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The Relational Pulse: Controversies, Caricatures, and Clinical Wisdom

THURSDAY, JUNE 25 – SUNDAY, JUNE 28, 2015

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CONFERENCE CO-CHAIRS

Hazel Ipp, PhD | Margaret J. Black, LCSW | Jody Davies, PhD | Spyros D. Orfanos, PhD

Dear Colleague,

An international conference such as IARPP's "The Relational Pulse" is an opportunity. The 2015 annual IARPP Conference will provide different angles and shifts of light on the contemporary relational sensibility, and on the different motivations we have for doing our work. The compiled parts of this conference are our collective inventory and desire. "The Relational Pulse" is about the past, present, and future in the clinical and scholarly domains, not about fashionable trends.

Since Stephen Mitchell first coined the term relational psychoanalysis, this phrase has encompassed a range of rich understandings and clinical approaches that share significant features while they may also diverge quite radically. Major differences mark the interpersonal, self psychological, object relational, and existential versions of relationality. While all richly contributing to the overarching perspective, each favors a particular theoretical emphasis and corresponding clinical sensibility.

Mitchell's carefully considered comparative methodology illuminated how each expression of a relational vision unequivocally locates the development of human experience within a context of relationships with others, internal, external and in fantasy; each is at the same time rooted in somewhat differing assumptions about mind, human growth, and the central dynamics of treatment. Each has its distinctive narrative and recognizable clinical expression.

Proponents of these versions of a relational approach are at times inclined to claim the entire perspective, equating their particular vision with the relational perspective as a whole. And critics—both from within the relational world and outside it—have at times offered superficially caricatured critiques, selecting some clearly partial version of the perspective and treating it as though it could stand in for the actual complexity of the whole, with its multiple contending parts and clinical practices.

So, well beyond the superficial notion of an inclusive, tolerant "broad tent," this conference will explore an alternative view: that the greatest strength of the relational perspective emerges when the multiple emphases within it are held in a creative tension—or dialectical tension in which each complements, as well as clashes, with the others.

While quite challenging to the clinician—inevitably demanding the analyst's radical openness both to themselves and to their patients—this vision of relational multiplicity is, we believe, less likely to become narrowly enshrined as the correct relational—or analytic—path. It is, we believe, how we can use our differences—as Mitchell used the comparative psychoanalytic method—to grow, change, and expand the meanings of what is relational from within.

Viewing clinical material in each of our plenaries, we'll explore how these various emphases within the relational paradigm actually differ from one another and express themselves within the treatment relationship. What does it mean that we emphasize opening up to oneself? How does one live in the dialectical tensions, the heightened paradoxes, that clashing perspectives will invariably evoke? How can we attempt to live creatively and effectively in the conflicts and inherent multiplicity of the relational analytic world?

We urge you to take advantage of the rich opportunities offered by IARPP at our 2015 annual conference, "The Relational Pulse," to learn from the presenters, to engage in the discussions, to start new friendships, and to consolidate old friendships. In other words, the heart of this conference is dialogue. May it offer you memorable memories.

— Hazel Ipp, Margaret Black, Jody Davies and Spyros Orfanos, IARPP 2015 Conference Co-Chairs

LOCATION AND ACCOMMODATIONS

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CONTINUING EDUCATION & EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

This conference is intended for psychoanalysts, psychiatrists, psychologists, social workers, psychiatric nurses, marriage and family counselors, and clinical professional counselors, academics, and educators. The conference is organized to facilitate maximum opportunity for questions, comments and dialogue between the audience and the presenters, allowing clinicians to engage in an extensive variety of topics relevant to the field.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of the conference, participants will be able to:

- Evaluate the development of clinical wisdom in contemporary relational psychoanalysis and psychotherapy.
- Discuss the tradition of comparative methodology in relational psychoanalysis.
- Explain current controversies in relational practice and theorizing.
- Appraise the clinical and theoretical caricatures of the current relational perspective.
- Contrast superficial and substantive inclusiveness of relational ideas and practices.
- Compare underlying assumptions of interpersonal, self psychological, object relations and existential versions of relational psychoanalysis and psychotherapy.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

This program is sponsored by the International Association for Relational Psychoanalysis and Psychotherapy (IARPP).



