**Spring 2016**

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**Variations in Relational Psychoanalysis**

**Week 1 - March 15th**

**Brief Introduction to how Relational Theory Developed:** Theoretical and Technical shifts

Ghent, E. Foreword from Relational Perspectives in Psychoanalysis (1992), eds. l Skolnick, N. and Warshaw, S. London: Routledge, pp. xiii-xxii.

**Wordlessness**

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Ogden, T.H. (2004). An introduction to the reading of Bion. Int. J. Psycho-Anal., 85:285-300.

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Bollas, C. (1984). Moods and the Conservative Process. Internatl. J. Psychoanalysis, 65:203-212.

**Week 2 – March 22: The Body**

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Harris, A. (1998) Psychic envelopes and sonorous baths: Siting the body in relational theory and clinical practice. In: Relational Perspectives on the Body, chapter 2, ed. Aron, L. & Anderson, F.S. Hillsdale, N.J.: Analytic Press, pp.39-64.

Anzieu, D. (1985) Functions of the Skin Ego. In: The Skin Ego. New Haven, CT: Yale University Press, 1989. Pp. 96-113.

Further Reading:

Anderson, F. (1998) Psychic elaboration of musculoskeletal back pain: Ellen’s story. In: Relational Perspectives on the Body, chapter 12: pp. 287-322 .

**Week 3 – March 29: Gender**

Corbett, K. (2008). Gender Now. Psychoanal. Dial., 18:838-856.

Goldner, V. (2003). Ironic Gender/Authentic Sex. Studies in Gender and Sexuality, 4 (2): 113-139.

[Saketopoulou, A. (2015). Diaspora, Exile, Colonization: Masculinity Dislocated. Studies in Gender and Sexuality, 16:278-284.](http://www.pep-web.org/document.php?id=sgs.016.0278a&type=hitlist&num=11&query=zone1%2Cparagraphs%7Czone2%2Cparagraphs%7Cauthor%2CSaketopoulou%7Cviewperiod%2Cweek%7Csort%2Cyear%2Ca#hit1)

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Goldner, V., Penn., P., Sheinberg, M. & Walker, G. (1990). Love and Violence: Gender paradoxes in volatile attachments. Family Process, 29:343-364.Sue Grand:

Dimen, M. & Goldner, V. (2002). Introduction. In: M. Dimen & V. Goldner (Eds.), Gender in psychoanalytic space (pp. xv-xx). New York: Other Press.

[Harris, A. (1991). Gender as Contradiction. Psychoanal. Dial., 1:197-224.](http://www.pep-web.org/document.php?id=pd.001.0197a&type=hitlist&num=0&query=zone1%2Cparagraphs%7Czone2%2Cparagraphs%7Cauthor%2CHarris%7Ctitle%2CGender+as+Contradiction%7Cviewperiod%2Cweek%7Csort%2Cjournal%2Ca#hit1)

Benjamin, J. (1991) Father and Daughter: Identification with Difference-A Contribution to Gender Heterodoxy. Psychoanalytic Dialogues, 1(3): 277-299.

**Week 4 – April 4: Framing Homosexuality**

C[orbett, K. (1996). Homosexual Boyhood: Notes on Girlyboys. Gender and Psychoanalysis, 1:429-461.](http://www.pep-web.org/document.php?id=gap.001.0429a&type=hitlist&num=2&query=zone1%2Cparagraphs%7Czone2%2Cparagraphs%7Cauthor%2CCorbett%7Cviewperiod%2Cweek%7Csort%2Cyear%2Ca#hit1)

[Friedman, R.C. (1997). Response to Ken Corbett's: “Homosexual Boyhood Notes on Girlyboys” (Vol. 1, No. 4, 1996). Gender and Psychoanalysis, 2:487-494.](http://www.pep-web.org/document.php?id=gap.002.0487a&type=hitlist&num=0&query=zone1%2Cparagraphs%7Czone2%2Cparagraphs%7Cauthor%2CFriedman%7Cjournal%2Cgap%7Cviewperiod%2Cweek%7Csort%2Cyear%2Ca#hit1)

[Corbett, K. (1997). Speaking Queer: A Reply to Richard C. Friedman. Gender and Psychoanalysis, 2:495-514](http://www.pep-web.org/document.php?id=gap.002.0495a&type=hitlist&num=4&query=zone1%2Cparagraphs%7Czone2%2Cparagraphs%7Cauthor%2CCorbett%7Cviewperiod%2Cweek%7Csort%2Cyear%2Ca#hit1)

**Week 5 – April 19: Race**

White, K. (2002) Surviving hating and being hated: Some personal thoughts about racism from a psychoanalytic perspective. Contemp. Psychoanal., 38:401-422.

