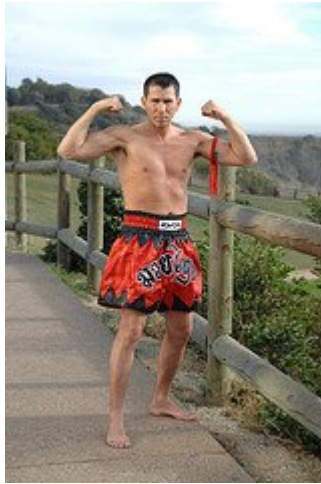
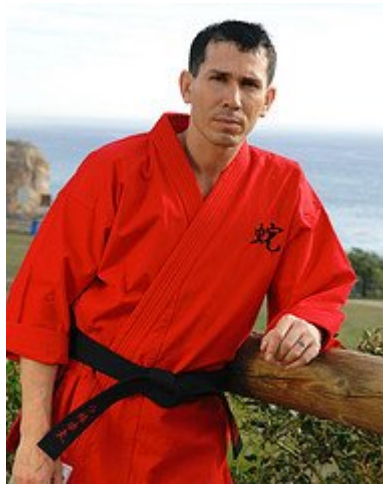
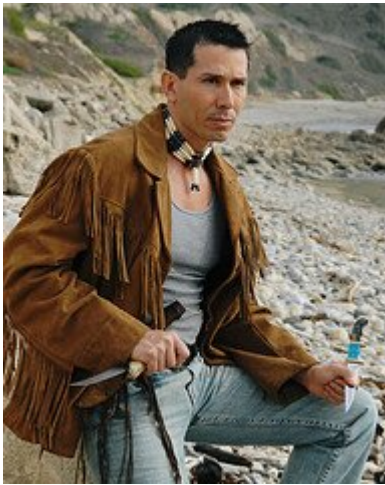


SNAKE BLOCKER - Master Instructor



Blocker Academy of Martial Arts - Chief Instructor/Founder
1995-present



Snake Blocker teaching in Oregon (top left) & Colorado (top right) Snake in Southern Thailand (bottom)

United States Muay Thai Association (USMTA) Honor Award Badge & Certificate (3rd person to ever receive this high honor)
received from Clint Heyliger - USMTA President

Native American League (NAL) [Muay Thai] USA & International Representative & Certificate of Appreciation nominated/received from Kru Ric "Rama Lek Suea" - NAL Director and Clint Heyliger - United States Muay Thai Association (USMTA) President

Inducted into the Hall Da Fama Brasileiro (Brazilian Hall of Fame) - Confederacao Brasileira De Kickboxing Tradicional CBKBT Go USA/Brazil
nominated by Grandmaster Carlos Silva, CBKBT CEO

Blocker Savate Club (BSC) - President/Founder
1999-present

BSC is recognized by USA Savate - Larado, Texas, USA Savate Association & California Savate Association - Los Angeles, California, & Savate Federation Champions and Members in France

Global Knife Fighting & affiliated arts - Chief Operations Officer/Co-Founder
2006-present (see [link])

Universal Balisong Society - Vice President
1998-2004
nominated/received by Sensai John "Blade-Master" McCurry

International Combatives Self Defense Association - Colorado State Representative 2007-present
nominated/received by the ICSDA Board Members



American's Cage Team (A.C.T. Pro Cage Team) - Associate fighter 2008



Snake Blocker teaching MCQC in Oregon (top left) & Muay Thai in Colorado (top right).
Snake Blocker at fight in El Monte, CA (left) & Snake (blue sweats) at Savate Bout in Newport Beach, CA (right) -
bottom photo

Instructorship Rankings (no belts in some of these systems):

Confederacao Brasileira De Kickboxing Tradicional Brazil Master's Council (CBKBT) - Diploma recognition as Kru Suuan in Muay Thai (Master Instructor) #CBKBT-852-USA/BRAZIL
received from Grandmaster Carlos Silva, CBKBT CEO