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If you have any questions about CE credit's please contact Lucia Lezama at LLezama@iarpp.net

Continuing Education Hours will be awarded as follows:

Thursday Optional Half Day Master Class = 4 Hours

Main Conference Program (Thursday - Sunday) = 18.5 Hours

Total Conference = 22.5 Hours

REGISTRATION, SESSION SELECTIONS & OPTIONAL RECEPTION

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... or by completing and mailing the enclosed Conference Registration Form. Registration for the conference allows attendance at all sessions of the Main Conference, coffee on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday mornings, and all scheduled coffee breaks. Lunches are on your own.

Early registration is strongly advised to ensure a place in your preferred Panel Sessions. All Panel Session assignments will be made strictly on a first-come (paid), first-served basis. Please refer to the program and indicate your selections on the Conference Registration Form. Submit your completed Conference Registration Form with your check or credit card information no later than May 25th, 2015 to be eligible for the early registration fees. Please note that registrations postmarked after May 25th, 2015 will be subject to the regular conference fee. We regret that exceptions cannot be made to allow additional registrants into a Panel Session that has reached its maximum capacity.

SATURDAY EVENING CELEBRATORY RECEPTION

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If your entire registration must be canceled, a refund less \$75 administrative fee will be allowed if requested in writing by June 8th, 2015. Cancellations made in writing between June 8th – June 19th, 2015 will be refunded 50% plus the \$75 administrative fee. We regret that cancellations made after June 19th, 2015 will not be accepted. Cancellations on optional ticketed items such as the conference reception will not be accepted after June 8th, 2015.

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Thursday, June 25th 2015 OPTIONAL PRE-CONFERENCE PROGRAMS

For a full description of pre-conference titles & objectives, please visit www.iarpp.net.

- 7:45 am** Registration for Optional Pre-Conference Programs
8:30 am – 12:30 pm Optional Half-Day Pre Conference Sessions
- Heart Melts Forward: The Work of Emmanuel Ghent**
Instructors: Adrienne Harris, PhD and Victoria Demos, PhD
 - The Embodied Analyst - An Experiential Workshop**
Instructors: Jon Sletvold, PsyD and Sue Shapiro, PhD
 - Writing "The Taste of Chocolate" — An Interactive Clinical Writing Workshop**
Instructor: Suzi Naiburg, PhD, LICSW
 - Relational Psychoanalytic Approaches to Couples Psychotherapy**
Instructors: Philip A. Ringstrom, PhD, PsyD and David Shaddock, PhD, MFT
Moderator: Heather MacIntosh, PhD
 - Like a Bird on a Wire: A Psychoanalytic Approach to the Last Year of Life**
Instructor: Gary Rodin, MD FRCPC and Sarah Hales, MD

All Pre-Conference Sessions will conclude at 12:30 pm.

Thursday, June 25, 2015 MAIN CONFERENCE

For a full description of session paper titles, objectives, and faculty info, please visit www.iarpp.net.

12:30 pm Registration for Main Conference Opens

2:00 pm PANEL SESSION I: (10 Concurrent Sessions)

1. Inside and Outside of Culture

Speakers: Lisa Lyons, PhD, USA; Cynthia Chalker, MSW, USA; and Andrew Samuels, DHL, UK
Moderator/Interlocutor: Elizabeth Corpt, MSW, USA

2. The Environmental Pulse: Characterizations of the Relational Center

Speakers: Susan Bodnar, PhD, USA; Anthony Wilson, MSW, Canada; and Elizabeth Allured, PsyD, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: Sarah Turnbull, PhD, Canada

