

# Birankai North America Dojos

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## **Hawaii**

### Aikido of Kohala

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## **Illinois**

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## **Massachusetts**

### Green River Aikido

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Chief Instructor: Philip Traunstein

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## **Maryland**

### **Churn Creek Aikido**

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## **Michigan**

### **Grand Rapids Aikikai**

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### **Huron Valley Aikikai**

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## **North Carolina**

### **Deep River Aikikai**

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## **New Mexico**

### **Aikido of Albuquerque**

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## **Nevada**

### **Boulder City Aikido**

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### **Las Vegas Aikikai** (Associate Summit Aikikai)

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## **New York**

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## **Oklahoma**

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## **Oregon**

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### **Eugene Aikikai**

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## **Pennsylvania**

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## **Rhode Island**

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## **Texas**

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## **Utah**

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