



INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF CLASSICAL HOMEOPATHY

Thank you for your interest in Classical Homeopathy!

We are pleased to provide full details regarding the **3-Year North American Practitioner Program** by Prof. George Vithoukaskas for medical professionals, experienced homeopaths, 1st-time students, and new practitioners!

The course is taught online via Zoom with all the benefits and interaction of a classroom learning environment. The program is tailored to students in the USA & Canada who wish to be able to practice Classical Homeopathy (or incorporate it into their existing practice) and contains the complete teachings of Prof. Vithoukaskas.

Students will receive all the tools and knowledge they need to be able to practice in the USA & Canada confidently. **Our students are also eligible, upon successful completion of the Program, to sit the [CHC Board Certification exams](#) as students graduating from an International School.**

Apply for the Class of 2024-2027



Enrollment is open for the Class of 2024-2027 which commences on August 31st, 2024.

Classes take place online via Zoom from 5-9 pm MST every Wednesday night and the second Tuesday of the month from our satellite office in Arizona. In years 2 & 3, a Student Internship Clinic takes place on the fourth Tuesday of the month. The full class schedule is available here: <https://vithoukaskas.college/schedule-2024-2027/>.

“Attending IACH has been an amazing experience! Professor Vithoukaskas’s expert teachings and well-organized program has given me a solid foundation for understanding and practicing true classical homeopathy. Furthermore, I want to commend Cristina Horvath for her professionalism, compassion, patience, and wisdom as the 3-year E-Learning Primary Instructor for North America. The entire staff at IACH is available to offer support throughout the program!” JJD-P Class of 2022
<https://vithoukaskas.college/testimonials/>



George Vithoukas - Professor of Homeopathic Medicine



George Vithoukas is a Greek Professor of Homeopathic Medicine who is recognized around the world as the personality who re-established homeopathy in the 20th century.

He is the only teacher to permit students attendance at all his live cases; he explains the method of how to take a case, how to analyze it, and how to arrive at the right decision for a homeopathic remedy. The most important advantage for students is that they can observe

follow-ups and results after the prescription.

In this way, Professor George Vithoukas demonstrates the whole process of case management which thereby reveals thorough and empirical information concerning the application of Classical Homeopathy. This process is similar to instructions offered at conventional medical hospitals.

Professor Vithoukas' knowledge comes from 60 years of indefatigable efforts to improve, through practice and constant research, the standards of education in order that the empirical effectiveness of the original Classical Hahnemannian Homeopathy will be recognized and accepted by Medical Universities and Medical Practitioners.

Research

<https://orcid.org/0000-0002-9118-8306>

<https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/?term=vithoukas+george>

<https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=6602974578>

<https://www.researchgate.net/profile/George-Vithoukas>

Academic Distinctions:

George Vithoukas is today:

- Honorary Professor at the **University of the Aegean**, Greece,
- Honorary Professor at the **State Medical University of Chuvash Republic** (Russia),
- Honorary Professor at the **National Educational Centre for Traditional and Complementary Medicine** (Russia),

- **Honorary Professor of the Pontifical Javeriana Medical University (Colombia),**
- **Honorary Professor at the All-Russia Scientific Research Center for Restorative and Resort Medicine of the Ministry of Health of the Russian Federation**
- **Professor at the Kyiv Medical Academy,**
- **Honorary Professor of PHEE “Kyiv Medical University”,**
- **Honorary Professor at Dnipro Institute of Medicine and Public Health (Ukraine),**
- **Honorary Professor at Dnipro Medical Institute of Complementary and Alternative Medicine (Ukraine),**
- **Doctor Honoris Causa of “Dr. Viktor Babes” University of Medicine and Pharmacy of Timisoara (Romania) and**
- **Doctor Honoris Causa of “Iuliu Hatieganu University of Medicine and Pharmacy of Cluj-Napoca (Romania).**

Associations

- **Prof. Vithoukas is a Senior Associate Member of the Royal Society of Medicine, UK**
- **Honorary Member of Liga Medicorum Homeopathica Internationalis**
- **Honorary President of the Hellenic Homeopathic Medical Association (established 1970)**