3. "Framing" as Relational Process

Speakers: Kim Bernstein, PhD, USA; Rachel Sopher, MSW, USA; and Francoise Jaffe, LCSW, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: Glenys Lobban, PhD, USA

4. Psychotherapy Integration and the Relational Paradigm

Speakers: Karen Starr, PsyD, USA and Jill Bresler PhD, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: Offer Maurer PhD, Israel

5. Uncharted Depths: Expanding the Reach of Psychoanalysis

Speakers: Barry Magid, MD, USA; Katherine Leddick PhD, USA; Evelyn Rappoport, PsyD, USA; and Sebastian Medeiros, MD, Urzua, Chile
Moderator/Interlocutor: Hilary Maddux, LCSW, USA

6. Challenging the Success Failure Polarity in Relational Psychoanalysis

Speakers: Annette Richard, MPs, Canada; Ellen Shumsky, LCSW, USA and Doris Brothers, PhD, USA
Discussant: Lynn Preston, MA, USA
Moderator: Marianne Kennedy, MA, Australia

7. Relational Considerations of Family and Group Constellations

Speakers: Christine Kieffer, PhD, ABPP, USA; Allison Katz, CSW, USA and John Skrovan, PhD, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: David Wright, AS, Canada

8. Contradiction, Empathy, and Multiplicity

Speakers: Ann-Marie Sacramone, MEd LP, USA; Alessandro Cavelzani, PhD, Italy and Judith Levene, PhD, Canada
Moderator/Interlocutor: Janna Sandmeyer, PhD, USA

9. Technology as Challenge and Opportunity in Psychoanalytic Practice

Speakers: Shoshana Ringel, PhD, ABPP, USA; Faye Mishna, PhD, Canada and Aleksandra Misiolek, PhD, Spain
Discussant: Larry Zelnick, PsyD, USA
Moderator: Philip Classen, PhD, Canada

10. Self Psychology and the Intersubjective

Speakers: Mariko Konishi, PhD, Japan; Shelley Doctors, PhD, USA and Donna Orange, PhD, PsyD, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: Harry Segal, PhD, USA

3:30 pm Adjournment of Panel Session I

5:00 pm IARPP Candidate's Reception

6:00 pm Welcoming Comments

Susanna Federici Nebbiosi, PhD,
IARPP President

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6:15 pm PLENARY I: *Multiplicity and Unity within Relational Psychoanalysis: Convergences, Controversies and Creative Tensions*

Moderator/Interlocutor: Chana Ullman, PhD, Israel

Presenters: Jody Davies, PhD, USA; Estelle Shane, PhD, USA; Stuart Pizer, PhD, USA, and Mark Blechner, PhD, USA

8:15 pm Adjournment of Opening Event Plenary I

8:15 pm Opening Conference Reception

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8:00 am Registration & Coffee

9:00 am PLENARY II: *In and Out of Mind: Engaging the Intrapsychic and Intersubjective in Relational Psychoanalysis*

Moderator/Interlocutor: Steven Cooper, PhD, USA

Clinical Presenter: Gianni Nebbiosi, PhD, Italy

Discussants: Margaret Black, LCSW, USA; Spyros Orfanos, PhD, USA and Hazel Ipp, PhD, Canada

11:00 am Adjournment of Plenary II & Coffee Break

11:30 am Post Plenary Discussion Groups

Co-Leaders: Jessica Benjamin, PhD; Velleda Ceccoli, PhD; Nino Dazzi, PhD; Muriel Dimen, PhD; Darlene Ehrenberg, PhD; Jack Foehl, PhD; Stephen Hartman, PhD; Steven Knoblauch, PhD; Steven Kuchuck, LCSW; Joseph Lichtenberg, MD; Barbara Pizer, EdD; Philip Ringstrom, PhD, PsyD; Gary Rodin, MD, FRCP; Andrew Samuels, DHL; Andre Sassenfeld, MA; Joyce Slochower, PhD; Melanie Suchet, PhD; Frank Summers, PhD, ABPP; Gary Taerk, MD; and Drew Tillotson, PsyD

