



Ginalise Smotherman

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Date of Birth: 5/27/90

Height: 5'4"

Weight: 145

Hair: Brown

Eyes: Hazel

Now available for demonstrations, group seminars and private instruction! Contact for pricing info.

Skills: Hard Style traditional forms & weapons (Omega Tao) : *bo, kamas, broadsword, katana, nunchaku, sai, tonfa, escrima sticks, 3-section staff*; creative forms, creative weapons: *bo, katana, escrima sticks*; chanbara; fight and demonstration choreography; Soft Style traditional forms & weapons (Wu Shu & Gung Fu) : *Chinese broadsword, staff*

Hobbies: singing, songwriting, reading, ballroom dancing, watching old martial arts movies

MARTIAL ARTS TRAINING

Present Rank: 1st Degree Black Belt Style: Omega Tao

Schools

National Martial Arts Academy, Aurora, CO

Omega Martial Arts, Parker, CO

Dragon Dojo, Pueblo, CO

Championship Karate, Highlands Ranch, CO

Martial Arts America, Lewiston, ID

Instructors

Shifu Jerry Silva

Grand Master Robert Davis, Master Cheryl Volesky

Sensei Phil Salazar

Sensei Tyler Weaver

Sensei Frank Arnett

Dates

June 2009-present

July 2000-present

February 2008-November 2008

June-December 2007

July 1998-June 2000

Additional Instruction:

ProRank's Edge Sport Karate Camp

Alpharetta, GA

July 2007

XMA Camp Chat

Orlando, FL

July 2007

ProRank Traditional & Creative Forms Seminar

Denver, CO

June 2007

Paul Mitchell's Steve Terada Extreme Forms Seminar

Denver, CO

November 2005

Private instructors: Terri Jacoby, Lauren Kearney, Scott Wu, Steve Terada, Jericho Catura, Mindy Kelly, Stephanie Flowers

COMPETITION HISTORY

Sanctioning Body

NASKA World Tour

Awards

2009 YTD**

*1st 18-29 BBF Soft Style Wpns, *1st 18-29 BBF Soft Style Forms,

*4th 18-29 BBF Creative Forms, *5th 18-29 BBF Creative Wpns,

*6th 18-29 BBF HS Trad. Wpns, *7th 18-29 BBF HS Trad. Forms

*3rd 18-29 BBW Creative Wpns, *4th 18-29 BBW Trad. Forms,

*5th 18-29 BBW Trad. Wpns, *6th 18-29 BBW Creative Forms,

*6th 18-29 BBW Musical Wpns, *6th 18-29 BBW Musical Forms

*5th 16-17 BB F Creative Forms, *7th 16-17 BB F Trad. Weapons

*8th 16-17 BB F Trad. Forms, *8th 16-17 BB F Creative Weapons

Colorado Karate Association

2009 YTD**

*1st Adult BB Wpns, *2nd Adult BB Creative,

*2nd 18-34 BBW Forms

*1st 18-34 BBW Trad. Forms, *2nd Adult BB Wpns,

*2nd Adult BB Creative

2007 Season Rankings

*3rd 15-17 Adv. Weapons, *3rd 16-17 BB Trad. Forms

2006 Season Rankings

*3rd 15-17 Adv. Weapons, *4th 16-17 BB Trad. Forms

World Congress of Martial Arts

2006

*3rd Place 14-17 BBF Sparring

2005

*World Champion-14-17 BBF Sparring,

*World Champion-14-17 Advanced Chanbara

*2nd Place BB Extreme Forms

USOC- State Games of America

2006

*3rd Place 16-17 BB Trad. Weapons

2005

*2nd Place 16-17 BB Extreme Forms,

*3rd Place 16-17 BB Trad. Weapons

**YTD Rankings are through August 10, 2009

COMPETITION SPONSORS

Koa' Sticks

April 2008-present

Team Sanbon

November 2006-November 2007

COMPETITION TEAMS

WAKO Team USA

2009

WCOMA Team USA

2004, 2005, 2006