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#### **APRIL 2019 NEWSLETTER**

#### **Calendar of Meetings:**

#### Monday 15 April 2019

PRESENTATION FOR MEMBERSHIP Tuan Nguy – 7:45pm

#### Saturday 27 April 2019

**SOCIAL NIGHT - 7.00pm** 

#### Monday 29 April 2019

\*\*ATAB MEETING – 7:45pm (via Zoom)

#### Monday 6 May 2019

**SUPERVISORS MEETING – 7.30pm** 

#### Monday 13 May 2019

CASE CONFERENCE – 7:45pm

#### Saturday 18 May 2019

EC MEETING - 2:00pm

#### Monday 27 May 2019

\*CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT MEETING – 7:45pm

#### Monday 20 May 2019

\*\*ATAB MEETING – 7:45pm (via Zoom)

\*Events marked with an asterisk are open to trainees provided there are no boundary issues.
\*\*ATAB meetings are normally held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of every month, except in April. If you would like to attend, please contact Lyndall at <a href="mailto:nswipp4@bigpond.com">nswipp4@bigpond.com</a>

#### Monday 15 April 2019, 7.45pm Tuan Nguy presenting for membership: "Skeletons in the Closet"

The presentation will take place at the NSWIPP Premises in Glebe.

All Members and senior trainees are invited and welcome to attend. (See later in newsletter for Tuan's bio.)

#### Monday 27 April 2019, 7.00pm Social Night at the Merton

If you would like to book for dinner please contact Michael Moore:

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#### Monday 13 May 2019, 7:45pm Case Conference:

#### All of #7 peer group presenting

"An Equine experience informed by Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy"

Please note: this is for NSWIPP members only.

RSVP to Lyndall: nswipp4@bigpond.com

#### Monday 27 May 2019, 7:45pm Continuing Professional Development Meeting:

Julia Sedaris presenting.

# Another meeting in the Indigenous Awareness series.

Details to follow

NSWIPP members, guest members, associates and trainees are warmly invited to attend.

RSVP to Lyndall: <a href="mailto:nswipp4@bigpond.com">nswipp4@bigpond.com</a>

#### **Future Events:**

#### 8-10 June, 2019 PPAA Conference

Primus Hotel, Pitt St, Sydney
Please watch out for more details from the

#### Monday 24 June 2019- 7.45pm

\*CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT MEETING

## Julia Meyerowitz -Katz presenting: on Jungian analytic practice

Details to follow

NSWIPP members, guest members, associates and trainees are warmly invited to attend.

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# MESSAGE FROM MICHAEL MOORE

Dear Colleagues

By now, everyone has been informed of the very unfortunate news regarding Dorothy's ill-health, as well as her resignation from the President's role. She has been responding to treatment but remains on indefinite leave. She would want me to let you know how supported she has felt by NSWIPP during this difficult time for her and her family. I'm sure that she is in all our thoughts as we wish her well.

The **EC** met for the second time recently and we have let you know that I have stepped-down as Acting-President and Anne-Marie has very generously taken-over this role. We are very fortunate that we have someone of her experience being able to helpout during this unexpected situation. I am continuing in my other roles as are all the other Chairs of the various committees and pods. I can't thank her and everyone else enough, for helping NSWIPP out over the last couple of months.

Somewhat ironically, the rest of NSWIPP has had a very positive start to the year.

Financially, our Treasurer Jan Williams, reports we are on budget. Her heroic efforts to refinance our loan have been successful, resulting in nearly halving our monthly payments. We are now clearer as to how much this has taken pressure off our budget, and we can now realistically plan to address issues that have been on hold, particularly related to maintaining and improving our premises. In relation to our **premises**, Jan and Anne-Marie have been very active. The consulting room is close to being fully booked and the seminar room is also being used part-time for consultations. The recent improvements in the seminar room, reading room and garden may have been noticed by recent visitors: we need to thank Natasha Bonnin and her partner for donating the furniture and helping arrange it. Steen Rees has continued to donate his time very generously, rescuing our AV systems when needed.

There are no current **Ethical** matters under consideration. The priority of the committee is to continue the revision of our documents. The two that need attention are an update of the Policies and Procedures and the creation of a contemporary Privacy Policy.

In relation to Membership, we have recently welcomed Jill Abeshouse as a full member following her presentation in February. Her ex-trainee colleague, Tuan Nauy is presenting on April 15. Sonia Weschler is now presenting July 29. The MAB continues to review documents and policies such as Associate membership and a new version of the membership renewal form will be circulated soon as well as being able to access and process it via the website in due course. We hope the MAB continues to be as busy as it has been and our thanks to Belinda and team for their excellent work.