12:30 pm Lunch (on your own)

1:30 pm PANEL SESSION II: (10 Concurrent Sessions)

1. Multiplicity and Identificatory Living: Two Principles of Mental Functioning

Speakers: Steven Stern, PsyD, USA; Shlomit Yadlin-Gadot, PhD, Israel and Lisa Cataldo, PhD, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: Andre Sassenfeld, MA, Chile

2. Surviving the Crunch

Speakers: William Pinney, PhD, USA; Maria Tammono, PsyD, Italy and Silvia Preti, PhD, Italy
Discussant: Barbara Pizer, EdD, USA
Moderator: Elizabeth Goldstein, MSW, Canada

3. Clinical Wisdom: Living in Not Knowing

Speakers: Amy Joelson, LCSW, USA; Lorraine Caputo, MSW, USA and Lama Khouri, MSW, USA
Discussant: Mary Sonntag, MSW, USA
Moderator: Sara Zimmerman, PhD, Canada

4. Comparing Relational Theories: Klein, Bion, and the Intersubjective

Speakers: Martin Altmeyer, PsyD, Germany and Avi Nutkevitch, PhD, Israel
Moderator/Interlocutor: Brent Willock, PhD, Canada

5. Multiple Dimensions of Trauma from a Relational Perspective

Speakers: Jill Salberg, PhD, USA; Daniel Shaw, LCSW, USA and Patricia Hunter, PsyD, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: Bonnie Zindel, LCSW, USA

6. Intergenerational Controversies in Analytic Identity and Practice

Speakers: Stephen Hartman, PhD, USA and Stephen Lugar, PsyD, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: Katie Gentile, PhD, USA

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7. *Shaken and Stirred: The Female Analyst and the Male Patient*

Speakers: Janet Kelly, MSW, USA; Carol Perlman, MSW, USA; Susan Greenberg, MSW, USA, and Hillary Grill, MSW, USA

Discussant: Sheldon Itzkowitz, PhD, ABPP, USA
Moderator: Maria Eugenia Boetsch, PsyD, Chile

8. Varieties of Openness and Vulnerability

Speakers: Lauren Levine, PhD, USA; Deborah Dowd, MSW, USA and Sharon Ziv-Beiman, PhD, Israel
Discussant: Mark Gerald, PhD, USA

Moderator: Ehud Avitzur, PhD, Canada

9. Frames That Bend, Break and Cry

Speakers: Deborah Sherman, MA, USA; Sandra Silverman, LCSW, USA and Ivan Alejandro Arenas Segura, PhD, Chile
Moderator/Interlocutor: Judi Kobrick, PhD, Canada

10. Imagination as Container

Speakers: Noelle Burton, PsyD, USA; Christopher Bonovitz, PsyD, USA and Paolo Stramba-Badiale, PhD, Italy

Discussant: Steven Cooper, PhD, USA

Moderator: Johanna Dobrich, LCSW, USA

3:00 pm Adjournment of Panel Session II and Coffee Break

3:30 pm PLENARY III: *Thinking about Power and Authority in Relational Psychoanalysis*

Moderator/Interlocutor: Donnel Stern, PhD, USA

Clinical Presenter: Francesca Colzani, PsyD, Chile

Discussants: Irwin Hoffman, PhD, USA; Jill Straker, PhD, Australia; and Susana Federici Nebbiosi, PhD, Italy

5:30 pm Adjournment of Plenary III and Coffee Break

6:00 pm IARPP Membership Meeting

7:00 pm Adjournment for the day

Saturday, June 27, 2015 MAIN CONFERENCE

For a full description of session paper titles, objectives, and faculty info, please visit www.iarpp.net.

