

Studies of Large Groups and Social Unconscious

Foulkes and Pichon-Rivière Connecting Citizens and Societies

International Explorative and Experiential Four-Day Workshop

Belgrade, June 26th-29th 2013

Carla Penna and Marina Mojović

With staff of experts in the field:

Göran Ahlin, Tija Despović, Martha Gilmore, Jelica Satarić, Gila Ofer, Svein Tjelta, Reyna Hernández-Tubert and Juan Tubert Oklander

Haim Weinberg as the supervisor of the project and

Earl Hopper

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Group Analytic Society Belgrade

Section for Applying Psychoanalytic and Group-Analytic Approach to Understanding the Psychodynamics of Institutions, Organizations and Society

With:

Consulting-Art Belgrade Psycho-Social-Art Belgrade



About the Event

The aim of the study days is to explore the ways of applying group analysis to the understanding of the social unconscious and society.

This Event shall focus in particular on linking Foulkesian Small / Median / Large group-analytic groups to Pichon-Rivière's operative groups, Argentinean tradition in reflection groups and Serbian reflective-citizens groups.

Our main goals will be to:

- create a methodology for exploring the social unconscious;
- experience group-analytic space and reflection space;
- combine Foulkesian group analytic groups, and Pichon-Rivière's operative/reflection groups;
- provide a space for co-reflection of participants of the workshop with citizens during a joint day of the Summer Reflective-Citizens Event.

In four days of meeting we will have daily presentations, social dreaming groups, small, median and large analytic groups intertwined with reflection groups based on Argentinean tradition. The idea to combine experience and reflection might allow us on the experiential level to raise latent contents steaming from the matrix, recognized by the group and the conveners, which could be explored in the reflexive level. The last day of the event will be devoted the joint reflective citizens sessions with citizens and with the other participants (from Serbia and international).

Conveners of the Workshop: Carla Penna and Marina Mojović



Carla Penna, PhD, is a psychoanalyst and group analyst in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Member of Psychoanalytic Circle of Rio de Janeiro, affiliated to International Federations of Psychoanalytic Societies

and full member of Group Analytic Society International. She is past president of Brazilian Association of Group Psychotherapy, and past president of Group Analytic Psychotherapy Society of the State of Rio de Janeiro. She works in private practice and is a visiting professor of Medical Psychology at the University of the State of Rio de Janeiro. She is publishing in Portuguese the book Large Groups and Social Unconscious.



Marina Mojović MA, MD, psychiatrist, psychoanalytic psychotherapist, group analyst, organizational consultant in Serbia. She is a full member of the Group Analytic Society International, of the

International Association for Group Psychotherapy and Group Processes, of Society European Psychoanalytic of Psychotherapy, the International Society for Psychoanalytic Studies of Organizations, and the Organization for Promoting Understanding of Society. In Group Analytic Society-Belgrade she is a training group analyst, supervisor and the founder of its Section and Training 'Psychoanalytic and Group Analytic Approach to Understanding Institutions, Organizations and Society'. She develops the Serbian Reflective Citizens Project, and other projects of exploring the Social Unconscious in Serbia and abroad.

About Staff of Experts in the Field:



Earl Hopper, PhD, is a psychoanalyst, group analyst and organizational consultant in private practice in London. He is a Fellow of the British Psychoanalytical Society, a member of The Institute of Group Analysis, a full member of the Group Analytic Society International and a Fellow of the American Group Psychotherapy Association. He is also a supervisor and training analyst for The Institute of Group Analysis, the British Association of Psychotherapist and London Center for Psychotherapy. An honorary tutor at The Tavistock and Portman NHS Trust, and a member of the Faculty of the Post-Doctoral Program at the Adelphi University, New York. He is a Former President of the International Association for Group Psychotherapy and

Group Processes (IAGP), and a former Chairman of the Association of Independent Psychoanalysts of the British Psychoanalytical Society. Published books in Group Analysis. Editor of New International Library of Group Analysis, NILGA.



