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# SUMMIT 2024

WITH SPECIAL GUEST  
**SHIHAN GREG REID**  
8TH DAN

TECHNICAL DIRECTOR, WKC  
CINKA SECRETARY

LIMITED SPACE  
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RSVP/ REGISTER BY APRIL 30, 2024  
@ [WWW.WADO.CA/SUMMIT2024](http://WWW.WADO.CA/SUMMIT2024)

## AUGUST 2-5, 2024

ADMISSION MEMBERS: DONATION  
NON-MEMBERS : \$100 /DAY

LOCATION:  
SENIOR ACTIVITY CENTRE  
1767 ISLAND HIGHWAY, COLWOOD, BC



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### Wado Canada Global Summit 2024 - Information Bulletin for Participants

Dear Wado Canada Members,

We are delighted to welcome you to the Wado Canada Global Summit 2024, promising an unforgettable weekend of karate seminars with Shihan Greg Reid and an array of social events. Below is a bulletin with the event details.

**Location:** Victoria, British Columbia, Canada

**Registration:** All participants must register at [www.wado.ca/summit2024](http://www.wado.ca/summit2024) by May 1

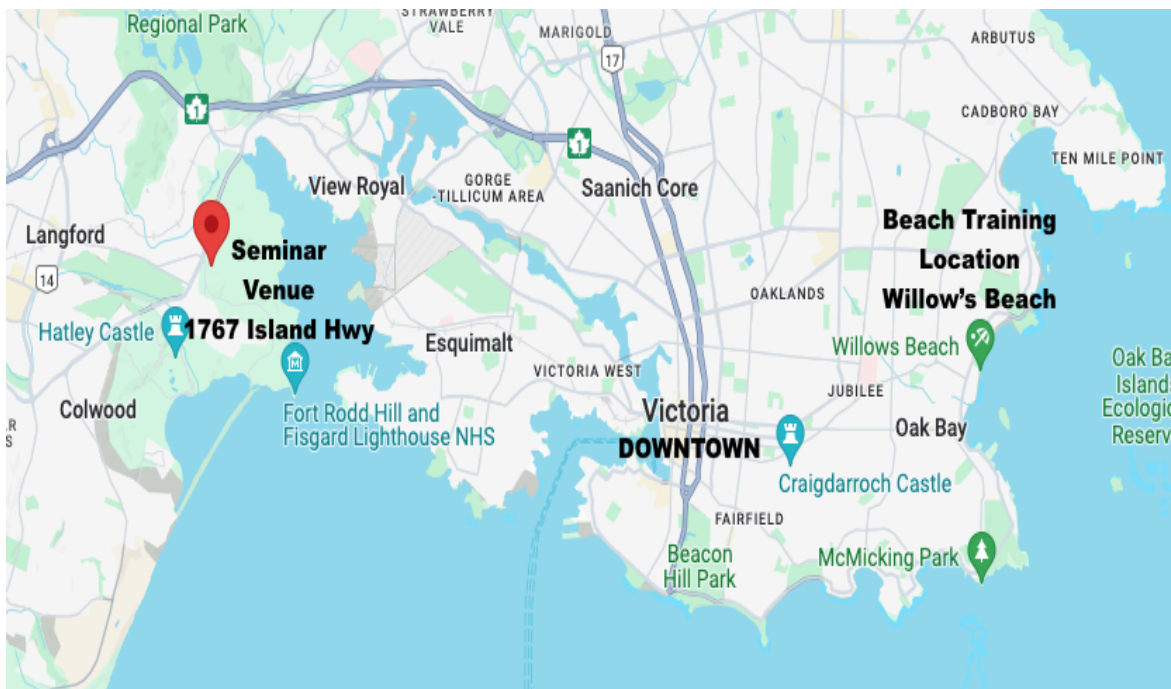
**Communication:** Communicate with seminar participants & hosts! Join our WhatsApp group chat: <https://chat.whatsapp.com/GLUTloJGzNr3X83c4wZhOd>

#### Venues:

**Seminars:** Westshore Seniors Activity Centre, [1767 Island Highway, Colwood, BC.](#)  
(Click link to open Google Maps for directions)

**Beach Training:** [Willows Beach, Oak Bay, Victoria](#) (Click link for map to location)

**Social Gatherings:** To be communicated (be sure to join WhatsApp group ↑).



Map of Greater Victoria and Summit locations.