8:00 am Registration & Coffee

8:30 am PLENARY IV: *Regression, Self States and the Developmental Dimension in Therapeutic Action*

Moderator/Interlocutor: Adrienne Harris, PhD, USA

Clinical Presenter: Rina Lazar, PhD, Israel

Discussants: Samuel Gerson, PhD, USA; Anthony Bass, PhD, USA; and Stephen Seligman, DMH, USA

10:30 am Adjournment of Plenary IV and Coffee Break

11:00 am Post Plenary Discussion Groups

Co-Leaders: Jessica Benjamin, PhD; Velleda Ceccoli, PhD; Nino Dazzi, PhD; Muriel Dimen, PhD; Darlene Ehrenberg, PhD; Jack Foehl, PhD; Stephen Hartman, PhD; Steven Knoblauch, PhD; Steven Kuchuck, LCSW; Joseph Lichtenberg, MD; Barbara Pizer, EdD; Philip Ringstrom, PhD, PsyD; Gary Rodin, MD, FRCP; Andrew Samuels, DHL; Andre Sassenfeld, MA; Joyce Slochower, PhD; Melanie Suchet, PhD; Frank Summers, PhD, ABPP; Gary Taerk, MD; and Drew Tillotson, PsyD

12:00 noon Lunch (on your own)

1:30 pm PANEL SESSION III: (11 Concurrent Sessions)

1. Couples Therapy and the Analyst's Coupling

Speakers: Irit Kleiner-Paz, MA, Israel; Ron Nasim, MA, Israel; Limor Kaufman, PhD, USA and Stacy Malin PhD, USA

Moderator/Interlocutor: Catherine Martin, MSW, Canada

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2. Decontextualization

Speakers: Michael Pariser, PsyD, USA and Peter Maduro, PsyD, JD, USA

Discussant: William Coburn, PsyD, PhD, USA
Moderator: Cathy Hicks, MA, Australia

3. What's Resistance Anyway? Responsibility, Analytic Subjectivity, and Their Clinical Implications

Speakers: Frank Summers, PhD, ABPP, USA; Joyce Slochower PhD, USA and Peter Shabad PhD, USA
Discussant: Marsha Levy-Warren, PhD, PC, USA
Moderator: Maxwell Levis, PhD, USA

4. Applications of Research, Neuroscience and Attachment Theory to Relational Therapeutic Practice

Speakers: Andrea Oskis, PhD, UK; Fiona Starr, PsyD, UK; Kate Brown, MSc, UK and Oliver Christopher Lyttelton, PhD, Canada

Moderator/Interlocutor: Gerald Tilman, BA, USA

5. Desire, Perversion, and Addiction to Love

Speakers: Luis Raimundo Guerra Cid, PhD, Spain; Bruce Herzog, MD FRCP, Canada and Darlene Ehrenberg, PhD, USA

Discussant: Stefanie Solow Glennon, PhD, USA
Moderator: Ann Baranowski, PhD, Canada

6. Where are the Nannies in Psychoanalysis?

Speakers: Cleonie White, PhD, USA; Elizabeth Hegeman, PhD, USA and Neil Altman, PhD, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: Melanie Suchet, PhD, USA

7. Historical and Bridging Perspectives on Relationality

Speakers: Cristina Bonucci, PhD, Italy and Karl Loszak, MD, Canada

Moderator/Interlocutor: Keith Haartman, PhD, Canada

8. Invited Candidate Award Panel

The Candidate on the Wave of Enactment

Speakers: Victor Doñas, MD, Chile; Danielle Novack, PhD, USA; Sara Biondi, PhD, Italy and Adrienne Tan, MD, Canada

