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DOSHIN (NEUMANN) SHIM ROSHI

Reverend Doshin (Neumann) Shim Roshi is an 86th generation Zen Master of Rinzai Zen. He received his *Inka Shomei* recognition of enlightenment from Taiken Yokoyama Roshi in 2011. Shim Roshi began *Shugyo* (deep spiritual) training in 1985 as a live-in Zen monk with Tanouye Tenshin Rotaishi at the Chozen-Ji International Zen Dojo in Kalihi Valley. Training included liberal arts, healing arts, fine arts and seven martial arts, and Tenzo (head cook).

A 1973 graduate at Kamehameha Schools and an International Business Major at the University of Hawaii, Shim Roshi is also known as Nawelu Nakai Ehiku. Entrusted to the eldest, he honors the past seven generations of Nakai originating from the tenth, Umi-a-Liloa, as indicated by his late and revered Aunty, Pilahi Paki.

A father of five and two grandsons, Reverend Shim has taught students from all over Hawaii, the mainland and world, including, North America, Europe and Asia. A career that included construction and travel industries, law, health, import, manufacturing and art, he now maintains a textile design and apparel manufacturing business with his wife on Oahu while building a training dojo in I'ao Valley, Maui. This dojo aspires to be a venue where students can train in healing, cultural and martial ways as a means to transcend all duality and realize being a "true man (person) without rank."