Awards

- **In 1996, he was honored with the Right Livelihood Award (also known as the Alternative Nobel Prize, www.rightlivelihood.org) “...for his outstanding contribution to the revival of homeopathic knowledge and the training of homeopaths to the highest standards”.**
- **In 2000, George Vithoukas was honored with the Gold Medal of the Hungarian Republic, by the country’s President, Arpad Goncz, for his work in homeopathic medicine.**
- **In 2000, George Vithoukas was awarded by the Minister of Health in India with the Gold Medal as the “Homeopath of the Millennium”.**
- **In 2012, he was honored with the Honorary Award of the National Medical Academy of Postgraduate Education in Ukraine named after P.L.Shupyk (George Vithoukas - Honorary Professor, a distinguished scholar and teacher).**
- **In 2020, he received the "Donor Award" of "Citizenry of the City of Meißen" for a lifetime achievement in the spirit of homeopathy from the Society of**

Homeopathic Doctors in Saxony, Germany (Meissen is the town in which Dr Samuel Hahnemann was born).

- In 2022, he was awarded with the **Sheikh Zayed International Award for Homeopathy – Academic Field**
- In 2023, he was awarded the **Honorary Fellowship of the Faculty of Homeopathy, UK**, in recognition of his outstanding contribution to Homeopathy throughout his long career.

International and European Organisations

In 1980, George Vithoukas was invited by the **World Health Organization** to write the first article on Homeopathy for the book Traditional Medicine, published by WHO, as well as the main article in the round table discussion for WHO's scientific magazine, the World Health Forum journal.

On the 11th of June, 1999, George Vithoukas was requested by the **Council of Europe** to make a day-long presentation on homeopathic medicine (as part of their evaluation of alternative therapeutic methods) before the Social, Health, and Family Affairs Committee.

In 1996, he was invited by the **European Parliament** to explain the position of homeopathy and after his presentation, the European Parliament voted in favor of Homeopathy.

Main Contributions to Medicine & Homeopathy

- **The Levels of Health**

<https://www.vithoukas.com/contributions-prof-george-vithoukas/levels-health>

- **The Continuum of a Unified Theory of Diseases**

<https://www.vithoukas.com/research/scientific-papers/continuum-unified-theory-diseases/>

- **How an acute inflammatory condition could be transmuted to a chronic disease**

<https://www.vithoukas.com/research/scientific-papers/integrated-perspective-transmutation-acute-inflammation-chronic-and-role/>

- **The Definition of Health**

<https://www.vithoukas.com/writings/new-horizons/definition-of-health/>

- **How can Healthier Children be Born?**

<https://www.vithoukas.com/research/scientific-papers/how-can-healthier-children-be-born-hypothesis-how-create-better-human>

- **The Science of Homeopathy**

<https://www.vithoukas.com/product/science-homeopathy/>

- **The New Model for Health and Disease**

<https://www.vithoukas.com/product/new-model-health-and-disease/>

- **The Materia Medica Viva**

<https://www.vithoukas.com/product/materia-medica-viva-vol-1-13/>

- **The Vithoukas Compass**

<https://www.vithoukas.com/learning-tools/vithoukas-compass>

- **The Theories of Professor George Vithoukas have been presented in Medical Congresses:**

<https://www.vithoukas.com/research/congresses>

- **Research Papers of Prof. George Vithoukas and his IACH Research Team**

<https://www.vithoukas.com/research/clinical-cases>

<https://www.vithoukas.com/research/scientific-papers>

Books

Prof. Vithoukas has written many Books which have been translated into 36 languages

<https://www.vithoukas.com/learning-tools/books-gv>

Practicing Homeopathy in North America

There are many avenues by which a person can begin practicing homeopathy in the USA & Canada. The type of education you have, where you received that education and the laws of the State in which you live are all factors that may affect your path towards practicing homeopathy.

IACH offers an academic Course based on the highest educational standards according to the principles of Samuel Hahnemann. The Program contains all the necessary knowledge to provide a solid foundation for becoming a good homeopath. Therefore, our Diploma certifies your knowledge but does not automatically give one the right to practice homeopathy. Students must comply with the laws and regulations of their respective state/country. As these laws are varied around the World, the responsibility for that research falls to the interested student.

The North American Society of Homeopaths (NASH) provides a helpful Guide to Homeopathy Practice and the Law which covers the USA & Canada: <https://homeopathy.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/Homeopathy-Practice-and-the-Law-Dec-2022.pdf>

IACH graduates of the 3-Year North American Practitioner Program are eligible to sit the CHC Exam for board certification. Graduates will apply as graduates from a program outside of the USA or Canada since IACH is an International School based in Greece.

