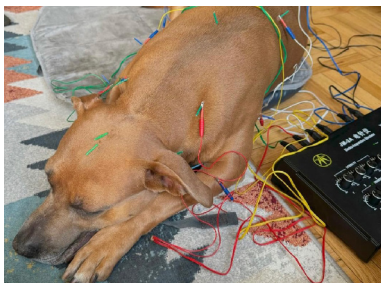




CERTIFIED VETERINARY SMALL ANIMAL  
**ACUPUNCTURIST**  
(CVA) PROGRAM in PHILIPPINES with 138 EDUCATION HOURS



DRY NEEDLING



ELECTRO-ACUPUNCTURE



MOXIBUSTION



AQUA-ACUPUNCTURE

32 Hours Hands-on Acupoint Labs + 12 Hours On-site Tutoring and Real Case Demos  
94 Hours Online Lectures and Lab Demos  
Complimentary 32-hour Evidence-based Veterinary Acupuncture Course



LEARN FROM WORLD-RENOWNED EDUCATORS AND  
PRACTITIONERS IN VETERINARY ACUPUNCTURE

Learn from instructors with over 80 years combined experience practicing and teaching veterinary acupuncture and Traditional Chinese Veterinary Medicine (TCVM), including world-renowned speakers Drs. Huisheng Xie, President and Founder of Chi University, and Dr. Jessica Janmarie M. Ledesma, Director of Chi Philippines.

THE BENEFITS OF HANDS-ON EXPERIENCE PLUS THE CONVENIENCE OF ONLINE  
LEARNING

Chi's hybrid learning system incorporates hands-on experience through small on-site acupoint labs, real acupuncture case demos, and case presentations. In Chi's state-of-the-art online learning portal, knowledge is gained through virtual lectures & demos you can stream at your convenience.

JOIN THE CHI FAMILY, GET LIFE-LONG SUPPORT

More than 11,000 veterinarians from over 80 countries have completed courses at Chi since its founding in 1998. This community of (TCVM) practitioners share knowledge & support at the annual international conference and through Chi's online forums. All Chi graduates receive free lifetime case consultation from Chi faculty.

LEARN FROM THE MASTER OF  
VETERINARY ACUPUNCTURE



1 To 6 INSTRUCTOR-TO-STUDENT  
RATIO: INTENSIVE HANDS-ON



ONE MORE TOOL FOR YOUR TOOLBOX  
ONE MORE OPTION FOR YOUR PATIENTS



ELIGIBLE FOR 25% OF FUTURE  
MASTER'S DEGREE CREDIT



## LEARN FROM THE BEST

Chi's faculty is comprised of practicing clinicians who actively treat patients using the same modalities they teach. Learn more about your CVA instructors and register to become a Certified Veterinary Acupuncturist at [chiu.edu/courses/ACUP100\\_PHL\\_EN](http://chiu.edu/courses/ACUP100_PHL_EN).

### Dr. Huisheng Xie DVM, PhD

Founder and President of Chi University

Dr. Xie has 42 years of clinical, teaching, and research experience in veterinary acupuncture and TCVM. He has trained over 11,000 veterinarians to practice TCVM worldwide. Dr. Xie's education includes advanced training in veterinary medicine, veterinary acupuncture, and human acupuncture. Dr. Xie has authored 20 books and over 100 peer-reviewed papers. His textbooks, including *Xie's Veterinary Herbology*, *Xie's Veterinary Acupuncture*, and *Traditional Chinese Veterinary Medicine-Fundamental Principles*, have been used for TCVM training programs around the world. Dr. Xie continues to teach and develop educational courses and programs at Chi University, serves as a full clinical professor at the University of Florida's College of Veterinary Medicine, and is an honorary professor at China Agricultural University, South China Agricultural University, and China Southwest University.



### Dr. Jessica Janmarie M. Ledesma

DVM, CVA

Dr. Jessica Janmarie M. Ledesma is a veterinarian passionate about holistic animal care. She graduated from De La Salle Araneta University in 2019 with a Doctor of Veterinary Medicine (DVM) degree. After three years of practicing small animal medicine, Dr. Jessica opened AcuVet Animal Wellness Center in June 2022, where she promotes animal acupuncture. In 2021, Dr. Jessica discovered the benefits of animal acupuncture and pursued further education in Traditional Chinese Veterinary Medicine (TCVM) at Chi University, Malaysia, completing the course in 2022. To deepen her knowledge, she took an advanced acupuncture class in 2023. Dr. Jessica is dedicated to providing comprehensive and compassionate care to animals, integrating traditional veterinary medicine with holistic approaches.



