WEDNESDAY, MAY 25th

16.00-17.00  Registration & Welcome coffee

17.00-18.30  SYMPOSIUM
Future Stories as resources in times of unemployment
Organizer: Anneke Sools
Discussant: Evrinomy Avdi

Future stories as resources for resilience in the face of precarity
Anneke Sools

On a waiting list for life: Young unemployed Greek graduates constructing future selves
Theofanis Filippas, Sofia Triliva & Anneke Sools

Responding to a paradoxical task: Imagine a desired future without employment
Maria Borcsa, Egle Naraskeviciute & Anneke Sools

17.00-18.30  SYMPOSIUM
Hurting and healing in therapeutic environments: How can we understand the role of the relational context?
Organizer: Simon Clarke
Discussant: Hugh Middleton

The role of everyday interactions and relationships during a process of therapeutic change
Jenelle Clarke

Characteristics of relationships that can hinder or promote mental health and well-being
Ruth Brown

The ‘Quadrilogue’: An interpersonal autoethnographic account of madness
Simon Clarke
17.00-18.30  THEMATIC SESSION
Making sense of distress
Chair: Sandra Walker

Oppressed and trapped in the achievement ethos: Reconstructing subjective theories of depression in the therapeutic process
Leonie Knebel

Youth depression: Young people’s experiences in relation to the cultural story models of depression
Mervi Issakainen

An autoethnographic narrative of the dreamy states of epilepsy
Louise King

Applying rigor criteria to qualitative research in mental health: Not an easy task!
J. Rassy, L. Mathieu, C. Michaud & J-P. Bonin

18.30-20.00

18.30-19.00  WELCOME
Chairs: Evrinomy Avdi & Eugenie Georgaca

19.00-20.00  KEYNOTE ADDRESS
Research of dialogues in naturalistic design
Jaakko Seikkula
Chair: Hugh Middleton

20.00  Welcome Reception
THURSDAY, MAY 26th

9.00-10.30

9.00-10.30 SYMPOSIUM (part I)
Relational mind: Combining qualitative research and participants’ autonomic nervous system responses within a couple therapy session
Organizer: Virpi-Liisa Kykyri & Juha Holma
Discussant: Jarl Wahlström

Relational mind in events of change in multi-actor dialogues
Jaakko Seikkula, Virpi-Liisa Kykyri, Anu Karvonen, Jukka Kaartinen, Markku Penttonen, Juha Holma, Evrinomy Avdi & Maria Borcsa

Soft prosody and silences in interaction in important moments of one couple therapy session
Virpi-Liisa Kykyri, V. Tsatsishvili, R. Hotakainen, Anu Karvonen, Markku Penttonen, Jukka Kaartinen & Jaakko Seikkula

Relational mind: Stimulated recall as creation of sense in the personal, couple and therapeutic system
Maria Borcsa, Anu Karvonen, Virpi-Liisa Kykyri, Markku Penttonen, Jukka Kaartinen & Jaakko Seikkula

9.00-10.30 THEMATIC SESSION
Psychoanalytic perspectives & psychotherapy research
Chair: Katia Romelli

Discourse analysis and psychoanalytic approaches to therapy talk: Conflicting or compatible?
Janet Smithson, Richard Mizen & Georgia Lepper

The core conflictual relationship theme: A single-case study
Kimberly Van Nieuwenhove

“Not dead...abandoned”: A pragmatic case study of combat related trauma
Julianna Challenor

Making waves in the therapeutic dialogue: The disruptive quality of lacanian interventions
Goedele Hermans
9.00-10.30  THEMATIC SESSION
Social and relational factors in distress I
Chair: Eugenie Georgaca

Relationships, connectedness and psychosis in emerging adulthood: A relational mapping interview method
Zoë Boden

Exploring valued activities and resources to support mental health recovery and well-being through social network mapping
Sandra Walker

What have weak ties got to offer?: A qualitative study of connecting to support and mobilising resources for those in receipt of care planning
Anne Rogers, Helen Brooks, Caroline Sanders, Claire Fraser & Karina Lovell

Exploring the important relationships implicated in the management of severe mental illness: A qualitative, longitudinal study utilizing networks of personal communities
Helen Brooks, Caroline Sanders, Karina Lovell, Claire Fraser & Anne Rogers