Please note that certification is not a license to practice homeopathy. Each State regulates homeopathy and other alternative and complementary medicine disciplines differently. For more information, contact the Attorney General's office in your State.

Our Vision

Our vision is to spread the wonderful therapeutic modality of Classical Homeopathy worldwide and educate our students according to the highest contemporary educational and scientific standards available and in the original Hahnemannian Homeopathy in order to be able to help their clients with positive results.

Our Program represents the culmination of more than sixty years' experience in the practice and teaching of Classical Homeopathy by Professor George Vithoukas and provides the very best education while keeping faithfully to the principles of Homeopathy in the true scientific sense.

Program of Study

Here is an overview highlighting the main course content:

- Foundations of Homeopathy
- The History of Classical Homeopathy
- Theory – Homeopathic Principles and Practice
- Application of Chronic and Acute Care
- Materia Medica – covering descriptions and keynotes of 179+ remedies
- Repertories and Repertorization
- In-Depth Clinical observation and participation:
 1. Students observe Prof. Vithoulkas' case-taking and take part in interactive analysis. Live and paper cases with in-depth analysis, follow-up encounters, and strategies in prescribing.
 2. IACH Student Internship Clinic (Years 2 & 3)
 3. Clinical observation modules with cases from Professor Vithoulkas.
 4. Independent Case Taking with Clinical Supervision (10 supervised cases followed for six months each, one intake and two follow-ups)
- Posology: The Science of Potency Selection and Repetition
- Introduction to Homeopathic Pharmacology
- Homeopathic Ethical Practice, Introduction to US Healthcare Law, and The Business of Practice
- A total of over 1000+ classroom hours, which includes the additional 500+ clinical hours of study and 10 supervised cases (140+ hours)

The full course curriculum is available here: <https://vithoulkas.college/curriculum/>

Why is this Program different?

Within this Course are presented new and pioneering theories i.e. “Levels of Health” and the “Continuum of the Unified Theory of Diseases”.

The [“Levels of Health”](#) theory enables students to thoroughly understand the process their patient/client is going through and they will understand when to apply homeopathic medicines, what potency to use, how often to repeat the medicine and what to expect as a reaction. They will have the possibility to follow the long-term treatment of many cases, see how Professor George Vithoulkas takes the case, how he

analyzes and synthesizes the information in order to find the correct remedy, what strategies he employs to arrive at a prescription and how he differentiates between remedies.

[“The Continuum of a Unified Theory of Diseases”](#) offers students the possibility of seeing the medical history of a patient in a linear and holistic way in order to evaluate the effect of the homeopathic treatment. Students will understand why a patient, after the first or the second prescription, starts unraveling the pathology that was hidden in the depths of the immune system which formed the basis of the presenting pathology. Students are often delighted to see the emergence of the whole history of pathology of the patient.

Tuition & Fees

The total cost for the 3-Year North American Practitioner Program is \$12,875.

The tuition for the 3-Year Practitioner Program is \$12,000 payable as a lump sum prior to entering the program plus a non-refundable \$50 registration fee.

An additional fee of \$275 per annum for our Student Internship Clinic is due in two separate payments of \$412.50 prior to the second and third years of the program when the clinic begins.

IACH also offers interest and penalty-free payment plans to make the cost of tuition more manageable for those who need it. Accordingly, students may request tuition payments based on the following payment schedules:

- An annual payment of \$4000 may be made 3 weeks prior to each new commencing year (i.e. 3 payments in total); or
- A payment of \$1333.33 may be made 3 weeks prior to each semester (i.e. 9 payments in total)

In addition, Books and Vithoukas Compass software subscription are the responsibility of the student to acquire and are not included in the tuition cost. Please see below for further details.

PLEASE NOTE: Students who previously graduated with an IACH Diploma and/or CCH Holders are entitled to a 50% discount on tuition costs.

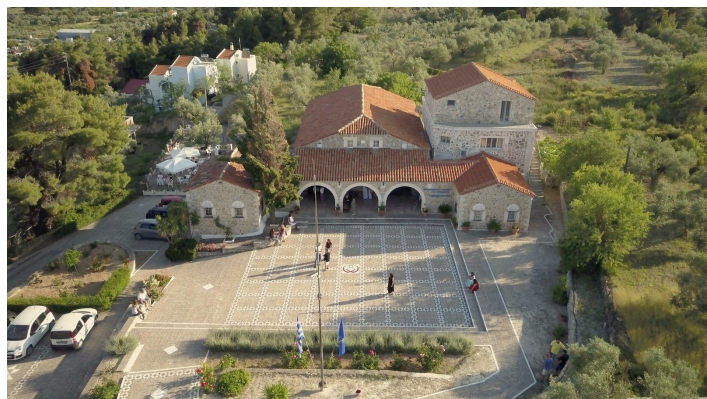
Advanced and existing homeopathic practitioners who have taken the Program after several years of professional practice are astounded by how much more they learn from this course...