Haim Weinberg, PhD is a Californian and Israeli licensed psychologist and group analyst. Past-president of the Northern California Group Psychotherapy Society & the Israeli Association of Group Psychotherapy. Distinguished Fellow of the Israeli Association of Group Psychotherapy. Fellow member of the American Group Psychotherapy Association and the International Association of Group Psychotherapy. Member of the Group Analytic Society International. Director of an international doctorate program in psychology with an emphasis on group

psychotherapy, at the Professional School of Psychology, Sacramento, California. Teaches at the Wright Institute, Berkeley and at the Alliant International University, Sacramento, USA. Co-edited books on the Large Group and on the Social Unconscious. Published 12 book chapters in 5 languages and 27 articles. Editor of the non English book reviews in the International Journal of Group Psychotherapy.



Göran Ahlin, PhD, MD is an Associate professor (Docent) in psychotherapy at the Karolinska Institute, Stockholm. Group analyst, trained as a psychiatrist and later as a psychotherapist focusing on group analysis, psychoanalytic individual treatment and family treatment. Teacher and supervisor and responsible director for training in psychotherapy in Sweden from 1982 to 2000 in public health care and then in a private University College, in Stockholm from 2000 to 2011. Member of Group Analytic Society International, International Association for Group Psychotherapy and Group processes and European Federation of Psychoanalytical Psychotherapy and others.



Tija Despotović is a psychiatrist, psychoanalyst from Belgrade. Member of the Belgrade Psychoanalytic Society (International Psychoanalytical Association), training group analyst, President of Group Analytic Society Belgrade (EGATIN, EFPP). She is Director of Training in Individual Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy (Association of Psychoanalytic Psychotherapists of Serbia, European Federation of Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy). She works in private practice in Belgrade, Serbia and wrote many papers in field of individual and group psychotherapy.



Martha Gilmore, PhD, is a licensed psychologist and Certified Group Psychotherapist in Sacramento, California. Fellow and Board Member of the American Group Psychotherapy Association. She has extensive experience in the training and supervision of group psychotherapy in the US and abroad and provides individual, couple, and group treatment as well as consultation for other therapists. As an Associate Clinical Professor for the UC Davis Medical Center – Department of Psychiatry she has co-led a training group for psychiatry residents for 20 years.



Reyna Hernández-Tubert, PhD, MD is psychiatrist, psychoanalyst, and group analyst. Member of the Mexican Psychoanalytic Association and Training and Supervising Analyst in its Institute, of the Argentine Psychoanalytic Association, and the Group-Analytic Society International. Author of numerous articles and book chapters. Co-author (with Juan Tubert-Oklander) of *Operative Groups: The Latin-American Approach to Group Analysis* (London: Jessica Kingsley). She practices in Mexico City, as a psychiatrist, child psychiatrist, psychoanalyst, group analyst, and marriage and family therapist.



Gila Ofer, PhD, is a psychoanalyst and group analyst in Israel. A founding member and past president of Tel-Aviv Institute of Contemporary Psychoanalysis, a founding member of the Israeli Institute of Group Analysis, a lecturer and supervisor in both institutes and in the Program of Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy, Tel-Aviv University. Faculty and advisory board member of the Chicago Center of Psychoanalysis; Board member of the European Federation of Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy and the editor of the EFPP Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Review.



Jelica Satarić, MD, is a psychiatrist, individual psychotherapist, and group analyst in private practice in Belgrade. She is member of Serbian Medical Chamber, Serbian Psychiatric Association, Serbia Psychoanalytic Society of Psychotherapists and Group Analytic Society Belgrade (GAS Belgrade), in which she is a training group analyst and co-leader of its Psycho-social Section. Active involvement in the Serbian Reflective Citizens Project.



Svein Tjelta, is a licensed psychologist in Norway. He worked in psychiatry, with children, and family-therapy and has studies in philosophy, anthropology and psychology and is a contract specialist in clinical psychology, member NPF in private practice. Group analyst, member of the training staff at the International Group Analysis Norway. He is a psychoanalytical psychotherapist member IFP; training psychotherapist and supervisor. Former chief editor of Matrix; Nordic Journal for Psychotherapy. Published the book "Unconscious Interplays" in 1987 and is also author of articles about groups and group analysis in Matrix, Journal of the Norwegian

Psychological Association.