10.30-11.00  Coffee Break

11.00-12.30  SYMPOSIUM (part II)
Relational mind: Combining qualitative research and participants’ autonomic nervous system responses within a couple therapy session
Organizer: Virpi-Liisa Kykyri & Juha Holma
Discussant: Jarl Wahlström

Positioning in couple therapy: Exploring interactional, affective and embodied aspects
Evrinomy Avdi, Anu Karvonen, Virpi-Liisa Kykyri, Markku Penttonen, Jukka Kaartinen & Jaakko Seikkula

Analysing the narrative mode of the participants in a couple therapy and combining these with autonomic nervous system responses
Berta Vall, Aarno Laitila, Juha Holma, Jaakko Seikkula, Anu Karvonen, Virpi-Liisa Kykyri, Markku Penttonen & Jukka Kaartinen

When becoming a parent constructs disconnection in couple relationship: Combining discourse analysis and autonomic nervous system responses
Helena Päivinen, Juha Holma, Anu Karvonen, Virpi-Liisa Kykyri, Markku Penttonen, Jukka Kaartinen & Jaakko Seikkula
11.00-12.30 SYMPOSIUM
The relationship between the subject and the other: Psychoanalytic theory, qualitative research and clinical practice
Organizer: Katia Romelli
Discussant: Katia Romelli

The presence of the analyst: A theory-driven thematic analysis of follow-up interviews with patients in psychoanalytic therapy
Joachim Cauwe

"Not without parents": Meetings group parents, research findings and “return” on clinical practice with children
Giuseppe Pozzi & Katia Romelli

Non-normative identities and relationships: A qualitative research on the experience of families of adult people with diagnosis of mental disorder or disability living in residential services
Fiorella Bucci

Lacanian theory for understanding and managing critical incidents in mental health
Gerard Moore

11.00-12.30 THEMATIC SESSION
Social and relational factors in distress II
Chair: Vilma Hänninen

On home and homelessness: Mental health care service users’ search for spaces of belonging
Saara Jäntti

The role of filial piety in mediating risk and recovery in Chinese women with a history of suicidal behaviour: A cross-cultural qualitative study
June Lam, Juveria Zaheer, Sam Law, Wes Shera, AK Tat Tsang, WL Alan Fung, Annette Zhang, Pozi Liu, Rahel Eynan & Paul S Links

Significant situations related to young people’s social anxiety
Heta Yli-Länttä & Vilma Hänninen

The everyday social geographies of social anxiety disorder
Louise Boyle
12.30-13.30

12.30-13.30  KEYNOTE ADDRESS
Situating suffering: Critical qualitative studies of therapeutic culture
Jeanne Marecek
Chair: Linda McMullen

13.30-14.30  Lunch Break

14.30-16.30

14.30-16.30  SYMPOSIUM
Dealing with distress: Narrative and discursive approaches
Organizers: Eugenie Georgaca & Félix Díaz
Discussant: Vilma Hänninen

The unbridgeable chasm between the social world and the ‘spoiled’ self in
narratives of people with a history of involuntary commitment in psychiatric
facilities in Greece
Konstantina Katostari, Sofia Triliva & Manolis Tzanakis

Strategies of living with and managing psychosis: A biographical narrative study
Eugenie Georgaca & Anastasia Zissi

Accounts of how distress comes to be managed with medication
Linda M. McMullen & Kristjan J. Sigurdson

Reconstructing support relations: Biographic accounts by carers for people with
eating disorders
Félix Díaz & Natalia Solano Pinto

Future stories as resources for managing distress: Fostering prospective reflection
in psychiatric patients
Anneke Sools & Daniela Preen
## 14.30-16.30 SYMPOSIUM

**Developing qualitative research approaches within a psychodynamic context**

*Organizer: Janet Smithson*

*Discussant: Richard Mizen*

- **Family changes – or not?**
  - Caryn Onions

- **Containment or not?**
  - Elizabeth Weightman

- **A qualitative analysis of the impact of Intensive psychodynamic treatment on the internal world of individuals with severe and complex personality disorder**
  - Claire Johnson