Discussant: Martin Frommer, PhD, USA
Moderator: Hilary Offman, MD, Canada

9. Considerations in Working with Men

Speakers: Dan Friedlander, MA, Israel and Ronald Ruskin, MD, Canada

Discussant: Gary Taerk, MD, Canada

Moderator/Interlocutor: Drew Tillotson, PsyD, USA

10. Relational Avatars: Bridging Then and Now

Speakers: Rosario Costañó, BA Psych, Spain; Carlos Rodriguez Sutil, PsyD, Spain and Charles Levin, PhD, Canada

Moderator/Interlocutor: Karen Rosica, PsyD, USA

11. Invited Documentary Screening

The Labyrinth: The Testimony of Marian Kolodziej

Speakers: Ron Schmidt, SJ, USA, and Sophia Richman, PhD, Canada

Moderator/Interlocutor: Sue Shapiro, PhD, USA

3:00 pm *Adjournment of Panel Session III and Coffee Break*

3:30 pm **PANEL SESSION IV:** (11 Concurrent Sessions)

1. Multiple Selves in Action: The Dialectic Between Self and Object Relational Approaches; Clinical Shifts Informed By Patients' Needs

Speakers: Julia Davies, PhD, USA; Maria Slowiaczek PhD, USA and Marina Amore PhD, Italy
Discussant: Sandra Hershberg MD, USA
Moderator: E. Joyce Klein, MSW, USA

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2. Immigration as a Psychic Presence in Psychoanalytic Process

Speakers: Veronica Csillag, MSW, USA and Susan Klebanoff, PhD, USA

Discussant: Francesco Andreucci, MD, Germany
Moderator/Interlocutor: Kadri Ann Laar, PhD, Canada

3. Psychoanalytic and Artistic Voices in Synergy

Speakers: Alessandro Riva, PhD, Italy; Andrea Recarte, MA, USA and Aleksandra Rayska, MA, MS, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: Deborah Levine, PhD, Canada

4. The Non-Negotiables: What Happens When the Analyst Can't or Won't Change

Speakers: Steven Tublin, PhD, USA; Alison Brown, PhD, USA and Sarah Schoen, PhD, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: John Sloane, MD, Canada

5. The Literary and The Psychoanalytic Voice

Speakers: Sandra Buechler, PhD, USA; Dennis Plant, PhD, USA and Lucinda Ballantyne, LICSW, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: Joe Lichtenberg, MD, USA

6. Embarrassment, Self Sabotage and Apology

Speakers: Margaret Crastnapol, PhD, USA; Sharyn Leff, LCSW, USA and Micha Weiss, MA, Israel
Moderator/Interlocutor: Sam Izenberg, MD, Canada

7. Being in the Body in Psychoanalysis

Speakers: Caryn Sherman-Meyer, LCSW, USA; Jane Lewis, LCSW, USA and Christina Emanuel, PsyD, USA
Moderator/Interlocutor: Judy Pickles, PhD, USA

8. The Quality of Relatedness and Analytic Intent
Speakers: Rachel McKay, PhD, USA and David Mark, PhD, USA

Discussant: Donnel Stern, PhD, USA

Moderator: Daniel Goldin, LMFT, USA

9. Beyond Caricature: The Value of Theoretical Comparison in Helping Us Think and in Creating New Experience

Speakers: Joel Kanter, MSW, USA and Peter Kaufmann, PhD, USA

Discussant: Irwin Hirsch, PhD, USA

Moderator: Emily Kuriloff, PsyD, USA

10. When Relatedness is Damaged: A New Consideration of the Link Between Relational Psychoanalysis and Object Relations

Speakers: Lisa Director, PhD, USA; Robert Grossmark, PhD, USA and Jade McGleughlin, MSW, USA

Discussant: Joseph Newirth, PhD, ABPP, USA

Moderator: Sally Donaldson, PhD, USA

11. Invited Documentary Screening

Letters to Canada—Dear Canada: Messages of Reconciliation from Children and Young People

Speakers: Cindy Blackstock, PhD, Canada, and Sarah Clarke, MSW, LLB, Canada

Moderator/Interlocutor: Faye Mishna, PhD, Canada

5:00 pm *Adjournment for the day*

7:00 pm *Celebratory Reception – Light Dinner & Dancing*

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For a full description of session paper titles, objectives, and faculty info, please visit www.iarpp.net.

