

The Western Branch of the Canadian Psychoanalytic Society is pleased to present its Annual Conference to interested clinicians.

Sandor Ferenczi was arguably second only to Freud in his contribution to the development of psychoanalytic theory and technique in the early part of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century. However, Ferenczi's theories and technical innovations historically have been by-passed in favour of Freud's metapsychological conceptualizations of mental functioning. Recently, clinicians have re-discovered Ferenczi's clinical wisdom, and the relevance of his ideas to work with more regressed and traumatized patients. Ferenczi's ideas on trauma and psychopathology, introjection and projection, transference and countertransference analysis, flexibility of analytic technique, the importance of spontaneity and honesty, analysis of the negative transference, and "return to the womb" heralded contemporary debates on various aspects of psychoanalytic technique. Ferenczi scholars and clinicians from Budapest, Turin, New York, Montreal, Seattle, and Vancouver will illustrate and debate Ferenczi's relevance to contemporary psychoanalysis in panels and papers on Trauma and Psychopathology, Introjection, and Transference, and a Clinical Panel Discussion.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

At the end of the conference, participants will be able to:

1. Appreciate how physical and/or psychological trauma can lead to psychopathology.
2. Understand how introjection and projection are key mechanisms in the dynamics of internal object relations.
3. Be aware of the technical centrality of transference and countertransference in psychoanalysis.

### Presenters and Reporters

Franco Borgogno, Ph.D.; Elie Debbane, MD, FRCP(C); Judy Eekhoff, Ph.D.; James Fabian, MD, FRCP(C); Christopher Fortune, Ph.D.; Jay Frankel, Ph.D.; Josette Garon, MA; Coleen Gold, MA, BCATR; Endre Koritar, MD, FRCP(C); Judit Mészáros, Ph.D.; Janet Oakes, MA, BCATR; Judith Setton-Markus, MA, RCC; Rose Vasta, Ph.D.

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Standard room at \$159 per night.  
Book with Grace Camacho  
(604.875.3300) or email  
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by September 13, 2011

### For further information:

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Nancy Briones to register  
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# WESTERN BRANCH CANADIAN PSYCHOANALYTIC SOCIETY

## ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Saturday, October 15<sup>th</sup> &  
Sunday, October 16<sup>h</sup>, 2011  
Hotel Indigo  
(formerly Plaza 500 Hotel)  
500 West 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Vancouver, BC

## *“Ferenczi’s Contribution to Contemporary Psychoanalysis”*

Application for CME group learning activity  
as designed by the Maintenance of Certification  
Program of the Royal College of Physicians and  
Surgeons of Canada in progress.

## PROGRAM

Saturday October 15, 2011

- 8:30 - 8:40 am Introduction
- 8:40 - 9:00 am **Keynote Address: Ferenczi's Clinical Technique -  
Endre Koritar**
- 9:00 - 12:15 pm Panel 1 – Trauma Re-Visited**  
**Chair:** Endre Koritar **Reporter:** Coleen Gold
- 9:00 - 9:40 am Judit Mészáros – Ferenczi's Paradigm Shift in the Trauma Theory
- 9:40 - 10:20 am Judy Eekhoff - Infantile trauma, internal object relations, and the silent transference
- 10:20 - 10:40 am Break
- 10:40 - 11:20 am Jay Frankel – Psychological Enslavement
- 11:20 - 12:00 pm Panelists' Discussion and Q & A with audience
- 12:00 - 1:10 pm Lunch Break
- 1:10 - 2:10 pm **Franco Borgogno: Ferenczi, The Introjective Analyst**
- 2:10 - 2:40 pm Eli Debbane's Response to Franco Borgogno
- 2:40 - 3:10 pm Q&A
- 3:10 - 3:30 pm Break
- 3:30 - 5:45 pm **Panel 2 – Transference and Countertransference**  
**Chair:** Franco Borgogno **Reporter:** Janet Oakes
- 3:30 - 4:10 pm Christopher Fortune – The Origin of Countertransference Analysis: Ferenczi and RN
- 4:10 - 4:50 pm Josette Garon – Disavowal, Murder, and Liberation
- 5:00 - 5:45 pm Panelists' Discussion; and Q & A

Sunday October 16, 2011

- 9:30 - 12:30 pm **Clinical Panel: Franco Borgogno, Judit Mészáros, Josette Garon**  
**Chair:** Rose Vasta **Reporter:** Judith Setton-Markus
- 9:30 - 10:15 am Clinical Presentation: James Fabian
- 10:15 - 10:30 am Borgogno's Views
- 10:30 - 10:45 am Mészáros' Views
- 10:45 - 11:15 am Break
- 11:15 - 11:30 am Garon's Views
- 11:30 - 12:30 pm Panelists' Discussion and Q & A

## REGISTRATION FORM

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### **COST**

**Before** May 30, 2011: \$ 275  
**After** June 1, 2011: \$ 325

**Students & Study Group Participants:**  
\$ 175 (students with proof)

**WBCPS members & guests:**  
\$ 75

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