

INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SCHOOL OF NARRATIVE PRACTICE

July 7th – 9th 2010 in Toronto, Canada

DRAFT PROGRAM (Changes will be made!)

Day 1: Wednesday	Day 2: Thursday	Day 3: Friday
9am-10:30am Welcome Linking storylines across generations: Intergenerational alliances in immigrant and refugee communities <i>Thilaka Xavier, Joyce Edem and St James Town community members</i> Launch of the Kite of Life!	9am-10am Responding to and preventing violence Creative Interventions <i>Mimi Kim & Rachel Herzing</i> Narrative practices in schools <i>Angel Yuen</i>	9am-10am Parental mental health: A narrative approach <i>Ruth Pluznick & Natasha Kis-sines</i> <i>With reflections from Lisa Barnwell & Cheryl White</i>
10:30-11am Morning Tea	10am-10:30am Morning Tea	Morning Tea
11- 12:30 Morning parallel sessions 1. Introducing narrative therapy <i>Ruth Pluznick & Angel Yuen</i> 2. Re-membering in response to grief: group contexts <i>Lorraine Hedtke</i> 3. Mindfulness practice meets narrative therapy <i>David Paré</i> 4A Bridging the generations in immigrant communities [45 mins] <i>Thilaka Xavier, Joyce Edem, Patty Hayes, Suzanne Young</i> 4B Linking primary school students with elderly residents in a residential care facility [45 mins] <i>Lisa Nackan</i>	10:30- 12:30 Morning parallel sessions 9. Dan gets a leg up on Anxiety <i>Stephen Madigan</i> 10. Translating the word and the world: Narrative therapy across translation with immigrants and refugees <i>Mariana Sussi</i> 11. Women responding artistically to experiences of violence <i>Suzanne Thomson</i> 12A Local knowledge as legitimate knowing: The use of collective documents in Mexico <i>Alfonso Diaz-Smith [45 mins]</i> 12B Feminist manifestos [45 mins] <i>Siobhán Madden</i> 12C Incarcerated women re-writing lives <i>Iris Wilkinson [30 mins]</i>	10:30- 12:30 Morning parallel sessions 17. Linking lives through narrative skills <i>Jill Freedman & Gene Combs</i> Talking about privilege, cultural sensitivity and ancestry 18A <i>Shawn Patrick [60 mins]</i> 18B <i>June Helme/Jamila Codrington [40 mins]</i> 18C <i>Chris Chapman [20 mins]</i> 19. Narrative approaches to preventing child admission to care: A single session model for working with families involved with Child Protective Services <i>Richard Longhorne & Ruth Dorfman</i> 20. Showcasing the narrative practices of Palestinian and Rwandan therapists <i>Dulwich Centre Foundation</i> 21A Redemption in the face of personal and childhood trauma [100 mins] <i>Hillel Zeren, Gid'on Friedman & Chana Rachel Frumin</i> 21B Bereaved parents in personal commemorative films [20 mins] <i>Bilha Bachrach</i>
12:30 – 2pm Lunch	12:30 – 2pm Lunch	12:30 – 2pm Lunch
2 – 4pm Afternoon parallel sessions 5. Who has the story telling rights to the story being told? <i>Stephen Madigan</i> 6. The absent but implicit <i>Jodi Aman</i> 7. Parent-teen conflict dissolution: The use of outsider witness practices <i>Ninetta Tavano</i> 8. Linking narrative practice to family group conferencing and wrap-around <i>Jacqueline Jean-Pierre Cathy Blocki-Radeke Inshira Hassabu</i>	2 – 4pm Afternoon parallel sessions 13. Narrative, collaborative and restorative/transformativ justice therapies for the effects of sexual abuse <i>Walter Bera</i> 14. Finding resiliency, standing tall: Exploring trauma, hardship, and healing with refugees <i>Mike Boucher and Rochester community members</i> 15. Innovations in narrative therapy: Connecting practice, training and research <i>Jim Duvall, Laura Beres & Karen Young</i> 16A Narrative work in schools <i>Angel Yuen [45 mins]</i> 16B Building preferred stories <i>Niels-Henrik Sørensen [45 mins]</i> 16C Group work with boys in ultra- orthodox, special education yeshiva [30 mins] <i>Hillel Zeren</i>	2 – 4pm Afternoon parallel sessions 22. Use of metaphor and visual language within narrative practice <i>Ruth Dorfman & Bonnie Miller Reflection from Jill Freedman</i> 23. Giving young people a sporting chance: The Team of Life <i>Viviane Oliveira & David Denborough</i> 24. Connecting ethically-based practice, training and research <i>Jim Duvall, Laura Beres & Karen Young</i> 25. Doing justice and the insider knowledge of shelter folk <i>Vikki Reynolds</i> 26A. Rendering responses visible: the effects of building a history of personal agency in therapy [60 mins] <i>Katy Batha</i> 26B Substance misuse and disordered eating practices in the lives of young women [60 mins] <i>Christine Dennstedt</i>
4-4:30pm Break	4-4:30pm Break	4-4:30pm Break
4:30-5:30pm Initiatives and agency: Narrative therapy and acts of change <i>Jill Freedman & Gene Combs</i>	4:30-5:30pm Talking about suicidal thoughts: Collaboration in action <i>Loree Stout</i>	4:30-5:30pm What is the 'stance' in resistance? <i>Sekneh Beckett</i> Closing and farewell