



*For Painting Therapy and Artistic Painting
According to the method of Liane Collot d'Herbois*

The Sienna Academy is an Anthroposophic initiative. It promotes artistic and therapeutic painting courses that bring healing through working with the spiritual archetypes of light, darkness and colour. Artistic mediums include water colour moist-on-moist and veil painting; charcoal, pastel and pencil drawing. Courses weave together 3 main strands of teaching: Developing the student's artistic abilities; developing the skills to work therapeutically as a painting therapist and making more conscious the inter-connectedness of inner and outer colour world as a path of self-development.

The Classes are designed to give students a living relationship to colour. Different exercises build up the student's sensitivity towards colour perception and help develop the necessary skills to translate this into an ability to paint in this method.

Together with the colour work and practical exercises, the spiritual scientific approach develops an understanding of the human being in both a microcosmic and macrocosmic sense. Seeing a person's destiny unfold as part of an integrated whole gives unique insights as to the underlying causes of an illness or re-occurring pattern. Medical lectures support this understanding.

Each course has a different focus depending on whether it is designed to teach the method as an art form or for developing the necessary skills to become an art therapist. In every class, colour and its great archetypal spiritual background bring healing and new life forces to those that participate.

It is a schooling path that draws inspiration from the three great visionaries and pioneers:

1) Liane Collot d'Herbois, a prolific and talented artist who could perceive the living essence of colours, free from matter, arising and dying away between the dynamic interplay of light and darkness. She breathed and emanated a colour world of glowing imaginations in her veil paintings, art teachings and therapeutic work.

2) Rudolf Steiner, a highly developed seer, who spoke out of his direct perception of the spiritual world and who initiated a modern and universal 'science of the spirit,' which he presented to the world in numerous books and lectures. 'Anthroposophy' is the word that Rudolf Steiner used to describe the spiritual insights that he shared with people during his lifetime. It means 'wisdom relating to mankind'.

3) Johann Wolfgang von Goethe, a scientist and renowned author who developed a theory of colour that was based on years of personal observation.

Courses have been taught in Australia, China, Thailand, India, Hongkong, Singapore and Vietnam

The Post Graduate Training taught in Australia and China, takes 3.5 year to complete. Students come together for two 4-week blocks of training a year. In addition the course includes student's Independent work at home, practicals, essays and Final Case Studies Work.

The Post Graduate Training is accredited by iARTE (International Association of Anthroposophic Arts Therapies Educations - formerly European Academy) which is an evaluation and quality assurance body of the Medical Section at the Goetheanum, Dornach, Switzerland.

Australia

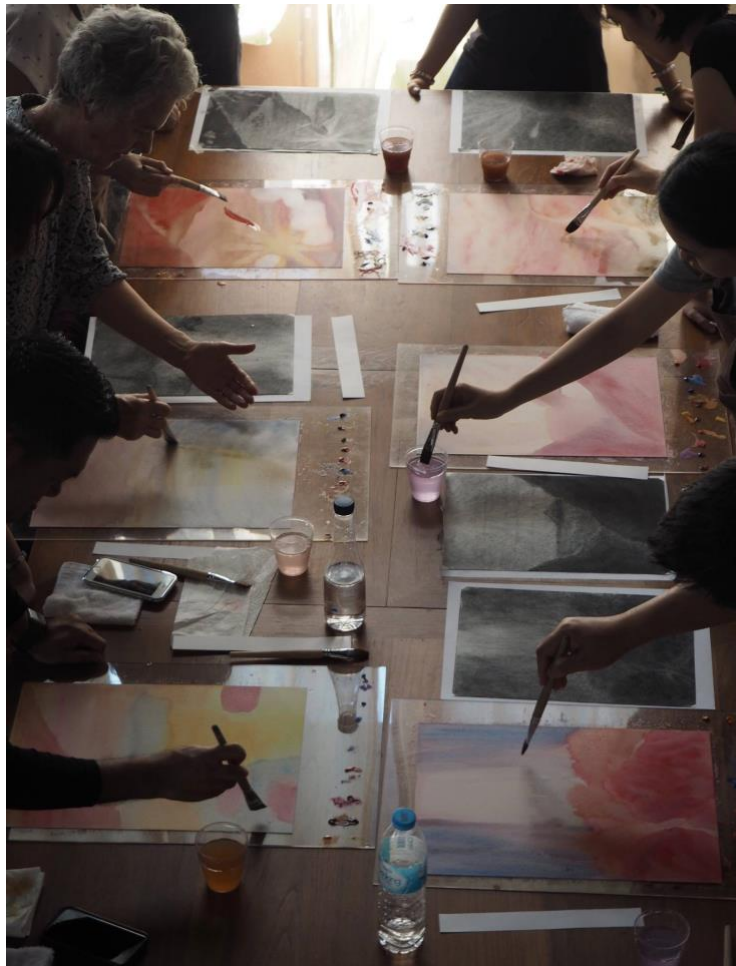




China



Thailand



The Australian Training is now on its 4th round of training.

The Chinese Training has just completed its first round.

The Australian Training attracts many international students. Last year, as students could not travel, the training was made available on line. This will continue until travel becomes more easily available.

Principal Teacher

Sally Martin

Medical Consultant

Dr. Lakshmi Prasanna

The cost for on-site modules

\$850 each module (14 Modules)

Materials are not included in the cost.

Venue for Australia

32 Nimbus Drive, Flaxton, Qld 4560

Dates

Please see flyer for dates

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