

Prerequisites for Basic Training

The standards for acceptance into the JISI's Basic Training means that each candidate has fulfilled the following requirements.

- 1. The candidate is 22 years or older.
- 2. Completion of High-School with a university-entrance level diploma or proof of a successful professional career.
- 3. Completion of the Basic Ten Sessions of Structural Integration rooted in Dr. Rolf's work are strongly suggested prior to the start of class. The first three sessions are required.
- 4. The appropriate level of physical strength and good health necessary for performing manual bodywork on a regular basis.
- 5. Some knowledge or experience in manual therapy is desirable.
- 6. Knowledge of human anatomy and physiology. This requirement may be met in any of the following ways.
 - A formal full-length course at a massage or bodywork school (a minimum of 230 hours of anatomy, physiology and kinesiology).
 - Training of physical therapist, occupational therapist, registered nurse, physician, licensed acupuncturist, moxa specialist, shiatsu massage therapist, judo-orthopaedist etc.

Other courses or backgrounds may be accepted. Please contact us to discuss your unique situation.

- 7. Psychological and personal ability to accompany clients in their process of Structural Integration. Familiarity and experience with therapeutic, coaching or counseling methods is beneficial.
- 8. Completion of the JISI Application Package (including required certificates, CV and Admission Paper)
- 9. Review and approval of the JISI's Admission Paper.

Please feel free to contact Mayumi Okada if you have questions. Email: contact@rolfjapan.org