

## REGISTRATION

### TRAINING IN THE ADULT ATTACHMENT INTERVIEW (AAI)

MARCH 19 – 30, 2012

MONDAY – FRIDAY, 9:00AM – 4:00PM

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**TRAINING FEE: \$1600**

**RELIABILITY FEE: \$600**

**MATERIALS FEE: \$200**

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

#### I NEED THE FOLLOWING (CHECK ALL THAT APPLY):

Adult Attachment Interview Protocol

Erik Hesse's article on AAI, chapter 19, *Handbook on Attachment*, edited by Cassidy and Shaver.

#### PLEASE SEND THIS COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM AND CHECK TO:

Washington School of Psychiatry  
5028 Wisconsin Avenue NW, Suite 400  
Washington, DC 20016

YOU MAY FAX THE COMPLETED FORM ALONG WITH CREDIT CARD INFORMATION TO 202-237-2730 IF CHARGING FEE.

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The AAI is one of the most interesting and sophisticated research tools to emerge from the field of attachment. It consists of 20 semi-structured, open-ended questions whose administration takes approximately 1½ hours. The interview is scored based on the coherence of the transcript rather than by its content. (Although “experience” scores that infer the type of childhood experience that individuals taking the AAI might have had with attachment figures are also scored.)

One of the remarkable scientific achievements of the AAI is that the interview predicts with 80% accuracy the type of secure or insecure attachment individuals will have with their children based on whether their AAI transcript is judged coherent or not.

The training institute is being sponsored by the Attachment and Human Development Center and the WSP. The training consists of an intense two week immersion into the AAI. The schedule runs Monday through Fridays from 9AM to 4PM, but you should expect an average of four to five hours of homework every evening scoring AAI's starting from day one and including the weekend. A binder containing teaching materials and schedule, will be provided and should be read before the training.

**Instructor;** Sonia Gojman Ph.D. is a distinguished psychoanalyst, past secretary general of the International Federation of Psychoanalytic Societies and training analyst with the Seminario de Sociopsicoanalisis AC, attachment researcher and one of eight qualified trainers in the world of AAI.

**Reliability certification** by Mary Main Ph.D. and Eric Hess Ph.D. can be pursued after the two-week training. To achieve reliability, 80% of the cases should be scored correctly based on a sample of 30 cases. Further information in regard to reliability will be provided during the course. Separate fee applies.

## **PRE-TRAINING LECTURE AND SEMINAR**

Registrants of the training are invited to attend for no extra charge a lecture by Alan Sroufe Ph.D. on Friday March 16, 2012 entitled *The Legacy of Early Development as seen from the Minnesota Longitudinal Study of Risk and Adaptation* followed by and all day workshop on Saturday, March 17 exploring on the implications for the practice of psychotherapy of approaches informed by attachment theory and a developmental perspective.

Alan Sroufe, Ph.D. is an internationally acclaimed attachment researcher. He is an emeritus professor at the Department of Psychology at the University of Minnesota. He also directs the Minnesota Longitudinal Study of Risk and Adaptation at the Institute of Child Development, University of Minnesota. This ambitious longitudinal research looks at the effects on parent-child relations as they unfold through development.

Seminar faculty will include members of the Washington School of Psychiatry and the Institute for Contemporary Psychotherapy and Psychoanalysis, Washington DC.

## **WHO SHOULD ATTEND**

The training is intended for psychologists, psychiatrists, social workers, psychiatric nurses, licensed professional counselors, physicians, medical students, and other graduate students.

## **LOCATION**

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## **TO REGISTER**

Please complete the form on the back of this brochure. Deadline, February 10, 2012.

## **CANCELLATIONS AND REFUNDS**

Refunds will be made for cancellations received at the School office in writing at least 10 days before the conference date and are subject to a non-refundable administrative fee of \$50.

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

-Questions about the training, contact Sonia Gojman de Millan at [sgojman@yahoo.com](mailto:sgojman@yahoo.com)

-Questions about registration, contact Lisa Head, [lhead@wspdc.org](mailto:lhead@wspdc.org).