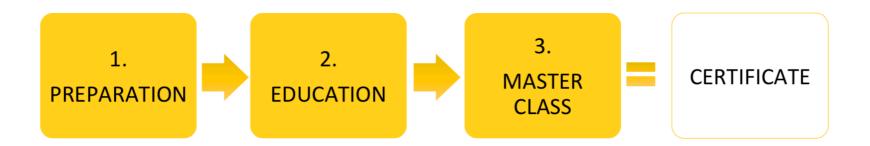
# **TOG CHÖD TEACHER EDUCATION – STUDENT INFO SHEET**



### **1. PREPARATION**

#### **EXPERIENCE ALL TOG CHÖD MOVEMENTS**

Please make sure that you have experienced all movements within the last 12 months before starting the Teacher Certification Program. You can either learn the movements from Tulku Lobsang Rinpoche or from a Certified Tog Chöd Teacher.

#### FIND A CERTIFIED EDUCATOR

In order to find a list of all Tog Chöd Educators, please have a look on the website: <u>https://tulkulobsang.org/en/educations/</u><u>find-your-educator</u>

Then, choose your preferred Educator and contact her/him.

#### **MOTIVATION LETTER**

Write a motivation letter in which you explain your motivation why you want to become a Tog Chöd Teacher and give this motivation letter to your preferred Educator.

#### **REGISTRATION WITH THE EDUCATOR**

After you got accepted by your Educator, she/he will also explain the framework conditions of the Certification Program to you (such as the registration process, required attendance, the Master Class, examination procedure, etc.). Then you can register with the Educator for the Education Course.

#### **REGISTRATION WITH NANGTEN MENLANG INTERNATIONAL**

In addition to your registration with the Educator you also need to register for the Teacher Certification Program with NMI which includes the registration for the Master Class. Please make sure that you choose the correct price category.

Registration for the Teacher Certification Program needs to be done online at <u>www.tulkulobsang.org</u>. During this online registration you will need to pay 50% of the Teacher Certification Program Fee with an instant payment method. The remaining 50 % will be due three months later and will have to be paid by bank transfer. Alternatively, you can immediately pay 100% of the Teacher Certification Program Fee during your online registration process.

### 2. EDUCATION

#### **EDUCATION COURSE**

All students are required to attend 100% of the Education Course. You will receive your digital teacher manual from your Educator. Your Educator might distribute the manual in sections – according to the teaching topics of the Education Course lessons. Your Educator will also give you standardized homework forms which must be completed within the Education Course.

Furthermore, all students need to hold a demonstration class. Please arrange with your Educator if the demonstration class is organized by yourself or by your Educator. After holding your demonstration class you will receive Feedback about your demonstration class from your Educator as well as the participants of the demonstration class.

#### **ONLINE WRITTEN EXAM**

NMI will provide the Online Written Exam. You will receive detailed information from NMI about the Online Written Exam after registering for the Teacher Certification Program.

After taking the Online Written Exam you will receive your exam results immediately after submitting your answers. In case you did not pass the Exam at the first try, you can take a second chance.

#### **QUALIFYING EXAM**

The Qualifying Exam (Practical Exam) consists of the following parts:

- Specific Movement Exam
- All Movements and Practices Exam
- Movements' Names Exam

The Qualifying Exam is held by your Educator. She/he can decide to carry out the Qualifying Exam either step-by-step or as one final exam. After completing all parts of the Qualifying Exam you will receive the Qualifying Exam Result Sheet from your Educator which equals a recommendation for the Certification Master Class.

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# 3. ONLINE LIVE CERTIFICATION MASTER CLASS WITH TULKU LOBSANG RINPOCHE

#### REQUIREMENTS

In order to be allowed to attend the Certification Master Class you must fulfill the following requirements:

- You must have completed the Education Course
- You must have completed all standardized homework forms
- You must have held a demonstration class
- You must have passed the Qualifying Exam
- You must have taken the Online Written Exam (pass not required before the Master Class)

#### REGISTRATION

For the Certification Master Class no separate online registration and payment is necessary. After having registered for NMI's Teacher Certification Program you are automatically registered for the Certification Master Class.

#### **CERTIFICATION MASTER CLASS**

Attending the Master Class is the last step for participants of the Teacher Certification Program to become a Certified Teacher. The Certification Master Class is a 1-day event, in which you will receive direct transmission from Tulku Lobsang Rinpoche, connect to Tog Cöd more strongly, refine your movements, deepen your knowledge and practice in a group as a Teacher Sangha. All this will make the Master Class a very special experience!

## **4. CERTIFICATION**

You will receive your teacher certificate after the Certification Master Class.

Please note: In case you have not passed the Online Written Exam until then and had no time to take the second chance before the Master Class, you will not receive your certificate at the Certification Master Class. In this case you will receive the certificate as soon as you have taken and passed the second chance of the Online Written Exam.

### **SUPPORT**

If you have any questions, you can either contact your Educator or you can send an email to the NMI Education Administration Team (education@tulkulobsang.org).

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