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### Event Itinerary:

#### Friday, August 2nd

- Kick-off Social: *Location and time to be communicated.*

#### Saturday, August 3rd

- 9 am: Dojo Set up
- 10 am - 12:00 pm: Seminar 1
- 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm: Lunch
- 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm: Seminar 2
- 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm: Break
- 3:30 pm - 5:00 pm: Seminar 3
- Whole Group Dinner/Social: *Location and time to be communicated.*

#### Sunday, August 4th

- 9 am - 11 am: Seminar 4
- 11 am - 11:30 am: Break
- 11:30 am - 1 pm: Seminar 5
- 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm: Lunch
- 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm: Seminar 6
- 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm: Wrap up/Dojo Clean up
- Board of Directors Dinner: *Location and time to be communicated.*

#### Monday, August 5th

- 9:00 am - 10:30 am: Beach/Park Training - [Willows Beach, Oak Bay, Victoria](#) (Click link for map to location)
- 11 am - 1 pm: Picnic Lunch



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### Equipment Guidelines:

1. **Uniforms:**
  - o Please bring a "good" karate do-gi for the seminars.
  - o It is recommended to bring an "old" do-gi for beach training on Monday.
2. **Traditional Kobudo Weaponry:**
  - o If you have the ability to travel with traditional kobudo weaponry, kindly bring a shindo stick (other weapons are optional).
  - o For those unable to travel with sticks, Wado Canada will have a supply available for use during the relevant sessions.
3. **Kumite/Sparring Gear:**
  - o If you own kumite/sparring gear, including mitts and foot pads, please bring them for any sessions that may involve sparring.

**Accommodation:** Limited billeting is available with local students in Victoria. If you indicate that you require billeting on your [Registration Form](#), we will send you additional details on the billeting options.

We recommend the following hotel(s):

- Royal Roads University - Dormitories/On-Campus Housing
  - o 2005 Sooke Road, Victoria, BC Canada V9B 5Y2 | [royalroads.ca](http://royalroads.ca) (3 minutes by car to seminar venue, 19 minutes to downtown Victoria)
  - o Details: Ensuite rooms with private bathroom and queen bed, are \$140 per night plus tax (\$158.20), these can be single or double occupancy; Dorm rooms are single occupancy with a shared bathroom and common lounge/kitchen, at \$60 per night plus tax (\$67.80). At this time we are not accepting reservations for anyone under the age of 18.
  - o To inquire or reserve, call 250-391-2511 or email [welcomedesk@royalroads.ca](mailto:welcomedesk@royalroads.ca), mention "Wado Karate Group"
- Holiday Inn Express
  - o 318 Wale Rd, Colwood, BC. (2 minutes by car to seminar venue, 17 minutes to downtown Victoria)
  - o Details: Room with double occupancy, @ \$299 + tax / night. Mention Wado Karate Canada at booking. Must reserve before July 12th. **Full buffet breakfast, and parking is complimentary.** 250.385.7829 or [reservation@hie victoria.com](mailto:reservation@hie victoria.com)
- Accent Inns Victoria
  - o 3233 Maple St, Victoria, BC V8X 4Y9 (15 minutes by car to seminar venue, 11 minutes to downtown Victoria)
  - o Details: Room with 2 queen beds, @ \$269 + tax / night. Min. 2 night stay. Mention Group ID 6443988 at booking. 20 rooms are 'blocked' until July 3. Must reserve before July 3rd.
- Other accommodations may be communicated. In the meantime, please consult your favourite travel booking website for additional accommodations in Victoria.



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### Transportation:

- *Getting to Victoria:*
  - If arriving from Vancouver, consider taking the ferry or a flight to Victoria International Airport (YYJ).
  - For ferry schedules, visit <https://www.bcferrries.com/>.
  - For flight information, visit <https://www.victoriaairport.com/>
- *Getting around Victoria:*
  - Wado Canada will provide a van to assist with transportation during the event (*Details to be communicated*)
  - Public transportation and taxi services are readily available.

**Local Attractions:** While in Victoria, take the opportunity to explore the following local attractions (see [Tourism Victoria](#) for more information):

1. **Hatley Castle and Gardens:** Discover the historical charm and beautiful gardens of Hatley Castle, located near the event venue in Colwood.
2. **Royal BC Museum:** Immerse yourself in the natural and human history of British Columbia at the Royal BC Museum, situated in downtown Victoria.
3. **Butchart Gardens:** Experience the breathtaking floral displays and meticulous gardens at Butchart Gardens, just a short drive from Colwood.
4. **Fort Rodd Hill National Historic Site:** Explore the military history of the area at Fort Rodd Hill, featuring coastal artillery forts and bunkers with scenic coastal views.
5. **Downtown Victoria:** Enjoy the vibrant streets, local shops, and picturesque Inner Harbour in downtown Victoria, easily accessible from the event venue.

### Important Notes:

- Transportation to these attractions can be arranged through the Wado Canada provided van or local transportation services.
- Consider organizing a group outing to one of these attractions during any free time in the schedule.

We eagerly anticipate hosting you in Victoria for a weekend of Wado karate excellence, camaraderie, and the opportunity to explore the rich cultural offerings of the area.

Should you have any questions or need further assistance, please don't hesitate to contact us at [wadokaratecanada@gmail.com](mailto:wadokaratecanada@gmail.com).

In harmony,

Local Organizing Committee, Wado Canada Global Summit 2024