- **The mind of the mother: Mental representation of the internal space of mother, therapist, self in borderline states**
  - Maggy Cairns

- **Taking up the role of doctor**
  - Diana Bass

## 14.30-16.30 THEMATIC SESSION

**Participatory approaches to service development**

*Chair: Hugh Middleton*

- **Qualitative studies of wellbeing in communities affected by conflict and disaster in Sri Lanka**
  - Chamindra Weerackody & Suman Fernando

- **Applying lessons from qualitative research in developing mental health services in Sri Lanka**
  - Suman Fernando & Chamindra Weerackody

- **Quality matters: Reaching vulnerable mentally distressed men and women in urban Nepal**
  - Bidya Rajbhandari, Ansu Tumbahangfe & Gael Robertson

- **Mental health in Malaysia: Are we on the right track?**
  - Ainul Nadhirah Hanafiah & Tine Van Bortel

- **A mixed-methods approach for non-pharmacological intervention development**
  - Mijung Park
16.30-17.00 Coffee Break
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**17.00-18.00 THEMATIC SESSION**
Examinig psychotherapy process
Chair: Philia Issari

Breaking recursive patterns in couple interactions: Gambling and addictive disorders
Bonnie K. Lee

Displaying agency problems in therapy talk
Minna-Leena Seilonen & Jarl Wahlström

“Close your eyes, and describe the scene before you”: Using dreams as a relational approach to reflexive research
Louise King

**17.00-18.00 THEMATIC SESSION**
Women, trauma & distress
Chair: Lisbeth Hybolt

Stress symptoms in female sex workers in Dhaka, Bangladesh: A qualitative research
Nasrin Jahan, Muhammad Najib Mohamad Alwi, Dato Abd Rahim, Laila Arjumand Banu & Nurjahan Begum

Early family trauma marks the beginning of a vicious circle: A qualitative study on female homelessness and drug addiction with the use of photo elicitation interviewing
Vasiliki Danaskou & Fotini-Sonia Apergi

From baked beans to hot air balloons: Metaphors of hope in systemic research
Leah Salter
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FRIDAY, MAY 27th

9.00-10.30  SYMPOSIUM
Exploring the art and science of psychotherapy
Organizer: Marit Råbu
Discussant: Jeanne Marecek

Researcher reflexivity: Taking account of the personal meaning of investigating the integration of professional and personal knowledge
John McLeod, Marit Råbu, Christian Moltu & Hanne Haavind

Relational perspectives in qualitative research: Possibilities and pitfalls in conducting serial in-depth interviews
Ida Stange Bernhardt, Christian Moltu & Marit Råbu

The places that I shouldn't go: Exploring good therapists’ experiences of the areas in which they function poorly
Christian Moltu, Marit Råbu & Ida Stange Bernhard

Disseminating research and creating art in the same act: Theatre built on research interviews
Marit Råbu & Tyra Tønnessen

9.00-10.30  THEMATIC SESSION
Practitioner perspectives I
Chair: Niels Buus

“Our experiences were your tools”: When mental health nurses bring their own experiences of mental illness to work
Jennifer Oates

“They dare not tell people”: Therapists’ experiences of working with clients who report anomalous experiences
Elizabeth Roxburgh & Rachel Evenden

Choosing an antidepressant: Profiles, placebos, and pragmatics
Linda M. McMullen

The relationships between scientists and practitioners: Neuroscientist’s accounts of translational research in depression
Kristjan J. Sigurdsson & Linda M. McMullen
9.00-10.30  THEMATIC SESSION
Clients’ experiences of mental health interventions I
Chair: Julianna Challenor

When therapists cry: Clients’ experience of witnessing therapist’s tears. An interpretative phenomenological analysis
Alice Watson & Ioannis Fronimos

Patient education: When learning processes create new conflicts in conduct of everyday life
Lisbeth Hybholt

Using mindfulness to manage psychotic symptoms during an acute crisis
Maria Iliopoulou & Maxine Sacks

Experiences of a brief mindfulness intervention: Daily experience, well-being and relationships
Cath Sullivan

10.30-11.00  Coffee Break

11.00-12.30  SYMPOSIUM
Disrupted attachments, disrupted families?
Systemic pathways for change in adoption and foster care
Organizer: Lisa Fellin
Discussant: Ferdinando Salamino