Juan Tubert-Oklander, PhD, MD is a psychoanalyst and group analyst in Mexico. Member of the Mexican Psychoanalytic Association and Argentine Psychoanalytic Association (International Psychoanalysis Association). Training and Supervising Analyst in the Institute of the Mexican Psychoanalytic Association. Member of the Group Analytic Society International. Author of numerous articles and book chapters, of Operative Groups: The Latin-American Approach to Group Analysis (with Reyna Hernández-Tubert), Theory of Psychoanalytic Practice: A Relational Process Approach

(International Psychoanalytic Association, in press), *The One and the Many: Selected Papers on Relational Psychoanalysis and Group Analysis* (Karnac, in press), and several books in Spanish.

Workshop Program:

Day 1	Time	Group			
Wednesday, June 26th	14:00 –15:30	First Staff meeting			
	15:00 – 16:00	Registration Opening Ceremony			
	16:00 – 16:30				
	16:30 – 17:30	Presentation 1 – Social Unconscious – Earl Hopper			
	17:30 –18:30	Fish Bowl about Social Unconscious (All the staff – lead by Earl Hopper)			
	18:30 – 19:00	Fish Bowl, now including the audience			
	19:00 – 20:30	Large group - Earl Hopper and Haim Weinberg			
	20:30	A toast			

Day 2	Time	Group		
Thursday June 27th	8:30 – 9:30	Social Dreaming Matrix 1- Gila Ofer and Tija Despotović		
	9:30 – 9:45	Coffee		
	9:45 – 12:15	Presentation 2 Juan Tubert Oklander / Reyna de Tubert & Discussion		
	12:15 – 13:30	Median /small groups session 1		
	13:30 – 14:45	Lunch		
	14:45 – 16:00 Reflection groups 1 (median size)			
	16:00 – 17:30	Large group – Earl Hopper and Haim Weinberg		
	17:30 – 17:45	Coffee		
17:45 – 19:00 Reflection group		Reflection group 2 (median size)		
	Second Staff Meeting			

Day 3	Time	Group		
Friday, June 28th	8:30 – 9:30	Social Dreaming Matrix 2 – Gila Ofer and Tija Despotović		
	9:30 – 10:45	Presentation 3 – Svein Tjelta & Discussion		
	10:45 – 11:00	Coffee		
	11:00 – 12:15	Median/small group session 2		
	12:15 – 13:30	Presentation 4 – Haim Weinberg & Discussion		
	13:30 – 14:45	Lunch		
	14:45 – 16:00	Median / Small group session 3		
	16:00 – 17:30	Large group – Earl Hopper and Haim Weinberg		
	17:30 – 17:45	Coffee		
	17:45 – 19:00	Reflection groups 3 (median size)		
	19:00 – 20:30	Third Staff meeting		

Day 4	Time	Group			
Saturday, June 29th	8:30 – 9:45	Median / small group for participants-session (the staff shall explain that after this group the work will be done from now on together with citizens)			
	9:45 –10:00	Coffee (time for the 2 groups to arrange on the setting)			
	10:00 –10:45	Welcoming the Citizens and Introduction of the Reflective citizens project Marina & Carla presentation 5			
	10:45 – 11:45	Social Dreaming Matrix - joint event			
	11:45 – 13:00	Reflective citizens session 1 (in large group size)			
	13:00 – 14:00	Reflective citizens session 2 (in median group size)			
	14:00 – 15:00	Lunch for all			
	15:00 – 16:15	Reflective citizens session 3 (in large group size)			
	16:15 – 16:30	Coffee (citizens leave)			
	16:30 – 17:45 Reflection space for participants				
	17:45 – 18:30	Closing ceremony			
	18:30 – 20:00	Staff evaluation meeting			

