

CLINICAL SEMINARS: APPLING COUPLE PSYCHOANALYTIC THEORY IN WORK WITH COUPLES AND INDIVIDUALS

BY
PIERRE CACHIA

Format: **Online Training/Seminars**

Objectives:

These clinical seminars will offer a group of practitioners in Malta support in developing their practice through exposure to the clinical methodology developed at Tavistock Relationships in London (formally known as the Tavistock Centre for Couple Relationships). Clinical seminars are a proven method of professional development in psychotherapy training allowing participants to explore in depth the application of psychoanalytic theory and technique with the support of a senior clinician. This training will be limited to 5 practitioners who will each have the opportunity to present a piece of work they want to think about. Additionally, two technical seminars will be organised to explore themes or clinical situations of specific interest to the group.

Delivery

- These seminars are open to psychologists, psychotherapists and counsellors with an interest in psychodynamic practice and currently working with couples or individuals facing significant relational difficulties.
- Participants will need to access the seminars from a private location so as to ensure that confidentiality of shared material is safeguarded.
- A maximum of **five practitioners** will meet for 8, 75-minute sessions online via ZOOM, a secure and reliable video conferencing platform. Participants will receive a link to our seminar, which will allow them to access the video meeting at no additional cost. Zoom will work well with a broadband speed of about 1.5Mbps (up/down) using a single core 1Ghz computer or better (you can easily test the quality of your connection by visiting www.speedtest.net). A brief test run will be organised a week prior to the start of the series.
- Reading material will be provided prior to start of the seminars and additional readings will be indicated in accordance to identified interests.
- If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at info@couplepsychotherapy.co.uk

Group Facilitator

Pierre Cachia is a senior couple psychoanalytic psychotherapist and counselling psychologist. He is currently Head of Clinical Services at Tavistock Relationships where he also lectures and supervises practitioners. He is currently leading and supervising the launch of Tavistock Relationship's online couple psychotherapy service. Prior to taking on his current role he was a staff member on the Doctorate in Psychotherapeutic and Counselling Psychology at the University of Surrey where he now serves as a visiting lecturer. He also has a private practice in both central and south London.

He started his studies in psychology at the University of Malta where he subsequently specialised in Counselling Psychology. He also studied Systemic and Gestalt therapy before he moved to London to undertake training in psychoanalytic couple psychotherapy. He has a special interest in working with couples affected by psychological trauma as well as in research focused on the efficacy of couple psychotherapy.

He is a full member of the British Psychoanalytic Council (BPC), United Kingdom Council for Psychotherapy (UKCP) and is a chartered member of the British Psychological Society (BPS). He is a Graduate member of the Tavistock Institute of Medical Psychology.

Dates:

January 2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Thursday 12th at 8:00PM (local)• Thursday 19th at 8:00PM (local)• Thursday 26th at 8:00PM (local)
February 2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Thursday 2nd at 8:00PM (local)• Thursday 9th at 8:00PM (local)• Thursday 16th at 8:00PM (local)• Thursday 23rd at 8:00PM (local)
March 2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Thursday 2nd at 8:00PM (local)

We urge those interested to apply as early as possible to avoid disappointment.

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BOOKING FORM

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Profession:		<i>Organization:</i>	
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Membership: <i>(Kindly indicate by ticking ⊗ the relevant option and adding relevant information as required)</i>	I am a member of the MCP	<input type="radio"/>	
	I am not a member of the MCP	<input type="radio"/>	
	Other professional affiliations and memberships <i>IMP: Kindly indicate name of professional body and current level of membership</i>		

Tick below as appropriate ⊗

	Members*	Non-members
Early Bird fee	€280.00 <input type="radio"/>	€320.00 <input type="radio"/>
Early Bird fee	€300.00 <input type="radio"/>	€340.00 <input type="radio"/>

* *Membership refers to MCP membership (paid up for the year 2016-2017)*

Note: All **booking request forms** received on or before **Thursday 15th December 2016** are eligible for an **early bird booking discount**. **Final Application CLOSING DATE is Thursday 22nd December 2016!**

Because of the nature of this course and the limited number of places available, we are delaying our request for payment. We shall be contacting successful applicants with relevant details about payment in due course.