### Dr. Chee May Wong

DVM, CVA, CVCH, CVFT, CVTP, CTCVMP, MSTCVMP, MS (Emergency and Neurology), Assistant Professor of Chi University

Dr. Chee May Wong graduated with a DVM from University Putra Malaysia (UPM) in 2003 and has practiced in small animal medicine and emergency practice for twenty years and established her own private clinics in Kuala Lumpur and Selangor. In 2013, Dr. Wong began pursuing an education in TCVM at the Chi Institute (now Chi University) and earned a Certified Veterinary Acupuncturist (CVA, 2013), Certified Veterinary Chinese Herbalist (CVCH, 2017), Certified Veterinary *Tui-na* Practitioner (CVTP, 2017), Certified Veterinary Food Therapist (CVFT, 2017) with Dean's List recognition, Certified Traditional Chinese Veterinary Medicine Practitioner (CTCVMP, 2018) and Master of Traditional Chinese Veterinary Medicine (MS-TCVM, 2019). Dr. Wong is the Director of Chi Malaysia, tutor, lab instructor (TA), Acupoints examiner and also part of elected WATCVM BOD and APATCVM BOD. She has published and presented her case & research studies including "Integrative Medical Approach to Anaplasmosis in a Dog", "TCVM Approach to Acute Pelvic Limb Paralysis in a Dog," "The Effectiveness of Integrating *Gui Pi Tang* with Conventional Medicines in the Treatment of Thrombocytopenia in Dogs: A Retrospective Study," and "Integrative mSAP for Arthritis and other Geriatric/Pediatric Conditions in Dogs and Cats etc. Her mission is to save more lives, especially in emergency critical care cases with the latest integrative medical approach by applying Traditional Chinese veterinary medicine treatment regime.



Chi's faculty expertly guide you through the learning process during the course and provide free lifetime email case consultation after you graduate.



## CVA PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The course begins with an overview of fundamental aspects of Chinese Medicine, including *Yin-Yang* and Five Elements theory, which serve as a foundation for case diagnoses and treatment presented later in the class. A variety of acupuncture techniques are taught, including electro-acupuncture, aqua-acupuncture, moxibustion, etc. in addition to conventional "dry" needling. In acupoint labs, students learn acupuncture points on live dogs.

### LEARN MORE & REGISTER!

[chiu.edu/courses/ACUP100\\_PHL\\_EN](http://chiu.edu/courses/ACUP100_PHL_EN)

Chi's hands-on acupoint labs and low student-to-instructor ratio ensure you gain the confidence to start practicing acupuncture after the first on-site session.

**Class is for an intensive & intimate learning experience.**

#### Session 1 - Online Segment

##### 21 Online Lectures

Introduction to the Program and History Veterinary Acupuncture  
What is Acupuncture  
Veterinary Acupuncture: Scientific Basis  
Basic TCVM Theories - *Yin Yang*  
Eight Principles and *Bian Zheng*  
Five Elements  
*Zang-Fu* Physiology  
Channels and Meridians  
Top 10 Canine Acupoints and Clinical Applications  
General Rules of Acupuncture  
Indications for Veterinary Acupuncture  
How to Start Your Acupuncture Practice  
Where Do I Start the Acupuncture Practice  
SA Anatomy for Acupuncturists

#### Session 2 - Online Segment

##### 16 Online Lectures

Five Elements and *Zang-Fu* Physiology  
TCVM Diagnosis Intro  
Five-*Shu* Transporting Points  
Other Special Points and Clinical Applications  
How to Treat Canine Diseases-Demo

How to Treat Gastrointestinal Disorders  
How to Treat Respiratory Disorders  
How to Treat *Bi/Wei* Syndromes, Osteoarthritis and IVDD  
Canine Acupuncture Cases-Demo  
Canine Point Lab  
Tutoring, Real Case Demo, and Question & Answer

#### Session 2 - On-site Segment

##### DAY 1

AM	Introduction and Welcome
	Lunch
PM	Canine Acupoint Lab

##### DAY 2

AM	Canine Acupoint Lab
	Lunch
PM	Canine Acupoint Lab

#### Session 3 - Online Segment

##### 23 Online Lectures

Five Treasure: *Qi*, Blood, *Shen*, *Jing*, Body Fluid Physiology and Pathology  
TCVM Diagnosis  
Eight Extraordinary Channels  
Etiology and Pathology  
How to Select Acupoints  
How to Make a TCVM Diagnosis (Dry Lab)  
Acupuncture for Neurological Disorders  
How to Approach Clinical Cases  
How to Improve Acupuncture Results

The course is presented in 2 online sessions and 3 hybrid sessions. Each hybrid session includes two segments: online & on-site. Online segments are comprised of lectures and case demos that students can stream at their own convenience. On-site segments give students the opportunity to learn acupuncture points on live animals in small acupoint lab groups of four to six students per instructor. The on-site segment of this course is located in Manila, Philippines.



