

GRAND MASTER AGRELLA

Grandmaster Agrella has been in the [martial arts](#) since [1938](#) and has over 50 years teaching experience. He has trained all over the world, including [China](#) and [Japan](#). At 74 years of age, he still teaches five classes a day. Grandmaster Agrella is recognized worldwide as a Chief Referee.

Jook Lum Tong Leong Kuo Shu Kwan

Praying Mantis began with Wong Long. His disciple Fun Tong taught Lo Kwon Yu. Lo in turn taught several students to a senior level in the system; one of those taught was Cheng-Peng-Weing who immigrated to the United States in [1962](#). Master Cheng-Peng-Weing taught Manuel Agrella and left him as sole heir. Grandmaster Agrella has since formed Jook Lum Tong Leong Kuo Shu Kwan.

Significant Associations:

- Instrumental in the founding of Pai Lum Kung Fu.
- Grandmaster Daniel K. Pai and Grandmaster Manuel Agrella inducted [Kalai Kano Griffin](#), now of Kajukenbo, into Pai Lum Kung Fu as the 1st Dragon of Pai Lum, granting him the name Iron Dragon.
- Granted Mark E. Bober 7th Duan (White Dragon Kung Fu Association), gave him permission to wear the Pai Lum Kung Fu Dragon Ring and to found T'ien Lung Tao.
- Instrumental in the founding of [Red Dragon Karate](#) and the [AKKF](#).

Martial Rankings:

- American College of Dans: 10th Degree Black Belt
- Jook Lum Tong Leong Tzee Wai Kuen: 10th Degree Black Belt
- Julin Tong Leong Kuo Shu Kwan International: 10th Degree Black Belt
- Zen BUDO Kai Karate Union International: 10th Degree Black Belt
- Zen BUDO Kai Tzee Wai Kuen: 10th Degree Black Belt
- American Karate Kung Fu International Federation: 10th Degree Black Belt
- Hong Kong Chinese Martial Arts Association LTD. (Kowloon, China): Permanent Member, Grand Master
- White Dragon Kung Fu (Pai Lum Kung Fu) Association: 9th Degree Black Belt
- Taichung Karate Association (Taiwan): 6th Degree Black Belt
- Amoeba Defensive Tactics: Grand Master
- Imperial Karate: Black Belt
- Japan Do Kyokushinkai-Do (Tokyo, Japan): 6th Degree Black Belt
- Jujutsu: Black Belt
- Kendo: Black Belt
- China Kempo: Black Belt
- American Kendo Association: Founder, Chairman
- Official Referees Association: Founder, Chairman
- Amoeba Violence Management: Founder, Chairman

Martial Honors:

- 1992 - NASKA, Outstanding Referee
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- 1989 - U.S. Capital Classics, Classics Award
- 1985 - Who's Who in American Martial Arts
- 1982–1984 - California Grand Nationals Outstanding Referee
- 1982/1983 - Who's Who in Karate
- 1979–1981 - Mid-Atlantic Martial Arts Association – Outstanding Referee
- United International Kung Fu Federation's Hall of Fame
- Grand Master's Hall of Fame
- Diplomat Russia International Martial Arts College, St. Petersburg, Russia
- International Representative, Action Martial Arts Magazine
- Appeared on The Martial Arts Today Show