



## Newsletter from the 3rd Scandinavian TCM Congress 1st–4th September 2011

Dear Colleagues of Classic and Traditional Chinese Medicine,

A brand new year has started, and as we are sure you know 2011 is the year of the 3rd Scandinavian TCM Congress. At this moment we have 20 internationally esteemed teachers longing to inspire you with their fantastic workshops and lectures within the congress topic. Whether you will participate for the first time or you have attended the two previous congresses, we have wonderful things in store for you!

### Chinese Medicine and the Fertile Spirit: Childhood, Nourishment and Long Life

It begins with a fertile spirit, wanting to grow into a human being, and the first step is the childhood. How can we use our Chinese medicine, from the very start, to support this fertile spirit into coming alive and realising its full potential with as much yin yang balance as possible?

Nourishment takes place on many levels. Nourishment is not just food, but also love, acceptance and support. And there must be room for failure as well, because we can learn and grow stronger through failure. In which way will the fertile spirit choose to gain long life? In Yang Sheng, Nourishing Life, there are many mountains to climb and deep seas to swim, but in the end every one is a unique and powerful soul that will rise to the sun.

We have invited many different teachers with different backgrounds within the field of Chinese Medicine in order to give you the opportunity to learn from the best at our congress. We are certain that you will not be disappointed, and that the congress will once again be a great success. We hope to see you there!

If you wish to know more about the congress, the teachers and the events, please feel free to visit our congress website and read all about our Scandinavian TCM Congress of 2011: [www.tcm-kongres.dk](http://www.tcm-kongres.dk)

## Congress film



[Watch our new congress film here...](#)

We are proud to present our own congress film, which will give you an impression of the previous Scandinavian congresses or maybe revive good memories. The film was made during the last congress in 2009 by Eitan Dotan from Israel. You may remember him from the congress, running around with his camera over his shoulder! The film will be made available on DVD, and we plan to send it to all the associations of Chinese Medicine, which we cooperate with, as well as all the schools of Chinese Medicine in Scandinavia. If you wish to receive the DVD, please feel free to contact us, and

We look forward to welcoming 20 [international and national teachers:](#)



Alex Tiberi  
USA



Anette Koppang  
Norway



Angela & John  
Hicks  
United Kingdom



Barbara  
Kirschbaum  
Germany



we will have it sent to you.

## Congress teachers

We have already introduced some of the congress teachers in the last newsletters, but below please find the full list of the fabulous teachers, who will be present at the 3rd Scandinavian TCM Congress 2011. You can find more information on the congress website both regarding the new teachers and the teachers, who have shared their profound knowledge with us before.

Alex Tiberi (USA)  
Anette Koppang (Norway)  
Angela and John Hicks (UK)  
Barbara Kirschbaum (Germany)  
Debra Betts (New Zealand)  
Hans Erik Foldberg (Denmark)  
Hugh MacPherson (UK)  
Jani White (UK)  
Lillian Pearl Bridges (USA)  
Nigel Ching (Denmark)  
Peter Deadman (UK)  
Peter Firebrace (UK)  
Peter Torsell (Sweden)  
Robin Tiberi (USA)  
Sabine Wilms (USA)  
Stefan Englert (Germany)  
Stephen Birch (Holland)  
Søren Ballegaard (Denmark)  
Yair Maimon (Israel)

## Signing up for the congress

From February 2011 you will be able to sign up for the congress. You can use either the congress brochure, which will be distributed through the Scandinavian and European associations in the spring of 2011, or you may prefer the easy way and sign up at the congress website.

We will inform you directly when the registration starts through the congress website, so look out for the next newsletter in February.

## TCM Congress in Israel



Debra Betts  
New Zealand



Hugh McPherson  
United Kingdom



Jani White  
United Kingdom



Lillian Pearl Bridges  
USA





The Scandinavian TCM Congress co-operates with other congresses, and we are happy to inform you of the 3rd International Congress of Chinese Medicine in Israel – Marian Nielsen Joos and Kathaline Lauge participated in the second Congress.

*"It was a great experience to meet colleagues from Israel and exchange knowledge – we had a wonderful time there and wish you all the best with you 3 congress", Marian Nielsen Joos.*

The third International Congress of Chinese Medicine (ICCM) will be held in Israel from February 27th to March 2nd 2011;

Taking place in early spring the ICCM symbolizes the growth, development and advance of Chinese medicine in Israel. This ICCM will be held in partnership with the Israeli Association of Traditional Chinese Medicine as well as all the leading colleges in the field in Israel.

The ICCM is a highly professional conference geared to professionals, academics and students working in all areas of Chinese medicine including Shiatsu, Tuina, Tai Chi, Qi Gong. It provides a meeting place for leading lecturers from both Israel and abroad with professionals and students. During four days of lectures, workshops, discussions and exhibitions, participants will be exposed to the very best in the field, will be enriched by a substantial learning experience and will have significant opportunities for professional and social networking. More information on [www.iccm.org.il](http://www.iccm.org.il)

Nigel Ching  
Denmark



Peter Deadman  
United Kingdom



Peter Firebrace  
United Kingdom



Peter Torsell  
Sweden



Robin Tiberi  
USA



Sabine Wilms  
USA



Stefan Englert  
Germany



## Facebook

Please note that we have a group on Facebook, which gives you the possibility to stay in touch or get in touch with other practitioners from all over the world. You may join the group [here....](#)

**We wish you, your family and friends a peaceful and healthy start in the year 2011!**

Meanwhile, we look forward to seeing you again at the next Scandinavian TCM Congress connecting practitioners of Chinese Medicine from all over the world. Inspiration and networking are the keywords!

Welcome to a spiritual congress where good spirits meet!

Congress Greetings,

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Director



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