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We describe a combinatorial map from the Kauffman skein algebra of a surface to its quantum Teichmuller space. We will also mention some applications of this map. (Received August 27, 2012)