Certified Level 10/Red Armband Instructor - Muay Thai/Thai Kickboxing
received from Professor Freidun 'Iceman' Younossi, 11x Western Kickboxing World Champion

Certified Initiateur - Savate/Boxe Francaise
received from Professeur Nicolas Saignac, Savate French Champion

Certified Coach - Savate/Boxe Francaise
received from Professeur Paul Bruitron III, Former USA Savate President
received the nickname (fighting name): "Mamba" from Professeur Paul Bruitron III also

Certified Official - Savate/Boxe Francaise
received from Professeur Paul Bruitron III, Former USA Savate President

Certified Instructor/Judan/Dark Red Hachimaki - Shinto-Ryu Kenjutsu
received from Sensai Frediun 'Iceman' Younossi, 9th Degree Black Belt Shao-Do-Kahn & Weapon's Instructor

Certified Phase 1 Instructor - Progressive Fighting Systems (PFS) Jeet Kune Do & Filipino Martial Arts
received from Guru Paul Vunak, PFS President

Certified Instructor - Progressive Fighting Systems Knife Fighting
received from Guru Paul Vunak, PFS President

Certified Phase 4 Advance/Instructor - Dark Gift Jeet Kune Do (DGJKD)
received from Sifu Eric Bentzen, DGJKD President

Certified Basic Instructor - Japanese Shooto/Shootboxing
received from Sensai Mike Omerbegovich, California Chapter President (Sam Murature Shooto/Shootboxing)

Certified Junior Instructor - Shoot-Fighting (Bart Vale's ISFA)
received from Sensai Mike Omerbegovich & Sensai Bart Vale, Shoot Fighting World Champion/ISFA President

Certified Close Quarters Combatives Group (CQCG) Instructorship Level - Military Recognition, Security
Recognition, Martial Arts Black Belt Recognition, & Civilian Special Recognition - Level 6 SDMS; Level 6
Gun/Counter Gun; Level 10 Knife/Counter Knife; Level 10 Archipelago Combatives; & Level 11 Unarmed
Combatives
received from Guru W. Hock Hochheim, SFC President

Certified Knife Master Level 10 (Instructor) - Knife/Counter Knife Combatives (Military/Street Knife
Fighting/Knife Combatives)
Scientific Fighting Congress
received from Guru W. Hock Hochheim, SFC President

Certified Level 1 Instructor - Kajukenbo Combatives
received from Sensai Dean Goldade, 4th Degree Black Belt Kajukembo

Certified Basic Instructor - Apache Knife Survival/Fighter
received the rank and the Apache fighting name, "Kicking Dog," from Robert Redfeather, Ghost Dog Apache Knife
founder, Mescalero Apache

Snake Blocker works on Apache Tactics along with Alan "Colorado Warrior" Tafoya, Jicarilla Apache, 2x Soldier of
Fortune Knife Fighting Champion, & descendant of Apache Chief Magnus Colorado.
Snake Blocker is a Lipan Apache tribal member (tribal member #1229). Snake has studied the Apache history from
various Apache bands/sub-bands (clans) elders and members.

Certified Basic Instructor - Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu
received from Sensai Mike Omerbegovich, Carlson Gracie Jr. & Rodrigo Medeiros Representative

Certified Blue Belt Basic Instructor - Brazilian Jiu-jitsu
received rank and the fighting name, "Stranger [to pain]," from Wander Braga, Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu World Champion



Snake Blocker (left) at professional fight in Mexico, Painting of Snake (above-center) was painted by David Fairrington, Vietnam combat artist & Veteran whose work is displayed at museums in Washington DC. Mr. Fairrington is an internationally known artist. He's painted Hollywood movie posters, celebrities, and Native American art. Snake (right photo) at promotional photo shoot

Black Belts/Sashes (Instructor Certifications):

8th Degree Black Belt - Balisong Knife Fighting
 received from Guru John 'Blade-Master' McCurry, 10th
 Degree Black Belt Balisong Knife Fighting
 recognized/received from Martial Arts Master's World Federation