Gump, J. (2000) A White therapist, and African-American patient- Shame in the therapeutic dyad. Commentary on paper by Neil Altman. Psychoanalytic Dialogues, 10(4): 624-632.

Suchet, M. (2007). Unraveling Whiteness. Psychoanal. Dial., 17:867-886.

Further Reading

Microaggressions. Prepared by the Postdoctoral Committee on Ethnicity, Race, Culture, Class, & Language (CERCCL) at NYU Postdoctoral Program.

Altman, N. (2000) Black and White Thinking. Psychoanalytic Dialogues, 10(4): 589-605.

Gump, J.P. (2010). Reality Matters. Psychoanalytic Psychology, 27(1): 42-54.

Leary, K. (1997) Race, self-disclosure, and “forbidden talk”: Race and ethnicity in contemporary clinical practice. Psychoanalytic Quarterly, LXVI, 163-189.

Leary, K. (2000) Racial enactments in dynamic treatment. Psychoanalytic Dialogues, 10 (4): 639-653.

Straker, G.

(2004). Race for Cover: Castrated Whiteness, Perverse Consequences. Psychoanalytic Dialogues, 14: 405-422.

**Week 6 – April 26: Perversion**

Dimen, M. (1999). Perversion is Us: Eight Notes. Psychoanal. Dial., 11:825-860.

[Saketopoulou, A. (2014). To Suffer Pleasure: The Shattering of the Ego as the Psychic Labor of Perverse Sexuality. Studies in Gender and Sexuality, 15:254-268.](http://www.pep-web.org/document.php?id=sgs.015.0254a&type=hitlist&num=9&query=zone1%2Cparagraphs%7Czone2%2Cparagraphs%7Cauthor%2CSaketopoulou%7Cviewperiod%2Cweek%7Csort%2Cyear%2Ca#hit1)

**Week 7 and 8 –May 3: This will be a double class, making up for the April 12th class when I was out. Please do both sets of readings as indicated.**

**Part 1: Transgression**

Dimen, M. (2011).: Lapsus Linguae, or a Slip of the Tongue?: A Sexual Violation in an Analytic Treatment and its Personal and Theoretic Aftermath. Contemp. Psychoanal. 47: 35-79.

Slochower, J. (2003). The Analyst’s Secret Delinquencies. Psychoanal. Dial., 13:451-469.

**Part 2:**

Elise, D. (2015). Unraveling: Betrayal and the Loss of Goodness in the Analytic Relationship. Psychoanal. Dial. 25 (5): 557-571.

Dimen, M. (2015). Too Much Goodness: Another Hazard on the Road to Sexual Boundary Violations in Psychoanalysis. Commentary on D. Elise (see above)

Gabbard, G. (2015). On Knowing but Not Knowing in the Aftermath of Traumatic Betrayal: Discussion of Paper by Diane Elise.

Harris, A. (2015). Discussion of Paper by Diane Elise.

Elise, D. (2015) Psychic Riptides: Swimming Sideways: Reply to Dimen, Gabbard and Harris.

**Week 9 – May 10**: **Boundary Violations**

Gabbard, G. (1994). On love and lust in erotic transference. JAPA, 42: 385-403.

Celenza, A. & Gabbard, G.O. (2003). Analysts who commit sexual boundary violations: A lost cause? Journal of the American Psychoanalytic Association, 51:617-636.

Celenza, A. (2006) Sexual boundary violations in the office: When is a couch just a couch? Psychoanal. Dial., 16:113-128.

Further Reading

Sandler, A., Godley, W. (2004).   
Institutional responses to boundary violations: The case of Masud Khan.   
Int. J. Psycho-Anal., 85:27-42.

**Week 10 – May 17: Beyond Doer and Done To**

Maroda, K.J. (1998).   
Enactment: When the Patient's and Analyst's Pasts Converge.   
Psychoanal. Psychol., 15:517-535.

Maroda, K. (1998).   
Why Mutual Analysis Failed: The Case of Ferenczi and RN.   
Contemp. Psychoanal., 34:115-132.

Further reading

Benjamin, J. (2004). Beyond Doer and Done to: An Intersubjective View of Thirdness. Psychoanal Q., 73:5-46.

**Week 11 – May 24: Becoming an Analyst**

Gabbard, G. & T. Ogden (2009). On Becoming a Psychoanalyst. International Journal of Psychoanalysis, 90 (2):311-327.

Kernberg, O.F. (1996). Thirty Methods To Destroy The Creativity Of Psychoanalytic Candidates. Int. J. Psycho-Anal., 77:1031

Corbett, K. (2013). All of these Things Will Happen: A Graduation Address for the Class of 2012. New York University Postdoctoral Program in Psychoanalysis and Psychotherapy. DIVISION/Rev., 8:36-37.

Further reading

Atwood, G. (2015). Credo and Reflections. Psychoanal. Dial., 25:137-152.