The website has undergone some updates and we are looking forward to it being a useable source of up-todate information for members. To that end, if you have information that needs to be updated on the website, please contact Natasha Bonnin at nkbonnin@yahoo.com who is now our in-house website manager. We are grateful Natasha has effectively negotiated being able to give us more autonomy over our website and she will keep us informed of further developments as they happen.

In addition, Natasha has stepped-in to the role of **CPD** coordinator and can be contacted as well with any ideas for Scientific meetings or other CPD activities. With regard to other CPD activities, the EC is working on a transparent policy that will apply to Outreach initiatives that will be consistent with existing policies that apply to other NSWIPP activities (such as training, for example). More to follow soon.

Details of future meetings can be found in this newsletter, but mention needs to be made of how well the ongoing peer group case conferences are running. The Peer Group pod of Natasha, Donna Jacobs and Jo Barnes have done a great job with this initiative. Jan Williams, who presented last month, reports "both the process of preparation and presentation were very well worthwhile and confirmed my reasons for being part of NSWIPP."

**Training** news includes a confirmation that a 2019 group will be formed and is likely to commence mid-year. We have had some excellent applicants and we are hoping to have a group around 5-6 in number with several others planning to apply in future intakes. Interviews are now in progress and I need to thank Mary Cameron, in particular, for taking over the main coordinating role for this detailed process. We are also going to have stand-alone Infant some participants. A new training group formed by the integration of the 2012 trainees (Maureen Lagan and Kate Stewart) with the 2014 trainees (Lindsay Both, Robert Eidus, Eng Lim and Lachlan McPhail) commenced this year. Laurie Lovell-Simons is their group liaison person, having previously been with the 2014 group. Mary Cameron has been thanked by the 2012 group for her long involvement with them in this role.

The 2016 group (Farideh Absalan, John Conaghan, Yael Levy, Hassan Medhi,

Swapnil Sharma and Kathy Watson) are progressing well. Sheriff Rewais is their liaison person. They are in their second year of seminars and many are involved in supervised case work. Please keep in mind the referral of potential training cases to our trainees. I can be contacted directly at mfrmoore2010@gmail.com.

Other training news includes Jo Barnes joining the PSC. She will continue on the ATAB. We are very grateful to Jo's commitment to the training which also helps to ensure a healthy training organisation into the future.

There are a number of relevant PPAA issues to report. The upcoming Conference in Sydney (June 8-10) is highly relevant as NSWIPP is heavily involved in its organisation. The organising committee includes me as Chair and Maria Kourt. Eva Balint is running the trainee conference. Our thanks to them for their hard-work and enabling both conferences being welladvanced in planning. Maria and I did a site-visit recently and we were both very impressed with the venue, the Primus Hotel on Pitt St. Please watch out for the registration forms and other information from the PPAA. We hope all members and trainees support our conference if they can.

You may have noticed several position statements from the PPAA in recent months that have emanated from a revitalised **Public Issues** committee. Our own Laurie Lovell-Simons is Chairing this committee and a lot of work has been done on a process to ensure rapid responses to public issues possible without compromising oversight. The final issue I will mention here is that APPWA will be having a training group this year after a hiatus of many years. The relevance of this is that they will be drawing on other MAs by way of distance supervision, perhaps therapies. teachina and NSWIPP Several members already indicated their willingness to help – for others who are interested, please note emails inviting your participation.

Lyndall is always thanked at this stage of these reports: given the circumstances we faced at the beginning of the year, her dedication and careful work has been even more valuable, and we are very fortunate to have her as our Admin. Officer.

Warm regards to you all,

#### Michael

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#### Past trainee Tuan Nguy will present for Membership on Monday 15 April, 2019

#### Bio - Tuan Nguy

Tuan Nguy is a Consultant Psychiatrist and adult psychodynamic psychotherapist. He has a private practice in the city as well as working as a Staff Specialist in the correctional setting. He also has an interest in working psychotherapeutically with transgender adults. In his spare time Tuan is an avid tennis fan, dragonboat paddler and is part of a movie club.

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## INFANT OBSERVATION STAND-ALONE PROGRAM

Our Infant Observation Program is now an ongoing program with a mixture of trainees and stand-alone participants. There are current vacancies in the Infant Observation groups.

Please let know anyone you think might be interested.

Enquiries should be made to Lyndall Rees in the first instance.



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