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MARCH/APRIL 2021 NEWSLETTER

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Calendar of Meetings:

Monday 22 March 2020

*CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL

DEVELOPMENT MEETING –

Anna Hueneke 7:45pm

Monday 19 April 2021

**ATAB MEETING -7:45pm (via Zoom)

Saturday 24 April 2020

EC MEETING – 2:00pm

Monday 26 April 2020

*CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL

DEVELOPMENT MEETING –

Katina Ellis 7:45pm

**Open to trainees provided there are no boundary issues.*

***ATAB meetings are normally held on the 3rd Monday of every month. If you would like to attend, please contact Lyndall.*

Monday 22 March 2020, 7:45pm

*Continuing Professional

Development Meeting

Anna Hueneke presenting, via

Zoom: *From Politics to Poetry*

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

RSVP online:

<https://nswipp.org/events/scientific-meeting-march/>

Monday 26 April 2020, 7:45pm

*Continuing Professional

Development Meeting

Katina Ellis presenting, via Zoom:

Finding fluid conversation in our theorising about transgender certainties

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

[Details to follow]

Please note: All the above meetings will be held via zoom on this link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83427615194?pwd=WJ4MFVlWW9FWXRYNUNUa04zVnpYdz09>

Future Events:

Monday 3 May 2021 - 7.30pm

SUPERVISORS' MEETING

Monday 10 May 2021

MONTHLY CLINICAL MEETING

[Details to follow]

Monday 24 May 2021, 7:45pm

CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL

DEVELOPMENT MEETING

Infant Observation group

presenting: *Conducting an Infant*

Observation during Covid-19

[Details to follow]

Monday 31 May 2021 -7.45pm

PRESENTATION FOR MEMBERSHIP-

Lachlan McPhail

[Details to follow]

MESSAGE FROM ANNE-MARIE SWAN

Dear All-

Welcome to the New Year, which we must all hope will be an improvement on the last!

Things do seem to be settling down, at least in this part of our world, though the inequity throughout continues to be troubling.

We seem to have zoomed off to a good start in NSWIPP. The Monthly Clinical Meetings have started, with stimulating and thoughtful presentations by Eamon Turbitt, from Tasmania and Mee Hee Douglas, from NSW who spoke movingly of the impact of suicide on both our patients and ourselves.

We also warmly welcome Bernard McLeod to Associate Membership after his excellent presentation for Membership.

We have now settled into our new routine of Monthly Clinical Meeting (MCM's), followed by Continuing Professional Development Meetings (CPD's) with quarterly Supervision Meetings and some interspersing of Case Presentations for Membership. Executive Meetings are held approximately every two months.

On a personal level, when I attend these meetings, I do feel proud to be part of such a wonderfully professional and supportive community.

We have had an excellent response to meetings via Zoom, with a marked increase in numbers attending, but have decided to try to incorporate some social events throughout the year, to facilitate face-to-face meetings when possible.

There is, of course, a great deal of work that goes on behind the scenes with the various committees who work very hard on behalf of us all. I cannot thank enough the many people who

give so generously of their time to the Institute.

You are all welcome to attend committees to see how they function, and all are welcome to attend Executive Committee meetings. The next EC meeting is scheduled for the 24th of April at 2pm. Please let Lyndall know if you have any items that you want brought up at the meeting.

The PPAA Conference will be held in Melbourne this year from Saturday, 30th October to Monday, 1st November. This is always a great opportunity to meet with our Member groups across Australia and New Zealand as well as to have a good weekend away together so do keep those dates in mind. Retired Members are also very welcome to attend the Conference each year.

We have had some major renovations to our premises this year with repairs to leaks in the bathroom and to the roof of the flat. You may have noticed the new under croft separating the flat from the premises. We have had some reduction in tenancy of the Consulting Room due to Covid last year, so if you know of anyone wishing to rent either the Consulting Room or Seminar Room for consults, please let them know there is room available.

In further news, Donna Jacobs has joined the Infant Observation Sub-Committee and Claire Pattison has joined the Executive Committee as a new Director.

At the last EC Meeting it was decided to form a new Public Issues Committee (PIC) to be chaired by Laurie Lovell-Simons who has been carrying this role for some time already for both us and the PPAA and doing a magnificent job of it!

Anthony Gleeson, who is a former Member of NSWIPP and current NSW Committee Member of the Australian Association of Group Psychotherapists (AAGP), has kindly donated to us a framed picture of Freud's rooms in Vienna, taken in 1938, just prior to the

Anschluss, which we have placed in the Seminar Room. This was a thoughtful and generous gesture of goodwill for which I thanked him sincerely on your behalf.

Our 2019 trainees have now completed their Infant Observation seminars and will be starting their seminars next term. Congratulations on achieving this important step in the progression through training to Robyn Adler, Kylie Cullen, Kylie Innocente, Andrew McKensy, Sean Lubbe & Cristina Pastore. Well done all and especially in such challenging times.

Michael Moore is planning to stand down as Chair of Training and Julie Fletcher has agreed to be mentored by him towards stepping up into this role. I think we would all agree that Michael has done a wonderful job as Chair and I would like to thank him, on behalf of us all, for the tremendous amount of work he has put into it. The steady progression of trainees towards Membership over the past few years is eloquent testimony to the skill and dedication he has brought to the task.

I will also be standing down as President at the next AGM in October, now having served two terms as President. Laurie Lovell-Simons will be joining the Executive Committee and has agreed to stand for President at the October AGM.

It has been both a privilege and a pleasure to be in this role, but it is time now to stand aside. I feel very sure that the Institute is in a healthy position to move forward and will remain in good hands.

Finally, could I remind everyone to fill in the Annual Membership Renewal Form which, thanks to Natasha, has been made easy to do online. This is a requirement of both our own Constitution and of the PPAA. I know you are not all used to doing it but... 'It's time'.

My very warmest wishes,

Anne-Marie

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ROOMS FOR LEASE

ROOMS FOR RENT NSWIPP – Mitchell St, GLEBE

Professional Consulting room/s available for rent on sessional or weekly basis.

Suitable for psychiatrist/ psychologist/ psychotherapist.

Ideally located off Glebe Point Road.
Parking on site.

Furnished, light, air-conditioned and with its own private access.

There is access to a large meeting/group room and shared kitchen facilities with our association.

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ROOM IN PSYCHOTHERAPY PRACTICE

From January 2022 there will be a comfortable room available for a psychotherapist in a long-established practice in Balmain.

Two psychotherapists who are currently working in the attractively renovated terrace house on Darling Street, will be looking for a third to join and take the available room

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