International Conference

“The Road not Taken”*

A Relational Discourse on Pioneers in Individual and Group Analytic Therapy

21-22/5/2015

The conference will take place at Tichonet Academic Campus,
Shoshana Persits Street 3, Tel Aviv

Guests of Honor: Dr. Robert Grossmark, USA
Dr. Earl Hopper, England

Dr. Robert Grossmark - Individual and group psychoanalyst. A clinical Associate Professor and a clinical consultant at NYU. Grossmark published many articles that integrate contemporary relational ideas with object relations as well as contemporary perspectives, from Psychoanalytic Gender Theory to relational approaches to Group Psychotherapy, presented in his last book "The One and the Many".

Dr. Earl Hopper, psychoanalyst, is one of the eminent group analysts in the world, a follower of S.H. Foulkes, the founder of Group Analysis. Hopper, lectures and supervises in many programs for psychotherapy and psychoanalysis, has published many articles and books mainly on the subject of the "Social Unconscious", large groups, and the way the roots of pathology are rooted in society no less than in the soul of the individual.

Programme

Thursday 21/5/2015

14:00-14:30 Opening words
Marit Joffe Milstein,
Chair of Israeli Institute of
Group Analysis
Dr. Pnina Rappoport,
Chair of the Scientific Committee

14:30-15:10 Lecture by Dr. Earl Hopper
Some Crossroads and Turning Points
in Our Lives and in Our Work

15:10-15:30 Discussion with the audience

15:30-16:00 Clinical lecture related to the
Keynote lecture by Dr. Avi Berman

16:00-16:20 Discussion with the audience,
Dr. Earl Hopper and Avi Berman

16:20-16:50 Break

16:50-18:00 6 parallel lectures and discussion
groups

18:00-18:45 Dinner

18:45-20:15 Social Dreaming: Two parallel groups led by:
1. Hani Biran and Tamar Elad
2. Dr. Gila Offer and Smadar Ashuah

20:30-22:00 Party: "The One and the Many" along with music and wine

Friday 22/5/2015

08:30-09:10 Lecture by Dr. Robert Grossmark
Narrating the Unsayable: Enactment, Repair
and Creative Multiplicity in Individual
and Group Psychotherapy

09:10-09:30 Discussion with the audience

09:30-10:30 Group demonstration, conducted
by Dr. Robi Friedman

10:30-10:50 Discussion with the audience,
Dr. Robert Grossmark and
Dr. Robi Friedman

10:50-11:10 Break

11:10-12:40 Social Dreaming:
Continuation of 2 parallel groups

12:40-13:30 Lunch break

13:30-14:15 Panel including all lecturers

14:15-14:45 Closure

* Complete programme will be announced at the end of March.

*Robert Frost

“Two Roads diverged in a wood, and ---
I took the one less traveled by,
And that has made all the difference”

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