



SCANDINAVIAN
SKINCARE ACADEMY



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Information for delegates attending courses in the UK



The Academy Location – Broadway, the Cotswolds



Broadway Village

The Scandinavian Skincare Academy located is in Broadway, the Cotswolds, Gloucestershire. Broadway is one of the prettiest and 'exclusive' villages in England and filled with golden Cotswold stone houses dating back to the Middle Ages. Broadway is often referred to as the 'Jewel of the Cotswolds' and the 'Show Village of England' because of its sheer beauty and magnificence.

As well as the many historic houses within the town there are also lots of shops, galleries, restaurants, pubs, a spa and a beautiful museum celebrating the Arts & Crafts movement, all within easy walking distance. Broadway is a good base from which to visit historic English gardens, National Trust stately homes, Oxford and Stratford-upon-Avon (birthplace of Shakespeare). It is also located quite close to Blenheim Palace. The academy team can help delegates with local tourism suggestions and directions, and can provide maps and various tourism literature.

Local information can be found at:

- <http://cotswolds.com/>
- <http://www.beautifulbroadway.com/>
- <http://www.broadway-cotswolds.co.uk/>
- <http://www.lovingthecotswolds.com>
- **Broadway Video:** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KERaACsUgYo>



Cosmetic Nurse Diploma Education with International Certification
Bachelor Level 4
Skin-booster / Mesolift / Dermal Filler
Instructor: Dr. Tim Eldridge



Certificate and Diploma in Laser / Light and IPL
Fast Track (Bachelor) QCF Level 4

The Cotswolds, Gloucestershire

The Cotswolds is designated as an Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, and is one of the loveliest parts of England. There is something here for everyone to enjoy from miles and miles of walks and footpaths, to quaint villages in famous golden Cotswold stone with cozy pubs and thatched roofs. There is delightful shopping in Burford (*"One of the top ten places in the world to live" – Forbes Magazine*); Stow on the Wold; and near the Academy locations in Broadway and Chipping Campden.

Nowhere else in England will you find such a feast of tourist attractions. In Chipping Campden you will find the [Court Barn](#), a museum dedicated to the Arts and Crafts Movement. Broadway houses the [Ashmolean Museum](#) which is directly opposite the academy.

Within a short drive you will find [Stratford upon Avon](#), with its theatre, shopping and restaurants. [Blenheim Palace](#), one of the most magnificent buildings in England is close by in Woodstock, and [Warwick Castle](#) is worth a day out.

Some of the best gardens in England are on our doorstep too, including [Hidcode](#), [Kiftsgate](#) and [Batsford Arboretum](#).



Courses Available

A list of the fees for the various courses for international delegates is available on our web site at <http://www.scandinavianskincareacademy.co.uk>

Qualifications

The academy offers ITEC courses that are on the Qualifications and Credit Framework (QCF), managed by OfQual. Our academy is approved by I.T.E.C. (International Therapy Examination Council) in the UK, and by Lånekasse, which is the Norwegian Government Funding Agency for delegates.



Our unique Fast Track ITEC course options award both ITEC international Diplomas and Scandinavian Academy Diplomas up to level 4.

Language

All courses and examinations are conducted in English, unless there is a full group of Norwegian delegates, in which case the classes will be in Norwegian.

e-Learning Courses

The e-learning courses will allow delegates to commence the study in their own country at home supported by e-learning for theory, preparation and practical work. Our e-learning platform includes our own Intranet, Skype one-to-one's with student's own English-speaking Scandinavian tutor, web seminars, learning videos and more.

The length of the home study (e-learning) is between 8-20 weeks depending on the type of course and the student's capacity for study. After the e-learning section of the course, delegates will come our Cotswolds-based academy for anywhere between 3-22 days to complete all of the practical study and for the examination.

Delegates who are on e-learning courses will be required to complete the e-learning section of the course prior to attending the practical section of the course at the Academy in the UK.

The Level 2 Fast track program is the basic course for delegates who have no skincare experience. The minimum period for the e-learning (home study) part of this course is 8-weeks however this would need 100% dedication every day during this period. The majority of delegates who take this course use up to 20-weeks for the e-learning part, however they also have other jobs, study, etc.

For the practical part of the course where the student comes to the academy in England, we require circa three weeks attendance; however some delegates need a few more days. We are flexible and agreeable should delegates need extra time with our teachers at the academy.

The success rate of student exam passes is high as we can use more time if required to work with each student individually.

All delegates who pass the exam receive a diploma from Scandinavian Skincare Academy and a diploma from ITEC UK.

Delegates can also build on the study with our additional dermatological skincare courses for nurses and health personnel / beauty therapist to suit their individual needs.

Courses run on a monthly basis.



Massage e-Learning demo



Beauty e-Learning demo



Anatomy & Physiology e-Learning demo

Class Attendance

Classes at the Academy begin at 09:00 and end at 18:00 from Monday to Friday. Some courses involve work at the weekends however we will of course make sure that you have some rest time to enjoy the local surroundings.

There will be a break for lunch and a small break for tea & coffee in the morning and afternoon. Tea, coffee and soft drinks will be provided.

