



## Quote from Dr Sandy Matsuda

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“As the United States creates more appropriate health care priorities I hope that our country will look at the success of models such as the one used by Rod Ferguson in Australia. The Tai Chi programs initiated by Rod [Applied Tai Chi] provides Tai Chi activities in partnership with government sponsored wellness programs allowing many more people to experience the benefits of Tai Chi and giving it the visibility it deserves. We can learn a lot from our Tai Chi brothers and sisters around the world. I am grateful that Rod travelled to the International Symposium to share his stories of success in Australia”.

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The Academic Committee Forum where Rods program was mentioned