4th Degree Black Belt/Sash - Modern Sil Lum Gung Fu
 received from Sifu Frediun 'Iceman' Younossi, 8th Degree Black Belt Black Belt Sil Lum Gung Fu

4th Degree Black Belt Researcher - Martial Arts Research Society (MARS) for Gung Fu
 received from Sifu John 'Blade-Master' McCurry, MARS President

Certified Level 11 - 2nd Degree Black Belt - American Combat Kempo Karate-Jiu-Jitsu
 Certified Level 11 - 2nd Degree Black Belt - Hand to Hand Combat/Unarmed Combatives
 Scientific Fighting Congress (SFC)
 received from Guru W. Hock Hochheim, SFC President

2nd Degree Black Belt - Tae Kwon Do
 received from Sa Bum Nim David Contreras, 5th Degree Black Belt Tae Kwon Do

1st Degree Black Belt - Archipelago Stick/Knife Fighting
 1st Degree Black Belt - Guro W. Hock Hochheim's Filipino Combatives
 Scientific Fighting Congress (SFC)
 received from Guru W. Hock Hochheim, SFC President



Snake Blocker in Kuwait 2004 Operation Iraqi Freedom



Snake Blocker on his tours to Thailand

Other Rankings:

Yellow Glove Level 5 - Savate/Boxe Francaise
received from Professeur Nicolas Saignac, Savate French Champion

White Glove Level 4 - Savate/Boxe Francaise
received from Professeur Justou Laurent, Savate French Champion

Brown Belt - Japanese Shooto/Shootboxing
received from Sensai Mike Omerbegovic, California Chapter President (Sam Murature Shooto/Shootboxing)

Purple Belt - Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu
received from Sensai Mike Omerbegovich, Carlson Gracie Jr. & Rodrigo Medeiros Representative

Blue Belt 2 Stripes - Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu
received from Sensai Wander Braga, Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu World Champion, 5x Vale Tudo World Champion

Blue Belt - Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu
received from Rodrigo Medeiros, Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu World Champion

Advanced White Belt - Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu
received from Fabiano Ihn, NHB World Champion, Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu World Champion

Intermediate White Belt - Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu
received from Royce Gracie, 3x Ultimate Fighting Champion, Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu World Champion

White Belt 3 Stripes - Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu
received from Roger Machado, Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu World Champion

United States Army Combatives School 82nd Airborne Division Modern Army Combatives Level II [of IV]
received from Sgt Joshua S. Winter, Sgt Samuel P. Vanderslice, & LTC Craig J. Alia

Blue Belt Level 5 - Kajukenbo Combatives
received from Sensai Dean Goldade, 4th Degree Black Belt Kajukenbo

Yellow Belt - Judo
received from Sensai Rod Kei, 3rd Degree Black Belt Judo, Metro Judo Champion, 3x Western Kickboxing World Champion, Savate World Champion

Level 2 - Belardiri Silat Combatives
received from Guru Errol Deppe, Belardiri Silat Master Level 10

Level 6 - Gun Counter/Gun Combatives, Scientific Fighting Congress (SFC)
received from Guru W. Hock Hochheim, SFC President

Level 6 - Solo/Double Mano System (S.D.M.S.- Solo/Double-Handed Stick/Crane/Baton/Long Gun Striking, Blocking, and Grappling System)
received from Guru W. Hock Hochheim, SFC President

Colorado Firearm Safety Certificate
received from Kevin Polk, Coloardo Firearm Safety, Inc President

Nunchaku Course Completion Patch
received from Master Randy Chambliss, 6th Degree Black Belt Tae Kwon Do/USTU Certified Coach

Archery
Trained for 1 year under John Stevens - 1984 Los Angeles U.S.A. Olympics Team.

Fencing

Trained for 1 year under Vadim Diambekov - Former Member Soviet National Epee Fencing Olympics Team.