Registration Fees:

	Before April 20 th	Before May 20 th	After May 20 th
Training Course GAS-Belgrade	160 euro	180 euro	200 euro
GAS-Belgrade	180 euro	200 euro	230 euro
GAS-international, IAGP ISPSO, OPUS, PCCA	230 euro	260 euro	290 euro
Others	260 euro	290 euro	340 euro
Gala dinner on Friday evening	30 euro	30 euro	30 euro

Venue: Consulting-Art doo. Belgrade, Banovo Brdo, 115 Petra Lekovića Street

Social activities: organized tours for museums, summer jazz concerts, town sightseeing, river sailing, biking groups...

All questions regarding registration, fees & payment and accommodation should be directed to our office: socialunconscious.bgd@gmail.com or

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Images of the Venue, Staff and the Town

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Flickr (picture galleries):

Venue photos: http://www.flickr.com/photos/belgrade-conference-june-2013/sets/72157633097384770/show/



(Venue is near the Sports Center, Olympic swimming pool on 100m distance, Ada ake and greatest Belgrade forest.)

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YouTube (video records of Belgrade):

- 1. Belgrade with Boris Malagurski: http://youtu.be/Q1WcCPl5k3U
- 2. Belgrade from the air: http://youtu.be/Jsl8ipz8aew
- 3. Meet Belgrade: http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-6aBfmEN7ZY

Facebook: http://www.facebook.com/#!/pages/Belgrade-Conference-June-26th-June-29th/495795780484633

Web site: www.socialunconscious.rs (please note that web site will be available from April 11th)

Accommodation suggestions with map:

Hotels:

Trim Hotel (1)
www.trimhotel.rs
20-25 euro per person in a double room

Balkan Hotel Garni (2) www.balkangarni.rs Požeska 67a

Best Western Hotel Šumadija **** (3) www.hotelsumadija.com for a group reservation less than 35 euro per person in double room

IN Hotel **** (4)

www.inhotel-belgrade.rs
70 euro per person in a double room,
for group reservation could be much reduced

Belgrade Art Hotel **** (5)
www.belgradearthotel.com
75euro per person in double room

Balkan Hotel **** (6)
www.balkanhotel.net
for a group reservation could be 35-45euro
per person in a double room

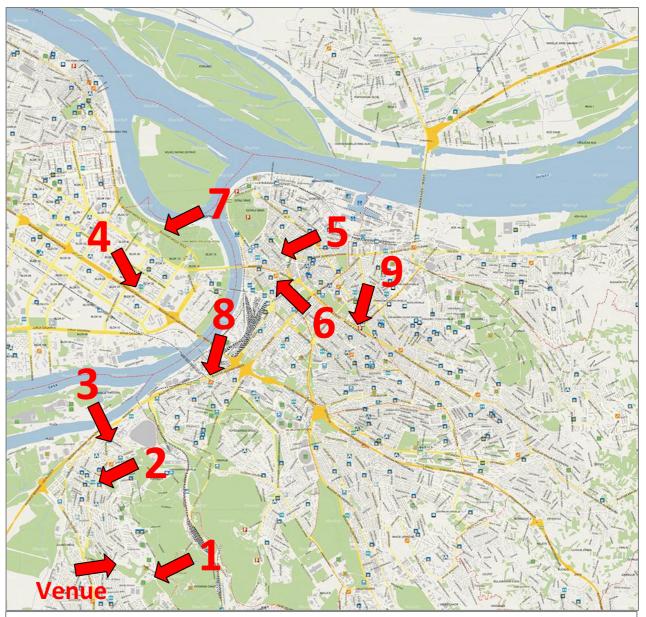
Metropol Palace Hotel (9)
www.metropolpalace.com
Bulevar Kralja Aleksandra 69

Hostels and apartments:

ArkaBarka (7) www.arkabarka.net 15 euro

Hostel Fair (8)
www.hostelfair.com
6 euro

Rent an Apartment (9) www.bgapartmani.com



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