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FIRST ONE (BION)

The Analytic "Here and Now"
February 10th – March 24th, 2017
Fridays, 9:45 – 11:15
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Listening and interpreting in the here and now has become a central aspect of many contemporary psychoanalytic models of technique. Modern psychoanalysts generally use a model of the here and now that focuses on the present and living interaction between patient and analyst in real time. My aim in this class is to make the concept of the here and now emotionally alive and more accessible. We will use some classic papers to orient us and to ground us in understanding how the idea of the here and now has developed over time, but in this class we will focus most of our attention on clinical material and how to listen for the unconscious as it is manifested in the immediate interaction between patient and analyst. I will bring in examples of my clinical work and my particular understanding of working in the here and now, and I invite you to bring in your own clinical material and observations. I look forward to a lively discussion of the material.

February 10 and February 17th -- Starting a dialogue: What are we talking about when we say we're working in the here and now?

LINK OR

READER ✓

Bion WR (1967). Notes on memory and desire. *Psychoanal Forum* 2: 271-80.

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Freud S (1937). Constructions in analysis. *Int. J. Psycho-Anal.*, 19: 377- 387.

EZ-PROXY ✓

Joseph, B. (2013). Here and Now: My Perspective. *Int. J. Psycho-Anal.*, 94:7-1-5.

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Roth, P. (2001). Mapping The Landscape: Levels of Transference Interpretation. *Int. J. Psycho-Anal.*, 82:533-543. (please read pages 533 – 535 for our meeting on February 17th)

February 24th -- Historical perspectives: The here and now and the there and then, showing versus telling.

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Feldman, M. (2007). The illumination of history. *Int. J. Psycho-Anal.*, 88:609-625.

March 3rd -- Alternative perspectives on the here and now

Blass RB (2011). On the immediacy of unconscious truth: Understanding Betty Joseph's 'here and now' through comparison with alternative views of it outside of and within Kleinian thinking. *Int J Psychoanal*, 92:1137–1157.

March 10th -- Enactment and the countertransference: Gaining access to the unconscious

PEP ✓ Pick, I.B., Working through in the countertransference, *Int. J. Psychoanal*, 66:157-66.

March 17th -- Listening for the here and now: Making the present present (We will do a close reading of O'Shaughnessy's paper in class).

EZ-PROXY ✓ O'Shaughnessy, E. (2013). Where is Here? When is Now?. *Int. J. Psycho-Anal.*, 94:7-16.

March 24th -- Levels of listening, levels of interpreting

EZ-PROXY ✓ O'Shaughnessy, E. (2013). Where is Here? When is Now?. *Int. J. Psycho-Anal.*, 94:7-16.

Optional Additional Reading:

Roth, P. (2001). Mapping The Landscape: Levels of Transference Interpretation. *Int. J. Psycho-Anal.*, 82:533-543.