Travel to the UK

Prior to the trip to the UK, the academy representative will give delegates pre-visit guidance including information on financial and travel matters. Delegates will need to liaise with the academy representative in their own country to make flight and travel arrangements and to ensure that they have the required travel documents prior to travel. These will include:

- Passport
- Visa for entry into the UK
- Return flight ticket

Delegates will also need adequate cash funds for the trip to the UK.

Depending on which country you live in, you may need to apply for a Student Visa / Study Visa. You will need to contact your local British Embassy. Once we have received confirmation of the student's attendance, we will issue a Letter of Acceptance which can be presented as part of the visa application process.

A list of British Embassies can be found at <https://www.gov.uk/government/world/organisations>.

Academy Enrolment Form

Prior to the commencement of study, Delegates are required to complete and sign the Academy Enrolment Form and the Academy Terms and Conditions of Study. Signed copy of each should be returned to the academy representative prior to commencement of the student's study.

Upon arrival, the academy will require a copy of the delegate's passport and if necessary, permission to study in the UK (study visa).

Financial

Delegates must enroll for the agreed course and pay the fees to the academy representative prior to the commencement of study.

In addition to course fees, delegates will also be responsible for expenses associated with the course to include:

- Accommodation (we have arrangements at various hotels, B&B's, etc.)
- Travel
- Travel insurance
- Food (we can recommend inexpensive dining options)
- Beverages
- Airport transfers. We can arrange for taxi collection to and from Birmingham Airport between the times of 08:00 and 20:00. Please note Heathrow, Gatwick and Stansted and a considerable distance and taxi fares can be quite expensive. If you wish to fly to Heathrow, Gatwick or Stansted, you will need to take a train or bus to Oxford where a taxi can collect you.
- Travel to and from the academy on course days
- Text books (can be ordered at <http://www.scandinavianskincareacademy.co.uk/Therapy-Textbooks.aspx>)
- Other daily living expenses
- Uniform (can be supplied by the student or ordered via the Academy)

GreatSpaJob.com

Delegates who complete a course at the academy can be listed on GreatSpaJob.com which offers the possibility for international job placement. The online spa recruitment portal is one of the largest international online recruitment portals for the health & beauty industry.

GreatSpaJob.com acts on behalf of both the employer and the employee by advertising available Spa positions; maintaining a database of Spa expertise; and introducing potential candidates to interested Spas and vice-versa.



www.greatspajob.com

Accommodation in Broadway Chipping & Campden

We understand how important it is to have somewhere suitable to live when you are studying overseas, many miles away from home, family and friends. For this reason, we will do all we can to help you find accommodation which best suits your needs.

There are several types of accommodation from which you can choose as follows:

A. Local Guest Houses / Bed & Breakfast

A list of B&B (bed and breakfast) can be found at:

- <http://www.broadway-cotswolds.co.uk/bedandbreakfast.html>

Prices in the villages vary from between £49 and higher. Accommodation is confirmed on a first-come - first-served basis and it is advisable to book as soon as possible. All local B&B hotels require a security deposit.

We can help to find B&B's.

We recommend **The Olive Branch in Broadway**: (www.theolivebranch-broadway.com)



B. Cottage Share

A cottage share option in Broadway is available for groups of two (2) or more. There are several small cottages in Broadway village which are typically 'quintessentially English' and very charming. They are also quite inexpensive as students in the past have paid circa £300 for a one-week stay. This is much cheaper than any hotel or B&B, however the students do need to cook their own food.

Food is quite inexpensive to buy in the village supermarket, and there are also several local small pubs and restaurants which are also inexpensive. A meal in a local pub would cost circa £12-£15.

If more than one student from a particular country is attending a course, students also have the option to share a room, as most of the cottages have twin rooms and single rooms (with double beds). This is also cost effective if someone is looking to save money.

Once travel dates are confirmed, we can provide options for the different cottages available at that particular time. We can also send pricing options, photographs, etc.

Please contact us for further details.

Dining in Broadway

Some B&B hotels also offer evening meal options however there are many restaurants and pubs in the village that offer reasonably priced food. Please visit:

- <http://www.broadway-cotswolds.co.uk/>

Frequently Asked Questions

<http://www.scandinavianskincareacademy.co.uk/FAQS.aspx>

Visitor Book

Below is a page from our Visitor Book taken from a recent Laser / IPL course.

DATE	NAME - ADDRESS	COMMENTS
26.8.15	MURTAZA KHAN 5 GLOUCESTER ROAD NUNEATON	It was an absolutely lovely and homely experience to be here on the course. Your hospitality was amazing and your patience varying on sainthood! Thank you very much.
06-08-15	JACQUELINE SICZKOWSKI ITEC	A very well organized and set of examinations. Congratulations to all candidates who have successfully completed their examinations and very best wishes in your future careers!! (111)
26.08.15	Inga Sylvi Hansson Kölnstr. Bottegweg. 23B Skurvi 3725	I've had a great stay here at these courses and have learned a lot. So nice all of you. Thank you! I'll be back soon 😊
26.08.15	Donata Škegude Plentis 26c-21 Kaunas Lithuania	I was so happy to be in this studies. Thank you for everything what you did for my. I think I will be back. =>
26.08.15	Christine Berg Fagerheimsgaten 11a, 3115 Tvedestrand	Thank you so so much for everything. You have been so good to us, so patient and showed us so good hospitality. This have been a very good experience, I'm looking forward to come back much love Christine =>