

Forum 2017

Welcome

We welcome you to the 28th annual Forum! The Alliance is dedicated to deepening our understanding of the human condition. This objective is addressed in nine presentations from several perspectives.

Jenny Gardon, Alliance president, will conduct a brief business meeting.

We wish you an enriching day.

Continuing education

Forum 2017 has applied for approval to offer certification of 5 hours of continuing education for all mental health professionals.

This workshop has been approved for 5 CEUs by the Washington State Society for Clinical Social Work (WSSCSW) for Licensed Social Workers, Licensed Marriage and Family Therapists, and Licensed Mental Health Counselors.

Important disclosure information for all learners: None of the planners and presenters of this program have any relevant financial relationships to disclose.



Presenters

Daniel Benveniste, PhD

Robert Bergman, MD

Matthew Brooks, MSW, LICSW

Robert Campbell, MD

Sandra Christensen, ARNP

Joan Golston, DCSW, LICSW

Kenneth Kimmel, LMHC

Janae Kronbach, LMHC

Karol Marshall, PhD

Robin McCoy Brooks, MA

Tanya Ruckstuhl, LICSW

Gillian Vik, LMHC

Karen Weisbard, PsyD

Plenary Presenters

Joseph Canarelli, LICSW

Katherine Weissbourd, PhD

Shierry NicholSEN, PhD, LMHC

Carol Poole, MA, LMHC

Forum committee

David Allen, Michael Allison (chair),
Rebecca Brabo Silva, Matthew Brooks,
Marian Evans, Gloria Tolpin

NONPROFIT ORG
U.S. POSTAGE
PAID
SEATTLE, WA
PERMIT NO. 1132

Forum 2017

Alliance

NORTHWEST ALLIANCE FOR
PSYCHOANALYTIC STUDY

7511 Greenwood Ave N #407
Seattle, WA 98103



Saturday, April 8, 8:00 AM – 3:30 PM
Shoreline Conference Center

Presented by the
Northwest Alliance for Psychoanalytic Study

Forum 2017 schedule

8 – 8:20	Registration and continental breakfast		
8:30 – 10:00 am	Concurrent presentations: Intergenerational Transmission of Trauma <i>Karen Weisbard, PsyD;</i> <i>Karol Marshall, PhD;</i> <i>Janae Kronbach, LMHC</i> Three clinicians representing three generations of training and clinical experience (early, mid, and senior career) will explore manifestations of intergenerational transmission of trauma. Two case presentations will be discussed by the senior analyst who will then facilitate audience discussion.	Psychoanalytic Subject as Political Possibility <i>Robin McCoy Brooks, MA</i> I describe a psychoanalytically conceived notion of political action that I illustrate with the emergence of Project Quest that arose in response to the AIDS crises twenty-five years ago. My theoretical influences include the works of Žižek, Badiou, and Heidegger.	Transference in Psychotherapy <i>Daniel Benveniste, PhD</i> Transference describes the way the prototypes of significant infantile relationships are re-experienced in relation to the analyst within the context of the repetition compulsion. This presentation will focus on how to recognize the transference in our work with patients.
10:15 – 11:45 am	Concurrent presentations: Ski Lift Case <i>Robert Campbell, MD</i> Case of an angry 17-year-old, withdrawn, depressed male. No school attendance since 14. Severe maternal deprivation, et al., caused silence for 16 months. Movie characters used as metaphors to work with failures of ego development, reflective function, and signal anxiety.	Lessons from a Holocaust Survivor <i>Kenneth A. Kimmel, LMHC;</i> <i>Joan C. Golston, DCSW, LICSW</i> A trauma expert and a Jungian psychoanalyst join to review a concentration camp survivor’s testimony and consider the impact of her abject identification with the aggressor, complexities in the bearing of shame, and her rejection of the nurturing rescuer.	What Happens to the Alchemist? <i>Sandra Christensen, ARNP;</i> <i>Tanya Ruckstuhl, LICSW;</i> <i>Gillian Vik, LMHC</i> Through the alchemical vessel of writing, we will explore the therapist and client responses to collective trauma. We will put them in the pot, turn up the heat, and cook them to get the gold – the wisdom of the unconscious
12:00 – 1:15 pm	Hosted lunch & annual meeting <i>Jenny Gardon, president</i> – Annual meeting of the Northwest Alliance for Psychoanalytic Study		
1:30 – 3:30 pm	Plenary session: Responding Psychoanalytically to Trauma, Otherness, and the State of the World How can psychoanalysis help us as clinicians and citizens in the post-election world? A panel of presentations followed by group discussion on the political nature of psychoanalysis; projective identification as communication; the distortion of reality, time, and history; and the trauma of otherness. The panel will consist of: ■ Joseph Canarelli, LICSW ■ Katherine Weissbourd, PhD ■ Shierry Nicholsen, PhD, LMHC ■ Carol Poole, MA, LMHC, moderator		

registration

Forum 2017 ▪ Saturday, April 8, 8 AM – 3:30 PM ▪ Shoreline Conference Center

NAME / DEGREE

ADDRESS

CITYSTATEZIP

PHONE

Conference fees	Postmarked by April 1	Postmarked after April 1 or at the door
Alliance member	\$110	\$120
Nonmember	\$130	\$140
Student (Alliance member)	\$85	\$85
Student (nonmember)	\$100	\$100
Proceedings	\$15	\$15

Total amount enclosed: _____

Make checks payable to **NWAPS** or register online at NWAPS.org

Mail with this form to: NWAPS, 7511 Greenwood Ave N #407, Seattle WA 98103



Questions

Michael Allison, 206-321-2519

Directions

- Shoreline Conference Center,
18560 1st Avenue NE, Shoreline, WA 98155
- From I-5, take the NE 175th St exit (Exit #176) for Shoreline and head west on NE 175th St.
 - Turn right on Meridian Ave N.
 - Turn right on N 185th.
 - Turn left on 1st Ave NE. The Shoreline Center is on your right. Enter at the north entrance.

For more detailed directions and maps, please visit www.shorelinecenter.com and click on “directions.”