Austin Society for Psychoanalytic Psychology (ASPP)

Psychoanalytic Salons and Film 2015-2016

Our salons are friendly gatherings at the homes and offices of members of ASPP that intend to promote psychoanalytically and psychodynamically oriented knowledge at both beginning and advanced levels. The fees are aimed to support these and other ASPP programs. Our theme this year is “Embodied Experience.”

Salon #3 Embodied Experience: History, Theoretical Conceptualizations, and Clinical Practice

This is an intermediate-to-advanced level salon for persons who want to delve deeply into the topic of embodied experience. The year-long sessions will provide a historical overview of theoretical concepts, beginning with Freud’s body-ego and libido; subsequently looking at contributions from object relations, infant observations, and neuroscience; and examining current relational perspectives. We will consider how bodily characteristics such as gender and race are manifested in the clinical process. We will explore the dynamics and treatment of somatic disorders, anorexia, and self-mutilation. Erotic transferences, including primitive maternal erotic transferences versus more adult erotic transferences, will be considered, along with ways of dealing with them. In addition, we will explore how the clinician’s body impacts the client and treatment. Goals for each hour are (1) Define and describe two ways in which Freud postulated a body-centered mind,(2) Describe what Winnicott meant by the mind’s relation to the psyche-soma, (3) Describe how infant observations contributed to the view of an embodied mind,(4) Describe how relational perspectives differ from Freud’s one-person view of the embodied mind, (5) Identify the brain mechanisms that contribute to transference, (6) Identify the brain mechanisms that contribute to free association,(7) Describe how recent psychoanalytic female developmental theory has contributed to new views of the embodied mother and infant development, (8) Describe how a maternal erotic transference differs from other erotic transferences, (9) Describe how race surfaces in the transference, (10) Describe how current conceptions of gender differ from classic binary concepts, (11) Identify two possible issues that might arise in working with a transgender individual, (12) Describe two or more dynamics underlying some somatic disorders,(13) Identify possible defensive functions served by self-abusive behavior,(14) Describe how the clinician’s body might impact anorexic individuals and other clients, and (15) Identify some pros and cons in disclosing an erotic countertransference to a client. CME/CE/CEU/PD credits: 15 (participants must attend at least 8 of 10 sessions for credit)

Facilitators: JoAnn Ponder, PhD is a psychologist and psychoanalyst in private practice in Austin. She completed her training in adult psychoanalysis and child psychotherapy at the Center for Psychoanalytic Studies, where she now serves on the faculty. She also completed a family/couples therapy program at the International Institute for Object Relations Therapy. Currently, she’s a fellow in the Infant-Parent MH Intervention Program at the University of Massachusetts at Boston. R. Richard Campbell, PhD is a psychologist in private practice in Austin. He is a founding member and former president of ASPP, also a frequent teacher and presenter about numerous topics in psychoanalysis. He has studied various psychoanalytic theories, especially self-psychology, and has additional interests in music and literature.

Location: Richard Campbell’s home 4405 Rosedale, Austin TX
Dates/Time: Tuesdays 10/13, 10/27, 11/17, 12/8, 1/12, 1/26, 3/8, 3/22, 4/19, 5/10 7:30-9:00pm
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Required Reading:
October 13  [Session 1: Freudian Conceptions]

October 27  [Session 2: Views from Object Relations and Infant Observations]

November 17  [Session 3: Relational Approaches]

December 8  [Session 4: Neuroscience and Psychoanalysis]

January 12  [Session 5: Embodied Mother and Maternal Erotic Transferences]

January 26  [Session 6: Race in the Transference/Countertransference]

March 8  [Session 7: Gender and Sexual Orientation]

March 22  [Session 8: Somatic Disorders and Self-Mutilation]

April 19  [Session 9: The Analyst’s Body]
May 10  

[Session 10: Adult Sexuality and Erotic Transferences]


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CEs: These programs, when attended as required in each specific salon, are available for continuing education credits. Division 39 is approved by the American Psychological Association to sponsor continuing education for psychologists. Division 39 maintains responsibility for this program and its content. Participants must attend at least 80% of the program in order to receive a Certificate of Attendance. Division 39 is committed to accessibility and non-discrimination in its continuing education activities. Division 39 is also committed to conducting all activities in conformity with the American Psychological Association’s Ethical Principles for Psychologists. Participants are asked to be aware of the need for privacy and confidentiality throughout the program. If program content becomes stressful, participants are encouraged to process these feelings during discussion periods. If participants have special needs, we will attempt to accommodate them. Please address questions, concerns and any complaints to Denise Lemos Zaborowski at (512) 573-2669. There is no commercial support for this program nor are there any relationships between the CE Sponsor, presenting organization, presenter, program content, research, grants, or other funding that could reasonably be construed as conflicts of interest. During the program, the presenter will discuss the validity and utility of the content and associated materials, the basis of such statements about validity/utility, and the limitations of and risks (severe and most common) associated with the content, if any. ASPP also provides Professional Development credits for psychologists in Texas.

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To register for a Salon or Film, (1) contact facilitator and (2) complete the following form and bring your payment to the first class or mail this form and payment to ASPP, P.O. Box 162082, Austin, TX  78716

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