Gymnastics

Trained for 2 years under Tara Brady (Boston Gymnastics Champion) & Jessica Burt (California Gymnastics Champion)

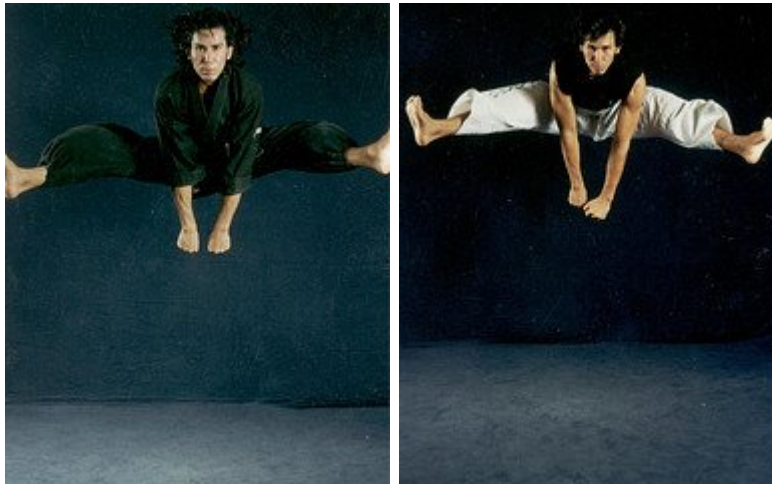


Other Instructors Snake Blocker briefly trained with at seminars, private training or group class:

Salem Assli, California Savate Association President, Jeet Kune Do Instructor under Sifu Dan Inosanto
Patrick Auge, Aikido Instructor
Gilles le Dui Gou, Savate Fighter/Professor
Andre 'Big Blue' Grimes, Savate French Champion
Ernie Emerson, Emerson Knives/Emerson Combat Systems President
Jim McCann, Multi Black Belts & "Ground & Pound" Instructor
Ralf Pena, 3rd Degree Black Belt - Tae Kwon Do Instructor
Yorinaga Nakamura, Shoot Fighting World Champion, Jeet Kune Do Instructor under Sifu Dan Inosanto
Ron Robles, Jeet Kune Do Instructor under Sifu Dan Inosanto
Steve Rodarte, Karate World Champion & Kickboxing World Champion
A.J. (AKA: Taz), Nunchaku Expert
Lorenzo Rodriques, Kickboxing World Champion
Daniel Sullivan, Certified Jeet Kune Do Instructor under Sifu Dan Inosanto

Honors/Awards:

(Refer to the 'Fight Club' menu/page (left side) on this website for fight record credentials)



Snake Blocker clearing several feet from a stationary position to a jumping kick (1999 & 2000)
Snake judging a Karate Tournament, Inland Empire, CA (left bottom) & Snake's Professional Fighter Promotion
(right bottom)

Former Top Rated Fighter's List (jr. welter weight division)
rated by International Kickboxing Association 1998-2000

Former Professional World Champion Title Belt - Muay Thai/Thai Kickboxing (jr. welter weight)
received from the International Muay Thai Society (IMTS)

Former Professional Western Champion Title Belt (Mexico vs. USA welter weight - Western Kickboxing)
received from International Kickboxing [Mexico] Association

Who's Who in Martial Arts - Inductee (1999)

Martial Arts Hall of Fame - Nominee (2001-2002)

#1 Rated Professional Xtreme Karate Contender for California (jr. welter weight, 1997-2002)
received from the World Karate Organization (WKO)

#1 Rated Professional Grappler Contender for California (jr. welter weight, 2001-2002)
received from the World Karate Organization (WKO)

3rd Place World Cup Nationals - Karate (Black Belt Sparring Division Las Vegas, NV)

2nd Place Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu - Cleber Gracie Tournament (Blue Belt Division)
received from Cleber Gracie, Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu World Champion

51 Total Awards in various martial arts (amateur and professional)



Top photo: Snake Blocker (left/kicking) at Pro Kickboxing fight in Mexico (1997/98).
Bottom photos: Snake Blocker & student, Sheri Howe, after victory at Westminster Kickboxing Bout (Amateur Fight 1995)

Snake Blocker has trained and/or taught classes/seminars at the following studios:

- Academy of Martial Arts, CA
- Advantage Martial Arts, CO
- American Karate Center, CA
- Bianzhu Kilos Martial Arts Academy, CA
- Black Dawn Academy of Martial Arts, OR
- Boxing Works, CA
- Broadway Boxing Gym, CA
- Carrollton Academy of Martial Arts, TX
- CMS Martial Arts Center, CA
- Champion Sportsplex, CA
- Ch'ng Mo/Fluid Art Champion Kickboxing Center, CA
- Easton Jiu-Jitsu Academy, CO
- El Monte Kickboxing Gym, CA
- Gracie Jiu-Jitsu Academy, CA
- Inosanto Academy of Martial Arts, CA
- International Yoseikan Budo Federation, CA
- Joe Moreano's Brazilian Jiu-Jitsu, CA
- Koinawa Tae Kwon Do, CA
- L.A. Boxing, CO
- M-Tak Academy, KY
- Mixed Martial Arts Free-Style Academy, CA
- Perth Amboy's Finest, NJ
- Rey Diago's Jiu-Jitsu Academy, CA
- Rocky Mountain Combat Sports Club, CO

Rolling Hills Athletic Club, CA
 Roger Machado Jiu-Jitsu, CA
 Sacramento Close Quarter Combat, CA
 Texas Guild Danse De Rue Savate Salle, TX
 Wander Braga Jiu-Jitsu, CA
 World's Best Tae Kwon Do Center, CA
 Ishkoteen Judicial Complex/Jicarilla Apache Reservation, NM
 UFC/MMA Training Academy, NM

Snake Blocker has been featured in the following publications and media for his interviews, articles, ads, and/or fights:



Snake Blocker featured in Tae Kwon Do Times



Inside Kung Fu (magazine 2000)

Palos Verdes Peninsula News (newspaper 1998, 1999)

International Combatives Self Defense Association (online magazine)

International Guild of Danse de Rue Savate (sm), Inc (online newsletter & website)

Tae Kwon Do Times (magazine)

Tokyo Pop (online magazine)

A.M.A. News (newsletter)

BAMA News (newsletter)

COX Cable (cable/tv-Karate Sculpt Interview 1997)

Dish on Demand (pay-per-view)

Savate FrenchBoxing Newsletter

NAVELSF Newsletter Camp Duke Newsletter

Hoch Hochheim's Close Quarter Combat (CQC) Magazine

The Congressional Edge (Hand, Stick, Knife, Gun Combatives) Magazine

U.S. Army Cable Spotlight (JAN 2006, cable/tv-MCQC Interview)

SFC State of the Union Report (newsletter)

Stars & Stripes (newspaper 2005)

Desert Voice (magazine 2005)

World Karate Organization (WKO) Report

Channel 64 Guam (cable/TV 2006)

Combat Camera NEWS (2006, Virginia) (cable/tv)
Local Virginia NEWS (TV 2007)
Army Times (newspaper May 2009)
Navy Times (newspaper May 2009)
Deadliest Warrior -episode #1 Apache versus Gladiator, SPIKE TV (TV show 2009, 2010)
Mahalo Daily - NEWS on Deadliest Warrior (TV 2009)
TV Guide Hollywood 411 - NEWS on Deadliest Warrior (TV 2009)
American Forces Network (AFN) Radio Afghanistan (2009, 2010)
American Forces Network (AFN) Television (2009, 2010)
Muay Thaimex Magazine (2007, 2008, 2009, 2010 issues)

30 January 2010, Guro Mike Schwarz interviewed Snake Blocker for the online show, FMA/Silat [FMA = Filipino Martial Arts]. The show is sponsored by WSEF/MAI and Malayan War College. This interview is posted at:
<http://www.defensivecombat.com/DCMEDIA.html>

2001-2002 Nationwide Register's Who Who in Executives & Businesses, West Islip, New York

Presidential Sports Award - Tae Kwon Do received from President Bill Clinton

Creator of "Karate Sculpt" [Aerobics] in 1991 taught at over 20 health clubs

