### SACRED PLANT MEDICINE APPRENTICESHIPS REGISTRATION FORM - 2017

| I am registering for: (Please check one)   |
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| First Year Course – Group 1 – Weekends<br>First Year Course – Group 2 – Weekdays<br>Advanced Course – Year Two   |
| NAME:  |
| ADDRESS:   |
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| PHONE:   |
| EMAIL:   |
| TOTAL INTENDED PAYMENT: (karmic sliding scale \$1,800-\$2,000 for 22 seven hour classes)   |
| AMOUNT OF TUITION SENT UPON REGISTRATION:  |
| PLEASE CHECK THOSE THAT APPLY:   |
| ( ) I am sending my tuition payment in full. (If you pay in full, there is a discount of \$100, sliding scale reduced to \$1700-\$1900).                         |
| <ul> <li>( ) I have sent my deposit of \$250. (non-refundable)</li> <li>( ) I have sent my deposit of \$ plus \$ of my tuition.</li> </ul>                       |
| *** Must initial to complete registration:   |
| ( ) I understand that the full tuition is due by the first apprenticeship class unless other payment plans or other arrangements have been made with permission. |

#### TUITION PAYMENTS ~

- \* Make checks payable to The Gaia School of Healing.
- \* Send completed registration form and payment plan to:

#### The Gaia School of Healing, 172 Pine Banks Rd., Putney, VT 05346

Contact by phone or email: 617-838-8094, thegaiaschool@gmail.com

The cost for the 9 month April, 2017 Apprenticeship is \$1,800 - \$2,000 (sliding scale) for 22 seven hour classes. A \$100 discount is given to those who pay in full. Payment plans starting at \$140 per class weekend (after initial class deposit) are available.

A \$250 deposit (non-refundable) is required to register for the apprenticeship and is subtracted from the total tuition. Grants are available for Vermont students through VSAC. Full payment is due by the first apprenticeship class meeting unless a payment plan has been arranged in advance.

The lowest end of the sliding scale as well as payment plans are only available for our lowest income students. This is an honor system designed to make the course accessible for all income levels. The lowest end of the sliding scale are reserved for students who cannot afford things like taking vacations.

We are also proud to offer 3 partial scholarships available each year. If you are interested in applying for a partial scholarship, please contact us by email for more information. We give priority to students from marginalized/oppressed communities.

Our Scholarship program exists thanks to 100% donor participation of Gaia Student graduates & faculty! If you would like to join our community effort to make earth medicine people's medicine, we invite you to donate to our scholarship program. Your donation supports those without the privilege to take courses like this. We thank you!

#### REFUNDS – READ CAREFULLY

\*\*\* Please remember this policy and do not email us with requests to change this tuition policy if you need to drop out of class for any reason after the withdrawal deadline – we must keep the same policy for everyone!

Refunds for half of the course tuition will only be given if a student withdraws before May 13<sup>th</sup> (after 2 class weekends, still allowing someone on the waiting list to join). After the withdrawal date May 13<sup>th</sup>, the full course tuition is due and no refunds are given if a student cannot complete the full course. Those with payment plans must pay the full tuition by the end of the course whether or not the course is completed in full, and will owe half of their tuition if withdrawing before the May 13<sup>th</sup> withdrawal date.

| *** Must initial to complete registration:   |  |
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| () I understand that the full tuition is due by the end of the course, whether or not I am able to attend course weekends. I understand that if I withdraw by the withdrawal date in May 13 <sup>th</sup> , only half my tuition be due, or half will be refunded if I paid in full. |  |
| If you are requesting a payment plan. –  |  |
| () I understand that I must have a phone conversation with Sage before a payment plan is approved in to make sure I understand our tuition policies. All payment plan details must be covered in person before start of the course.  |  |

#### The Gaia School of Healing & Earth Education c/o Sage L. Maurer 172 Pine Banks Rd., Putney, VT 05346

| Please take some time to tell us about yourself! Feel free to use a separate piece of paper.   |
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| How did you find out about The Gaia School?  |
| What are your specific interests regarding plants, healing, and spiritual practice?  |
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| What are you most looking forward to learning during this course? What are you hoping for?   |
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| What are some of your past experiences that have contributed to your interest in this course?  |
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| Please take time to tell Sage about yourself, and any questions you might have about the course.   |
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| Because we will be holding healing circles and safe space for each other each class, it's incredibly important that safe and solid space is held in this circle. This means coming with respect, openness, non-judgment, self- |

responsibility, self-care, and healthy boundaries. Each of us are asked to be conscious of how our energy effects or distracts the circle and each individual from their own deep work. Each person is always free to come to circle with what they are moving through internally, but asked to come with an ability to hold support for the work

Deeply looking forward to our journey together! Love and blessings your way, Sage

we're doing together in circle as well.