"Having completed a three-year course in Classical Homeopathy before coming to IACH, I felt I had a good base of knowledge in theory, but what I gained in Materia Medica understanding cannot be put into words. Professor Vithoukias brings each remedy to life! His way of observing and transferring that observation into a clear remedy picture is truly a God-given gift. His passion is contagious, as is his hope for our future as a homeopathic community. Choosing Cristina Horvath as the course facilitator in the United States was a brilliant move- she is beyond well-spoken, patient, kind, fair, and compassionate!! I looked forward to enjoying her cheerful countenance each class, and never left the evening confused or disappointed. I will always treasure my time with this course!" Testimonial from AJ, Class of 2022 <https://vithoukias.college/testimonials/>

Learning Environment & Faculty

Students at IACH are not only taught by Professor George Vithoukias – the leading voice in Classical Homeopathy today - but will find themselves immediately welcomed into IACH’s global homeopathic community by Dan Horvath, IACH, DIHom, CCH, RSHom(NA), Cristina Horvath, IACH, DIHom, CCH, Dr. Latika Jaggi BHMS, IACH, DIHom and



all the associates of the International Academy of Classical Homeopathy as they study alongside national and international peers in this distance learning classroom platform.

Students build a new in-depth understanding of homeopathy, gain perspective and experience, and establish kinship with not just their fellow classmates but our global homeopathic family – enabling learning opportunities to last a lifetime.

IACH also offers the **Vithoukias App** to learn, discover, chat with the community, and get inspired! Visit [Google Play](https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=com.vithoukias.college) or [Apple App Store](https://apps.apple.com/us/app/vithoukias-college/id1444444444) for more.

IACH Principal North American Faculty

Cristina Horvath, IACH, DIHom, CCH - Primary Instructor & Program Coordinator

- IACH Graduate & Nationally Certified in Classical Homeopathy
- IACH North American Practitioner Program Academic Instructor and Clinical Director.
- Former Faculty Member at American Medical College of Homeopathy at PIHMA
- Certified Homeopathic Practitioner at Arizona Homeopathy in Phoenix, AZ

Cristina Horvath is the Primary Instructor throughout this 3-year journey as students observe and discuss Professor Vithoukias' lectures and analyze clinical cases. Cristina's 25+ years of experience in classical homeopathy, deep understanding of George Vithoukias' teachings, and nurturing instruction help to empower students to become successful and confident future practitioners in this healing art.



Watch Episode 4 of **Homeopathy Around the World** - an interview with Cristina and an excellent introduction to and opportunity to meet and learn more about her: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mSppVcXLIKc>

Dan Horvath, IACH, DIHom, RSHom(NA), CCH - Program Coordinator

- IACH Graduate & Nationally Certified in Classical Homeopathy
- IACH Practitioner Program Coordinator for North America: Previous Faculty Member and Director of Studies at the American Medical College of Homeopathy at PIHMA
- Certified Homeopathic Practitioner at Arizona Homeopathy in Phoenix, AZ

Dan is responsible for introducing the curriculum to North America. His passion for homeopathy and over 30 years of experience are an enormous asset to this program. He has been studying homeopathy since 1979 and follows the lineage of teachings from Hahnemann to Kent and Vithoukias.

For a complete list of our IACH North America Faculty Members, please visit:

<https://vithoukias.college/academic-faculty/>

Prerequisites for the Course

We invite students to join our program from all different areas of expertise and study. An associate or graduate degree is preferred but not required. Also, students who have not taken Anatomy, Physiology, and Pathology classes in their undergraduate program prior to the program will need to complete these certification prerequisites before finishing the 3-year program in order to receive an IACH diploma.