7:30 am *Registration & Coffee*

9:00 am **PANEL SESSION V:** (10 Concurrent Sessions)

1. Psychoanalysis Beyond Words

Speakers: Janine DePeyer, LCSW, USA and Rose Gupta, PsyD, USA

Discussant: Ruth Gruenthal, MSW, USA

Moderator: Rebecca Mair, PhD, USA

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2. Cancer Patients and Relational Psychoanalysis

Speakers: Conway Frances, RN, USA; Frances Dillon, CSW, USA; Ted Billings, MSW, USA and Amalia Rivera, MA, Mexico

Moderator/Interlocutor: Stephanie Bot, PsyD, Canada

3. Recognizing and Engaging Dyadic Collisions of the Psyche and Soma

Speakers: Fiona Kate Roy Sullivan, PhD, USA; Johanna Malone, PhD, USA and Marina Kovarsky, MSW, USA
Discussant: Patricia Ann Harney, PhD, USA

Moderator: Miriam Franco, PsyD, USA

4. Discovering the Analyst: Excursions in Subjectivity

Speakers: Steven Kuchuck, LCSW, USA; Chana Ullman, PhD, Israel and Ari Pizer, MMT, USA

Moderator/Interlocutor: Holly Levenkron, MSW, USA

5. Inside, Outside, and In Between: Can Thinking About Sexual Boundary Violations Bring Us Clinical Wisdom?

Speakers: Andrea Celenza, PhD, USA and Muriel Dimen, PhD, USA

Discussant: Velleda Ceccolli, PhD, USA

Moderator: Margaret Amerongen, MSW, Canada

6. Theoretical Change, Extensions and Integration: Increased Clinical Complexity and Choices Within Relational Psychoanalysis

Speakers: James Fosshage, PhD, ABPP, USA and Kenneth Frank, PhD, USA

Discussant: Marc Sholes, LCSW, USA

Moderator: Amy Schwartz Cooney, PhD, USA

7. Memories From the Future: The Prospective Function of Enactment

Speakers: Lewis Aron, PhD, ABPP, USA and Galit Atlas, PhD, USA

Discussants: Joye Weisel-Barth, PhD, PsyD, USA and Jessica Benjamin, PhD, USA

Moderator: Billie Pivnick, PhD, USA

8. The Relational Infant: What do We Know, What Can We Use?

Speakers: Eleanora Fabia Banella, MA, Italy; Seth Aronson, PhD, USA and Talia Hatzor, PhD, USA

Discussants: Pasqual Pantone, PhD, USA and Nino Dazzi, PhD, Italy

Moderator: Susan Warshaw, EdD, USA

9. Transitional Space as a Gateway to Intersubjectivity

Speakers: Maria Cristina Gomez Alvarez, PhD, Mexico and Alejandra Plaza Espinoza, PhD, Mexico

Discussant: Steven Knoblauch, PhD, USA

Moderator: Karl Southgate, MA, USA

10. On the Analytic Functions of Negotiation and Interpretation

Speakers: Jack Foehl, PhD, USA; Marco Bernabei, PhD, Italy and Ingrid Pedroni, PhD, Italy

Moderator/Interlocutor: Ann Marie Maxwell, PhD, Mexico

10:30 am *Adjournment of Panel Session V & Coffee Break*

11:00 am **PLENARY V: Beyond the Big Tent: Questioning and Expanding Some Core Premises of Our Relational Culture and Canon**

Presenters: Malcolm Slavin, PhD, USA; Juan Francisco Jordan-Moore, MD, Chile; and Francisco Gonzalez, MD, USA

Chair: Hazel Ipp, PhD, Canada

1:00 pm *Final Adjournment*

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