## TUITION PAYMENT PLANS

# The Gaia School of Healing - Apprenticeship Course \*The Gaia School of Healing's Tuition rate for 2017 is \$1800~\$2000 and based on a sliding scale\*

| ******                                     | ******************  |
|--|---|
| Name:                                      |   |
| Address:                                   |   |
| Home Phone:                                | Cell /Other Phone:  |
| Email:                                     |   |
| -  | RESPONSIBLE TO PAY THE FULL COURSE TUITION SS OF WHETHER YOU ATTEND THE COURSE IN FULL.   |
| If you with                                | ndraw before May 13 <sup>tH,</sup> only ½ of the tuition will be due,<br>or will be refunded.   |
| weekends you are a                         | are not a 'pay as you go' option. Regardless of how many<br>able to attend, tuition is due in full by the end of the course.<br>hat you understand this before signing up for the payment plan.                         |
| am able to complet                         | I understand that the full tuition is due whether or not I e the course. I understand that if I withdraw before May 13 <sup>th</sup> , only ½ on will be owed, or half will be refunded to me if full tuition has paid. |
| *** \$100 discount<br>Please decide for yo | ion - \$1800 - \$2000 based on what you can afford.  if paid in full.  urself what you are able to afford. If you can afford the higher end of allows a lower scale to be available to those with a lower income.       |
| I am agreeing to p<br>School of Healing    | yay a total of for my tuition to <i>The Gaia</i> gand I have chosen the selected payment plan below:  |
| (Please Initial)                           | I have sent in the \$250 deposit (non-refundable)   |

| * <u>P</u> A   | YMENT PLAN #1:                                  | SINGLE PAYMENT  |  |  |  |
|--|---|---|--|--|--|
|  | One discounted paym<br>(Discount included of \$ | ent of \$1700~\$1900 made in full by the first class.<br>100 by paying in full) |  |  |  |
| * <u>P</u> A   | YMENT PLAN #2:                                  | FIVE AUTOMATIC PAYMENTS   |  |  |  |
| □<br>afte  | Five automatic payme<br>er deposit) on the date | ents of (sliding scale \$310 - \$350 es listed below.                           |  |  |  |
|  | DUE DATE  | AUTOMATIC DEBIT PAYMENT AMOUNT  |  |  |  |
|  | APRIL 1 <sup>st,</sup> 2016                     |   |  |  |  |
|  | JUNE 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2016                     |   |  |  |  |
|  | AUGUST 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2016                   |   |  |  |  |
|  | OCTOBER 1st, 2016                               |   |  |  |  |
|  | DECEMBER 1st, 2016                              |   |  |  |  |
| ☐ Eleven automatic payments of(sliding scale \$140 - \$160 after deposit) on the dates listed below. |   |   |  |  |  |
|  | DUE DATE  | AUTOMATIC DEBIT PAYMENT AMOUNT  |  |  |  |
|  | MARCH 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2016                   |   |  |  |  |
|  | APRIL 1 <sup>st,</sup> 2016                     |   |  |  |  |
|  | MAY 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2016                      |   |  |  |  |
|  | JUNE 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2016                     |   |  |  |  |
|  | JULY 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2016                     |   |  |  |  |
|  | AUGUST 1st, 2016                                |   |  |  |  |
|  | SEPTEMBER 1st, 2016                             |   |  |  |  |
|  | OCTOBER 1st, 2016                               |   |  |  |  |
|  | NOVEMBER 1st, 2016                              |   |  |  |  |
|  | DECMEBER 1st, 2016                              |   |  |  |  |
|  | DECEMBER 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2016                |   |  |  |  |

# PAYMENT PLANS ~ SETTING UP AUTOMATIC PAYMENTS

| 1,, ur  | nderstand that the full tuition must be                                     |
|---|---|
| (Please sign your name) paid in full and by the last date of the co am able to finish the full course. If I with tuition will be due.                           |   |
| Setting up automatic payments through g   | your bank –   |
| PLEASE INTITIAL  I understand that I must set up auto the dates listed above made out to The C  | omatic payments through my bank on<br>Gaia School of Healing.               |
| Please have the bank schedule the CHECKS to be sent on the dates above the Pine Banks Rd., Putney, VT 05346. I agree payment agreement set up through my bases. | to The Gaia School of Healing, 172<br>se to provide a copy of the automatic |
| Do not fill out -   |   |
| (Gaía School approval signature)  | ( <i>Date</i> )   |

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