

Richard Branden

796A San Antonio Road, Palo Alto, CA 94303

info@studiokickspaloalto.com

mobile 408 • 656 • 9050

studio 650 • 855 • 9868

World Champion Awards

WAKO World Champion Awards, 6 Time World Champion

Chinese Forms: Gold Medals Chinese Weapons: Gold Medals

- 1995 Poland • 1995 Poland
- 1993 England • 1993 England
- 1991 USA • 1991 USA

Budo Open, Germany

- 1997 Forms Gold Medal Champion

AAA National Champion Awards

North American Sport Karate Association USA (NASKA)

1986 - 1996 rated #1 nationally each year

- Diamond Nationals: 3 time champion
- Ocean State Nationals: 6 time champion
- Kentucky Blue Grass Nationals: 4 time champion
- Washington DC Classics: 2 time champion
- New England Open: 8 time champion
- US Open Florida: 4 time champion
- Empire State Championships: 3 time champion
- Compete Nationals California: 4 time champion
- Houston Nationals: 1 time champion

Hall of Fame Awards

- 1995 Diamond Nationals Hall of Fame
- 1993 International Hall of Fame
- 1992 Black Belt Magazine, Kung Fu Artist of the Year
- 1991 Ocean State Hall of Fame
- 1990 Professional Karate League, Competitor of the Year

Print Ads

- 2000 *CrossNet Wireless company*
- Direct Mail Promotion
- 1996 *Macho Martial Arts*
- Catalog Cover
- 1995 *Macho Martial Arts*
- Catalog Cover
- 1994 *Asian World of Martial Arts Inc.*
- Catalog Cover, Direct Mail Piece & Promotional Give Aways
- 1993 *Asian World of Martial Arts Inc.*
- Catalog Cover

Publication Feature Covers

- 2002 August Black Belt Magazine
- 1998 June Karate Kung-fu Illustrated
- 1998 November Black Belt Magazine
- 1997 March El Mundo de les Artes Marciales (Venezuela)
- MA Training
- 1997 March Karate International
- 1996 October Karate International
- 1995 January Sport Karate News
- 1995 July Sport Karate News
- 1994 August Black Belt Magazine for Kids
- 1994 December Karate Kung-fu Illustrated
- 1993 April Sport Karate News
- 1993 June MA Training
- 1993 October MA Training
- 1993 November SMASH Magazine
- 1988 August

Sponsorships

1986 - 1996

- John Paul Mitchell Systems • Century Martial Arts
- Macho Martial Arts • Crossnet Technologies
- Asian World of Martial Arts

Instructional Training Videos

The Chinese Art of Stretching, Black Belt Magazine
Champion Training Tips, Black Belt Magazine
Dynamic Wushu Training, Century Martial Arts
Monkey Stick, Century Martial Arts
Broadsword, Century Martial Arts

Vitals

- Began Martial Arts: 1976
- Style: Wushu/Kung Fu
- Height: 5' 6"
- Weight: 145 lbs.
- Eye Color: Green
- Hair Color: Brown

Richard Branden

796A San Antonio Road, Palo Alto, CA 94303

info@studiokickspaloalto.com

mobile 408 • 656 • 9050

studio 650 • 855 • 9868

Film,TV & Motion Picture Capture Credits

Film

- 1999 *Warriors of Virtue trailer (produced by Law Brothers)*
- Feature Cast as "Chi"
- 1992 *Mortal Kombat (produced by New Line Cinema)*
- Outworld Warrior

TV

- 2003 *Jay Chou, Double Blade music video (directed by Alexi Tan)*
- Feature Stunt Lead
- 1999 *Fox TV, Mortal Kombat Krusades (produced by New Line Cinema)*
- Feature Warrior in "Undying Dream" episode
- 1998 *Fox TV, WMAC Masters (produced by 4Kids Productions)*
- Feature Cast as Yin-Yang Man
- 1996 *Future Fighters (Pay-Per-View)*
- Daddy Rich
- 1994 *Fox TV, Mighty Morphin Power Rangers (produced by Saban Entertainment)*
- Original Cast Martial Arts Double

Motion Picture Capture

- 1997 *Reebok Shoe Advertisement for Sean Kemp, Seattle Supersonics (produced by Polymar Pictures)*
- Featured Alien
- 1996 *Universal Studios Marvel Theme Park (produced by Cleiser-Walczak Digital Visual Effects)*
- Spider Man

Martial Arts Choreography

- *Double Blade (directed by Alexi Tan), assistant stunt choreographer*
- *Fox TV, Mighty Morphin Power Rangers (produced by Saban Entertainment)*
- *Warriors of Virtue trailer (produced by Law Brothers)*
- *Fox TV, WMAC Masters (produced by 4Kids Productions)*
- *Tracy Z (produced LA Productions)*
- *Mortal Kombat, commercial for toy line*

Special Awards & Feature Appearances

- 1999 The S.G.M.A. Super Show, Atlanta: Feature Guest Performer
- 1998 Jamaica Championships: Feature Guest Performer
- 1998 Guatemala Championships: Feature Guest Performer
- 1998 The Magic Show, Las Vegas: Feature Guest Performer
- 1997 Venezuela Championships: Feature Guest Performer
- 1995 Kentucky Blue Grass Nationals: Golden Eagle Award
- 1995 Grand Caymen Islands Championships: Feature Guest Performer
- 1993 NASKA: Competitor of the Year Award
- 1993 NASKA: Sportsman of the Year Award
- 1993 John Paul Mitchell Systems Conference: Feature Guest Performer
- 1993 Men's Fitness Magazine: Feature Story, December issue
- 1992 4th Annual Arnold Schwarzenegger Body Building Classic: Feature Guest Appearance
- 1992 NASKA: Overall Weapons Grand Champion
- 1991 On-site Entertainer & Trainer for U.S. troops in Gulf War, Kuwait
- 1983 The Opera Company of Boston, "Turandot": Weapons Cast Member