#### Session 4 - Online Segment

##### 19 Online Lectures

Bubble Chart Review  
A Quick Review from Sessions 1 to 3  
How to Treat Renal Failure  
How to Treat Heart Failure  
How to Treat Behavioral Problems  
Herbal Introduction  
Acupuncture for the Liver  
How to Treat Skin Problems  
Acupuncture for Cancer  
Feline Acupuncture  
Case Studies from Students  
Avian Acupuncture  
Exotic Animal Acupuncture  
Tutoring, Real Case Demo, and Question & Answer  
Canine Point Lab

#### Session 4 - On-site Segment

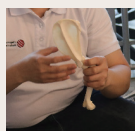
##### DAY 1

AM	Tutoring for Online Lectures
	Lunch
PM	Canine Acupoint Lab

##### DAY 2

AM	Tutoring for Online Lectures
	Lunch
PM	Canine Acupoint Lab

## TUITION INCLUDES:



Complimentary 'Evidence-based Veterinary Acupuncture' Online Course including 32 AAVSB RACE-approved CEs (\$900 Value)



1 Year World Association of Traditional Chinese Veterinary Medicine Membership and Benefits (\$85 Value). This program is accredited by the WATCVM



Complimentary Canine Acupuncture Charts and Client FAQ Brochures (up to \$160 Value)



This course is taught in English.



ON-SITE PORTION LOCATION:  
MANILA, PHILIPPINES

## Session 5 - Online Segment

### 15 Online Lectures

A Quick Review from Sessions 1 to 4  
Acupuncture for Endocrine Disorder  
Acupuncture for Immune-mediated Diseases  
Clinical Applications of TCVM  
Food Therapy Intro  
Introduction to *Tui-na*  
Liver Physiology and Pathology  
Lung Physiology and Pathology  
Spleen Physiology and Pathology  
Heart Physiology and Pathology  
Kidney Physiology and Pathology  
TCVM Overview  
How to Sell TCVM  
Canine Point Lab  
Tutoring, Real Case Demo, and Question and Answer

## Session 5 - On-site Segment

### DAY 1

AM Tutoring for Online Lectures Sessions 1-5  
Canine Acupoint Lab  
Lunch  
PM Canine Acupoint Lab

### DAY 2

AM Canine Acupoint Lab  
Lunch  
PM Canine Acupoint Exam

### DAY 3

AM Written Exam



## GOALS FOR STUDENT AFTER EACH ON-SITE PORTION:

Session 2 - Practice acupuncture on patients  
Session 4 - Practice acupuncture more efficiently  
Session 5 - Integrate acupuncture in daily practice



For information regarding location & on-site accommodations, please contact Dr. Jessica Janmarie by email at [Philippines@chiu.edu](mailto:Philippines@chiu.edu).

LEARN MORE  
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Chi University's Main Academic Building in Reddick, FL, USA

## CHI UNIVERSITY: THE WORLD'S LEADING POST-GRADUATE EDUCATION CENTER FOR TRADITIONAL CHINESE & INTEGRATIVE VETERINARY MEDICINE

Chi University (previously the Chi Institute) was established by Dr. Huisheng Xie in 1998. It is dedicated to providing the highest quality AAVSB RACE-approved\* continuing education courses and academic programs in veterinary acupuncture, Traditional Chinese Veterinary Medicine (TCVM) and Integrative Veterinary Medicine (IVM) exclusively to veterinarians and veterinary students.

Chi University offers the only licensed and accredited Master's Degree Program in TCVM in the U.S. This comprehensive program provides in-depth knowledge of the fundamental principles of TCVM, acupuncture points and techniques, Chinese herbal materia medica and formulations, food therapy, and *Tui-na* (Chinese medical manipulation) as well as the only Master's Degree Programs in IVM in the World. Chi University has been accredited by the Distance Education Accrediting Commission (DEAC) that is recognized by the

US Department of Education and Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA) since 2019.

With a state-of-the-art 90-acre main campus in Reddick, Florida USA, and international courses based in Australia, China, Costa Rica, Peru, Romania, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Taiwan, Thailand and the United Kingdom, Chi University has proudly graduated more than 11,000 veterinarians from over 80 countries and regions.

**Learn more & register at [chiu.edu](http://chiu.edu)**