We recommend (where possible) taking the AP&P course in year one to provide a foundational understanding with which to better approach the clinical cases covered in the Practitioner Program and before students begin taking their own supervised cases in years 2 and 3. For more information regarding Anatomy and Physiology and Pathology classes, please see <https://vithoukas.college/anatomy-physiology-pathology-courses/>



"I loved this program. I learned so much under Cristina and from George Vithoukas. I started homeopathy for my children. After hearing it's what gave others lasting health. I tried it for small things and so it worked. I worked with a homeopath and for my daughter out of her cycle of antibiotics. And that was when I decided I needed to know more. The wisdom of George combined with the knowledge and attentiveness of Cristina was a God-send. My kids partook in the program through student cases and I'm witnessing their own direction of cure. I'm grateful for this program. Thank you to George for his tireless efforts and to Cristina for making the program available in the US." Testimonial from DG, Class of 2022

<https://vithoukas.college/testimonials/>

Clinical Training

Clinical training at IACH is woven through the course. In addition, IACH has continuously updated clinic modules which are a minimum of 100 hours each for a total of 200 hours of combined observation and study hours. These modules include recent cases taken by Prof. Vithoukas as well as our international adjunct faculty.

Students also participate in our IACH Student Internship Clinic with Cristina Horvath and Dr. Latika Jaggi (via Zoom) during the 2nd and 3rd years of the program, once per month for 4 hours. The Student Internship Clinic includes 80 hours of additional supervised

clinical hours as students take and follow clinical cases. These cases may be attended via Zoom, as a webcam will be used during these clinics. Students, friends, and family of students are invited to participate and receive treatment (free of charge) during internship clinic sessions as students participate in and observe live case-taking, case analysis, and prescribing from our student interns and faculty.

Students are also offered the option of attending the Live Alonissos Clinics in Greece in lieu of the clinic module hours. More details about our courses in Alonissos can be found here: <https://www.vithoukas.com/education/courses-alonissos>. The Academy also offers a regular webinar series: <https://webinar.vithoukas.edu.gr/>.

Finally, students are closely supervised as they take their own first ten cases - a minimum of 140 hours in total. Students also meet (one-on-one) with a North American Faculty instructor to thoroughly discuss their cases - a minimum of thirty times (total) for supervision and mentoring during the second and third years of the program.

Book Requirements

Books are the responsibility of the student to acquire and are not included in the tuition cost. Following is a list of the minimum books required:

- *Organon 6th Edition – S. Hahnemann
- *Lectures of Homeopathic Philosophy – J.T. Kent
- *The Science of Homeopathy – G. Vithoukas
- *Levels of Health, 3rd revised edition 2019 – G. Vithoukas
- *New Model for Health and Disease - G. Vithoukas
- *Repertory of the Homeopathic Materia Medica – J.T. Kent
- *A Dictionary of Homeopathic Medical Terminology 2nd edition – Jay Yasgur

Prof. Vithoukas' books are offered at a deep student discount from our online bookstore to accepted students: <https://www.vithoukas.com/learning-tools/books-gv>. A more extensive list of recommended reading is provided to students once accepted into the program.

*Note: Students who have paid the entire tuition for all three years in a lump sum payment by the first payment installment date after formal acceptance into the program, will receive the following books free of charge with complimentary shipping:

- *Science of Homeopathy, by George Vithoukas*

- *Levels of Health, by George Vithoukas*
- *New Model for Health and Disease, by George Vithoukas*

Software Requirements

Vithoukas Compass is used for the repertorization of cases during the second and third years of the program. The software is offered at a discount to enrolled students. A free trial is available here: <https://www.vithoukascompass.com/en/Homeopathy/Student>

Attendance

As this course utilizes immersion methodology and each class is uniquely and heavily saturated in case taking, patient intake, case analysis, and clinical training, we do not record classes for copyright reasons and in accordance with HIPAA regulations, and a strict 80% attendance policy in our distance learning classroom is strongly enforced in order that students may acquire the highest level of education and training.

Questions & Next Steps

We are excited to welcome new students of Classical Homeopathy from diverse backgrounds as well as established practitioners. Please feel free to reach out to us at info@vithoukas.college with any questions!

A completed application, a \$50 non-refundable registration fee, and required supporting documentation must be received in our office by July 31, 2024, in order to be considered for the class of 2024-2027.

View our detailed Program Catalog here: <http://vithoukas.college/catalog/> and testimonials from our Alumni: <https://vithoukas.college/testimonials/>.

Watch our Open House!

We also include a link for our July 2023 Open House to meet Faculty and further explore the 3-Year North American Practitioner Program and how it equips students with all the tools, knowledge, and experience they need to practice Classical Homeopathy in North America: <https://vimeo.com/844002111/%2C>. (password to access: **vithoukas**).