parish Matthew Cronen** Nelda Edwards **Duane Ethington** W. Lee Goodridge James Hammock Jr. Thomas Hanrahan III Sr. Jose Luis Hinojosa Samuel Joseph Lonewolf Carols Machado William McDonald David McLaughlin **Bob Nuttall Steve Wayne Powell**

Outstanding Judo Player Grandmaster of the Year Grandmaster Instructor Competitor of the Year Kajukembo instructor of the Year Instructor of the Year **Outstanding Martial Artist** Founder of the Year Master **Outstanding Martial Artist of the Year Competitor of the Year** Master Native American Grandmaster America's Ju-Jitsu Master **Grandmaster of the Year** Instructor of the Year **Most Distinguished Master Taekwondo Senior Master**



Dennis Rivera
Gregory Robinson
Fernando Robles
Clarence Ray Smith Sr.
Johnny K. Thompson
Joe E. Turner Jr.
Danny Vasquez
Janie Villarreal
Justin Ryan White
Balfour Wright
Morris Young

Scott W.D. Rutter

Collette Chambers
Russell McCartney
Michelle McVadon
Jeffery Standish
Nhumey Tropp

Lisa Heitke Thomas Stowers

Bernie Fritz

John Stanley Martin

Radojica Spasovic Bratislav Stajic Ana Vracarevic Ljubomir Vracarevic

Don Harries Allison Phipps

Malcom Phipps

Outstanding Martial Artist
Founder
Master
Most Distinguished Grandmaster
Grandmaster
Instructor
Instructor
Outstanding Female Taekwondo Instructor
Instructor of the Year
Grandmaster

Virginia

Competitor of the Year

Master Instructor

Washington

Instructor
Founder of the Year
Instructor of the Year
Instructor
Master

West Virginia

Female Master of the Year Law Enforcement Instructor of the Year

Wisconsin

Founder of the Year

Wyoming

Master Instructor

Serbia

International Instructor of the Year International Instructor of the Year International Instructor of the Year International Grandmaster of the Year

United Kingdom

Kung Fu Master of the Year International Instructor of the Year International Grand Master of the Year



2003 - Junior Awards USMAHOF

Arkansas

Leslie Benedict
Jake Cale
Outstanding Martial Artist of the Year
Outstanding Jr. Karate Instructor
National Competitor of the Year
Ryan Matthew Jones
Than Ross
Competitor of the Year
Christopher "Mackenzie" Tucker
Outstanding Martial Artist

Connecticut

Daniel Christianson

Debra Ieni

Jeffery Keurian

Owen McGaughey

Danielle Sharpe

Competitor of the Year

Competitor of the Year

Jr. Black Belt of the Year

Jr. Black Belt of the Year

Competitor of the Year

Illinois

Christopher James Canning Youth of the Year Award

Maryland

Shelby Marie Gustitis Jr. Competitor of the Year Richard Iammarino Jr. Outstanding Martial Artist

Pennsylvania

Wendy Chanthasehn

Nicole Fontanella

Ashley Hardy

Colton Hogye

Christina Nichols

Martial Arts Technician

National Jr. Competitor of the Year

Jr. Black Belt of the Year

Jr. Outstanding Martial Artist

Jr. Black Belt Competitor

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