

EAGT

The European Association for Gestalt Therapy (EAGT) was founded in 1985, with the aim of gathering European individual Gestalt therapists, Training Institutes and National Associations, of promoting Gestalt therapy in Europe, combining and exchanging knowledge and resources, fostering a high professional standard for Gestalt therapy and encouraging research. Today over 600 members (institutional and individual) from more than 20 European Nations are already part of the association. EAGT is an EWAO; which means an European Wide Accrediting Organization and as such a member of EAP (European Association for Psychotherapy). President: Peter Schulthess
www.eagt.org

The purpose of the **Human Rights & Social Responsibility Committee (HR&SR)**, (founded by initiative of Ken Evans), of EAGT is to explore the interface between Gestalt psychotherapy and the socio-political context, with specific reference to the advancement of human rights.
Chair: Guus Klaren

Session fees will contribute to realize projects of Human Rights and Social Responsibility Committee

Participants:

European Gestalt trainers and psychotherapists. Gestalt practitioners in organizations.

Language: English

Aims: Participants will acquire awareness, knowledge and instruments concerning social, political and cultural items, and the ways to cope with them, both in therapy and in trainings. Participants will take part in building up proposals for the inclusion of social, political and cultural items in European Gestalt Training Programs

Costs¹:

Before December, 31st, 2010: 300 euro
Before March, 31st, 2011: 350 euro
Before June, 30th, 2011: 380 euro
After June, 30th, 2011: 420 euro
(board and lodging excluded)

Information: www.eagt.org, eagtoffice@planet.nl / mgecele@hotmail.com

Registration: Please, fill in the attached form and send it with curriculum vitae (including spoken languages) before September, 15th, 2011 via email to eagtoffice@planet.nl or via snail mail to EAGT office, Marga Berends, Noorderdiep 304, NL-9521 BL Nieuw-Buinen, The Netherlands

Accommodation:

Some rooms are available in Casa Caburlo (www.sangiuseppcaburlo.com, Tel. +39 041710877, Fax +39 041710875, e-mail caburlo.casaperferie@virgilio.it) Information on different categories of accommodation in the area where the training will take place will be provided.



Social, political and cultural relationships as therapy's grounds A Gestalt Therapy Session

Date

20-23 October 2011

Location

"Centro Scalzi", Cannaregio n. 54 Venezia, behind Santa Maria di Nazareth's (or Scalzi) church in Venice

**Organised by the
Human Rights and Social Responsibility
Committee of EAGT**

**Patronaged by the European Inter
University-Centre for Human Rights and
Democratisation (EIUC)**



¹ Special fares for groups of five or more

Friday, October, 21st, 2011

9.00-10.00

Opening Session - Greetings and Introduction

Peter Schulthess, EAGT President

Guus Klaren, Chair of HR&SR Committee

Fabrizio Marrella

Associate Professor of International Law, Venice, Dean

of the Human Rights Village

Michela Gecele, HR&SR Committee

10.00-10.30 Coffee break.

10.30 -13.00

Vincenzo Pace

Full Professor of Sociology, Padova

Liaisons and Community: a sociological diagnosis

through the comparison of Pentecostal churches in four continents

Process Group

Giovanni Salonia

Psychologist, Gestalt psychotherapist, Director of the

Istituto di Gestalt H.C.C. Kairos

Historical evolution of psychotherapy / Psychotherapy and social context

Process Group

13.00- 16.30 Lunch and after-lunch (see social events)

16.30-20.00

Peter Schulthess

Political and social roots of Gestalt therapy /

Psychotherapy as a political act

Process Group

Gianni Francesetti

Psychiatrist, Gestalt psychotherapist and trainer

(Istituto di Gestalt HCC Italy and Istituto di Gestalt HCC Kairos)

Diagnosis and psychopathology in Gestalt therapy: problems and possible solutions

Process Group

Saturday, October, 22nd, 2011

9.00-11.20

Francesco Remotti

Full Professor of Cultural Anthropology, Torino

Anthropopoiesis in different cultural contexts:

making men and women through relationships

Process Group

Massimo Raveri

Full Professor in East Asian Religions, Venice

Ways to self-knowledge and to liberation: Buddhist

Tradition and psychotherapy in Japan

Process Group

11.20-11.50 Coffee break

11.50-13.00

Margherita Spagnuolo Lobb

Psychologist, Gestalt psychotherapist, Director of

the Istituto di Gestalt H.C.C. Italy, EAGT Past

President

Teaching Gestalt Therapy nowadays

Process Group

13.00-16.30 Lunch and after-lunch (see social events)

16.30-20.00

Guy Haarscher

Full professor of moral, political and legal

philosophy (Université Libre de Bruxelles – EMA)

Human Rights and Human Laws

Process Group

Michela Gecele

Psychiatrist, Gestalt psychotherapist and trainer

(Istituto di Gestalt HCC Italy and Istituto di Gestalt HCC Kairos)

Cultural expression of mental, relational and social suffering / Living in intercultural societies

Process Group

Sunday, October, 23rd 2011

9.00-10.40

Translating Experiences

Ken Evans

Gestalt psychotherapist, Founding Director of the

European Institute for Psychotherapeutic Studies,

EAGT Past President

Challenging oppressive practice in psychotherapy education

Nurith Levi

Chairperson of the Israeli Association of Gestalt

Therapy

Coping with conflicts and war

Process group

10.40-11.10 Coffee break

11.10-13.00

Ivana Vidakovic

Clinical Psychologist and Gestalt Psychotherapist

After war and conflicts

Guus Klaren

Supporting self organisation of rural Ghanaian communities in a global context

Process Group

13.00-14.00

Panel *Towards assimilation: including social, political*

and (inter)cultural matters in training programmes

Nurith Levi, Ivana Vidakovic, Michela Gecele, Ken

Evans, Guus Klaren, Peter Schulthess, Group Leaders,

and All Participants

14.00-14.30

Closing of the conference

14.30- 16.30

Lunch

Participants will be divided in small groups, gathering after each lecture (Process Group). The aim of Process Group is to discuss and chew any item, giving final suggestion about including social, political and (inter)cultural matters in European training programs.

SOCIAL EVENTS (minimum of 10 participants)

Thursday, October, 20th, 2011

13.30 Visit to the Armenian Museum on San Lazzaro
Fee: 10 euro

18.30 Welcome Cocktail
Caburlotto – Venice

Friday, October, 21st, 2011

14.30 Visit across Venice's Grand Canal by Gondola Ferry
Fee: 1 euro

Saturday, October, 22nd, 2011

14.30 Visit to Ca' Rezzonico - Museum of 18th century art
Fee: 7 euro

20.00 Social dinner
Social dinner fee: 25 euro

Registration form:

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Name and Last Name

Place and date of birth

Postal address and Country

Email address

Cellular and/or other phone

Degree

Training in Gestalt Therapy

Main occupation

Personal interest in attending the training

Registration to social events:

Visit to the Armenian Museum on San Lazzaro

Yes No

Visit across Venice's Grand Canal by Gondola Ferry

Yes No

Visit to Ca' Rezzonico - Museum of 18th century art

Yes No

Social dinner

Yes No