

Who are we?

The Bowlby Centre provides a 4 year part time psychotherapy taught course which is accredited by the United Kingdom Council for Psychotherapy. Our influences include classical psychoanalytic thinkers from Freud to Winnicott and challenges to traditional approaches from authors such as Jessica Benjamin, John Bowlby, Ronald Fairbairn and Stephen Mitchell.

We also offer a referral service, short courses on cutting edge clinical issues, and the annual John Bowlby Memorial Conference.

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# short courses

#### Course Details:

#### Date:

Saturday, 23 and Sunday 24 October 2021 and Saturday, 30 and Sunday 31 October 2021

#### Time:

10 am to 4pm

### Cost:

£600

#### Venue:

The Bowlby Centre 1 Highbury Crescent London N5 1RN

#### Seminar leaders:

Orit Badouk Epstein

The Bowlby Centreused to be known as The Centre for Attachment-based Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy - CAPP

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## Promoting Attachment and Inclusion

## **Attachment and Complex Trauma**

#### **About the course**

The course will be covering key principles of attachment theory as it originated by John Bowlby and Mary Ainsworth along with its application in clinical practice.

In addition, the course will teach about the Disorganised attachment status and its characteristics as is often shown in clients who suffer complex trauma and the intergenerational transmission of trauma.

The emphasis on teaching disorganised attachment and complex trauma has arisen based on the demand from practitioners who often find themselves grappling with challenging situations when working with the more traumatised client groups.

The course is aimed at therapists, psychologists, counsellors, social workers, GPs and other practitioners in the caring profession who want to expand their understanding of attachment theory with the emphasises on complex trauma, intergenerational transmission of trauma and adverse childhood experiences.

Participants will be meeting in person and the numbers of places is limited.

#### **Seminar Leader**

Orit Badouk Epstein is a UKCP registered Attachment based Psychoanalytic psychotherapist, a trainee supervisor and a trainee therapist. She trained at the Bowlby Centre, London where she is the Editor of the journal "Attachment-New Directions in Psychotherapy and Relational Psychoanalysis". She specialises in attachment theory and trauma and regularly lectures, teaches, writes and present papers and book chapters on these topics and consults worldwide on attachment theory. She runs a private practice and works relationally with individuals, couples and parents. Orit has a particular interest in working with individuals who have experienced extreme abuse and trauma and have displayed symptoms of dissociation. She is the co-author of the books "Ritual Abuse and Mind Control: The Manipulation of Attachment Needs" (Badouk Epstein, Wingfield & Schwartz, 2011 Karnac), "Terror within & without" (Yellin, Badouk Epstein, 2013, Karnac), Shame Matters, Routledge (in Press) and was the co-editor of the ESTD (European Society for Trauma and Dissociation) newsletter for 10 years as well as being a regular contributor of articles and film reviews. In her spare time Orit enjoys the cinema, reading philosophy and writing poetry.

#### VALUING DIVERSITY

The Bowlby Centre welcomes applications from all sectors of the community and respects and values difference in age, class, culture, disability, ethnicity, gender and sexuality.



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Name:
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A Certificate of Attendance will be provided for CPD purposes