

Arts & Crafts

Bonsai

- **American Bonsai Society**
 - <http://www.absbonsai.org/>
- **Badger Bonsai Society** (Madison, WI)
 - <http://badgerbonsai.wordpress.com/>
- **Bay Area Bonsai Society** (Green Bay, WI)
 - <http://www.bayareabonsaisociety.org/>
- **Bonsai Society of Greater Kansas City** (Kansas City, MO/KS)
 - <http://bsgkc.org/>
- **Bonsai Society of Greater St. Louis** (St. Louis, MO)
 - <http://www.stlbonsai.org/>
- **Fort Wayne Bonsai Club** (Fort Wayne, IN)
 - <http://www.fortwaynebonsai.org/>
- **Fox Valley Bonsai Society** (Menasha, WI)
 - <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Fox-Valley-Bonsai-Society/600030593371214?ref=stream>
- **Golden Arrow Bonsai** (Deadwood, SD)
 - <http://www.goldenarrowbonsai.com/goldenarrowbonsai.com/Home.html>
- **Indianapolis Bonsai Club** (Indianapolis, IN)
 - <http://www.indybonsai.org/>
- **Internet Bonsai Club**
 - <http://www.internetbonsaiclub.org/>
- **Iowa Bonsai Association**
 - <http://iabonsai.org/about-us/>
- **Nebraska Bonsai Society** (Omaha, NE)
 - <http://nebonsai.blogspot.com/>
- **National Bonsai Foundation**
 - <http://www.bonsai-nbf.org/site/index.html>
- **Midwest Bonsai Society**
 - <http://www.midwestbonsai.org/>

- **Mid-America Bonsai Alliance**
 - <http://www.mababonsai.org/>
- **Milwaukee Bonsai Society** (Milwaukee, WI)
 - <http://www.milwaukeebonsai.org/>
- **Minnesota Bonsai Society** (Minneapolis/St. Paul, MN)
 - <http://www.minnesotabonsaisociety.org/>
- **Ozarks Bonsai Club** (Springfield, MO)
 - <http://ozarksbonsai.com/>
- **Prairie State Bonsai Society** (Western Chicago Suburbs, IL)
 - <http://www.prairiestatebonsai.com/>
- **Springfield Bonsai Society** (Springfield, IL)
 - <http://www.bonsaisbs.com/>

Public Collections

- **Chicago Botanic Garden Bonsai Collection** (Glencoe, IL)
 - <http://www.chicagobotanic.org/explore/bonsai.php>
- **Como Park Conservatory Bonsai** (St. Paul, MN)
 - <http://www.comozooconservatory.org/attractions/gardens/bonsai-gallery/#/info>
- **Des Moines Botanical Center** (Des Moines, IA)
 - <http://www.dmbotanicalgarden.com/explore-the-gardens/plant-collections/>

Suppliers

- **BC Bonsai**
 - <http://www.bcbonsai.com/>

Calligraphy

Additionally, if you search within your vicinity, there are often private lesson instructors.

- **Buddhist Temple of Chicago**
 - <http://budtempchi.org/education/calligraphy/>
- **Japanese American Service Committee**
 - <http://www.jasc-chicago.org/cultural-and-community-programs/cultural-classes/>
- **Japanese Cultural Center Chicago**
 - <http://www.japaneseculturecenter.com/shodo-calligraphy/>

- **Oda Japanese Calligraphy School**
 - <http://www.shodousa.com/>
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Haiku

- **Chi-ku, President Mr. Charles Trumbull (Evanston, IL)**
 - 847-328-7620
 - trumbull@interaccess.com
 - **Haiku Society of America – Midwest Region**
 - <http://www.hsa-haiku.org/regions/midwest.htm>
 - **Haiku North America**
 - <http://www.haikunorthamerica.com/>
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Ikebana

- **Chicago Chapter of Ohara School of Ikebana, Annika Au (Naperville, IL)**
 - 630-788-3366
- **Illinois Prairie Chapter of Ikenobo Ikebana Society of America**
 - <http://prairieikebana.org/>
- **Ikebana International – Chicago Chapter**
 - <http://www.chicagoikebana.org/home>
- **Ikebana International –Minnesota Chapter**
 - <http://ikebana-minneapolis-stpaul.com/>
- **Kansas City Ikebana**
 - <https://www.facebook.com/KCIkebana>
- **Ikebana on Halsted - Ohara School of Ikebana Chicago, Margot Wang (Chicago, IL)**
 - Tel: 773-683-6040
 - IKEBANAonHalsted@gmail.com
 - <https://www.facebook.com/IKEBANAonHalsted/>
- **Sogestsu School of Japanese Flower Arrangement**
 - Toshiko Kolback (Arlington Heights, IL)
 - 847-800-6954
 - tshkolb5@aol.com
 - Miho Ito (Glenview, IL)
 - 847-542-7212

- taikansogetsuschool@gmail.com
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Netsuke/Inro/Ojime

- **Janel Jacobson** – Carving artist based in St. Paul, Minnesota
 - <http://www.janeljacobson.com/index.html>
 - **Norman L. Sanfield** – Internetsuke based in Chicago, IL
 - <http://www.internetsuke.com/contactus/default.asp>
 - Also the President of the International Netsuke Society, Chicago Chapter
 - <http://www.netsuke.org/Default.aspx?pagelId=1125415>
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Origami

- **CGCC Family Origami Club** (Evanston, IL), President Leslie Contos
 - <http://www.chicagogiftedcommunity.org/Default.aspx?pagelId=1697873>
 - **CHAOS – Chicago Area Origami Society** (Chicago, IL), President Robert C. Smith
 - <http://home.earthlink.net/~robertcubie/origami/chaos.html>
 - **IRON Folders, Indianapolis Regional Origami Network of Folders** (Indianapolis, IN), President Brian K. Webb
 - <http://www.ironfolders.com/>
 - **Naomi Negi, instructor at Japanese American Services Committee Chicago**
 - <http://www.jasc-chicago.org/cultural-and-community-programs/cultural-classes/>
 - **OPA - Origami Peoria Area** (Peoria, IL), President Kathy Knapp
 - <http://origamiusa.org/origami-group/opa-origami-peoria-area>
 - **Origami St Louis** (Chesterfield, MO), President Dawn Tucker
 - <http://origamiusa.org/origami-group/origami-st-louis>
 - **OrigamiUSA**
 - <http://origamiusa.org/>
 - **Paper Valley Fold** (Appleton, WI), President Candice Bradley Byrne
 - <http://origamiusa.org/origami-group/paper-valley-fold>
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Sumi-e (Brush Painting)

- **Japanese American Service Committee**
 - <http://www.jasc-chicago.org/>
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Suminagashi (“Floating Ink” Painting)

- **Milena Hughes Studio (Evanston)**
 - 847-328-7534
 - milena@interaccess.com
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Textile/Shibori

- **Art Institute of Chicago Collection**
 - <http://www.artic.edu/aic/collections/artwork/category/36?page=1>
- **Jay Rich**, World Shibori Network
 - <http://shibori.org/members/jayrich/>
- **Lillstreet**, one-day shibori pillow dyeing workshop (Chicago, IL)
 - <http://lillstreet.com/class/6868>
- **Mary Zicafoose**, World Shibori Network
 - <http://www.maryzicafoose.com/index.php>
- **Urban Threads Studio**, Shibori dyeing workshop, artist Christian Ortiz (Chicago, IL)
 - <http://urbanthreadsstudio.com/>
- **Shibori Studio**
 - shiboriatorie@gmail.com
 - 773-354-0053