

The SouthEast Florida Association for Psychoanalytic Psychology presents

# Therapeutic Action: Clinical Case Seminar for Members Only

# Presented by Frank Summers, PhD, ABPP

**The purpose** of this seminar will be to enhance and refine the clinical skills of the participants by applying contemporary concepts of therapeutic action to the clinical process. The format will be strictly case presentations. The seminar leader will begin with a discussion of his own cases, each of which will have the purpose of illustrating at least one contemporary principle of therapeutic action, and the attendees will have a chance to discuss and critique the



### When

Sunday - 03/13/2016 10:00 AM - 1:30 PM sign-in at 9:45 | lunch follows program

## Location

Delaire Country Club 4700 Cherry Laurel Lane Delray Beach, FL 33445 (Home of Barbara Lurie, Ph.D., LMFT)

work of the seminar leader. The last half of the seminar will consist of discussion of cases currently in psychotherapy with the seminar participants who will be encouraged to compare the technique they typically use with the contemporary techniques set forth in the seminar.

Participants should come prepared to discuss their own cases from any theoretical position they choose. Special attention will be given to comparing the technique used by the seminar participants to contemporary analytic technique. The emphasis throughout will be on therapeutic action so that techniques will be discussed from the viewpoint of what it brings to the concept of therapeutic action. As many participants as can possibly be engaged in the discussion will be encouraged to take part in the discussion and critique of clinical technique.

### FEE: \$150 (lunch included)

Pre-registration is required to attend this event. Seats are limited to 30 SEFAPP Members. No checks or same day registration will be available for this event.

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**Frank Summers, Ph.D., ABPP**, is immediate past president of the Division of Psychoanalysis of the American Psychological Association. He is Professor of Clinical Psychiatry and the Behavioral Sciences of the Feinberg School of Medicine of Northwestern University. Dr. Summers is a supervising and training analyst of the Chicago Institute for Psychoanalysis and the Chicago Center for Psychoanalysis.

He has published four books and won several professional awards including the Gradiva Award for the best psychoanalytic book of 2013, The Psychoanalytic Vision: The Experiencing Subject, Transcendence, and the Therapeutic Process.

He is also recipient of the Hans Strupp Award for contributions to psychoanalysis and the Distinguished Educator Award from the International Federation for Psychoanalytic Education. An associate editor of Psychoanalytic Dialogues and a member of the editorial board of Psychoanalytic Psychology, Dr. Summers is author of three books on object relations theories, more than 60 papers in professional journals and book chapters as well as dozens of presentations and workshops at

## **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**

- At the conclusion of this seminar the participants will be able to describe an object relations approach to analytic therapy.
- 2. At the conclusion of this presentation the participants will be able to interpret clinical material from an object relations perspective.
- 3. At the conclusion of this presentation the participants will be able to describe the difference between an object relations approach to therapeutic action and the traditional psychoanalytic concept of therapeutic action.

both national and international meetings. He has also taught psychoanalytic theory and therapy in courses and workshops across the country and internationally. Dr. Summers maintains a private practice of psychoanalysis and psychoanalytic psychotherapy in Chicago, Illinois. A complete list of his publications, presentations, and leadership positions can be found on his website: www.franksummersphd.com

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