The Scarlet Letter: Attachment as a dominant narrative in adoption and foster care? A thematic analysis of therapeutic narratives and visual relational maps
Lisa Fellin

“Beyond repair” Therapeutic strategies with an adopted adolescent and his family: A single case study
Ferdinando Salamino & Elisa Gusmini

“Who is to blame?” Causal attributions in adoptive and foster families: A content and discourse analysis
Lisa Fellin & Ferdinando Salamino
11.00-12.30  THEMATIC SESSION  
Practitioner perspectives II  
Chair: Katia Romelli

The narrative construction of the ‘wounded healer’  
Miltiades Hadjiosif

Debriefing mental health workers: Exploring the effects of a debriefing service for mental health professionals  
Nicholas Sarra

Responding to risk during a crisis: The views of team members  
Maria Illiopoulou & Maxine Sacks

A critical look at the process of standardized assessment  
Camilla Blach Rossen

11.00-12.30  THEMATIC SESSION  
Clients’ experiences of mental health interventions II  
Chair: Linda McMullen

“It just felt like an interrogation”: The psychosocial assessment after self-harm  
Sandra Walker

Stakeholder preferences for the treatment of schizophrenia and metabolic comorbidities  
Daniel Poremski, Vathsala Sagayadevan, Alvin Lum, Mythily Subramaniam & Chong Siow Ann

Barriers and facilitators to collaborative antipsychotic prescribing within mental health services: A qualitative study exploring the perspectives of service users, carers and mental health professionals  
Helen Brooks, Kamelia Harris, Penny Bee, Karina Lovell & Richard Drake

The hospital experience and the service provided at Mount Carmel hospital: The perspectives of the service-users, their care givers and the health-care professionals  
Bernice Gauci & Angela Abela
### 12.30-13.30
**KEYNOTE ADDRESS**
Investigating relationship: Enabling a paradigm shift  
Hugh Middleton  
Chair: Vilma Hänninen

### 13.30-14.30  Lunch Break

### 14.30-16.00
**SYMPOSIUM**
Service user and carer experiences of compulsion: International perspectives on coercion and human rights  
Organizer: Karen Newbigging & Julie Ridley  
Discussant: Karen Newbigging

- **First-person knowledge in researching coercion**  
  Jasna Russo

- **Relational damage? The impact of coercion on family relations**  
  Reidun Norvoll

- **Hearing from carers - those supporting people in secure mental health settings**  
  Julie Ridley

- **How family group conferencing can contribute to reducing the use of coercion: Experiences of users and carers**  
  Elleke Landeweer

**THEMATIC SESSION**
Loss & distress within the family  
Chair: Philia Issari

- **Caring for a relative with dementia in Greece**  
  Philia Issari & Christina Tsaliki

- **Sibling loss in childhood: An interpretative phenomenological analysis**  
  Anastasia Kiriakouli & Zaira Papaligoura

- **Challenges to parents’ family-life after their son or daughters’ suicide attempt: A qualitative study**  
  Lene Nygaard & Niels Buus
16.00-17.00  THEMATIC SESSION
Issues of trauma & recovery
Chair: Lisbeth Hybolt

The psychological, social, cultural and spiritual factors influencing the development of post traumatic stress disorder following motor vehicle accidents in a Malaysian setting
Rafidah Bahari, Muhammad Najib Mohamad Alwi, Nasrin Jahan, Muhammad Radhi Ahmad & Ismail Mohd Saiboon

How do people cope with post traumatic distress after an accident? The role of psychological, social and spiritual coping in Malaysian Muslim patients
Rafidah Bahari, Muhammad Najib Mohamad Alwi, Nasrin Jahan, Muhammad Radhi Ahmad & Ismail Mohd Saiboon

Discursive construction of realities concerning the accident of Fukushima No. 1 nuclear power plant: Can we find a way of reconciliation?
Yasuhiro Igarashi

16.00-17.00  THEMATIC SESSION
Investigating discourses and practices of mental health
Chair: Julianna Challenor

Human rights in the domain of mental health: Between juridification and judicialization of care practices
Eyraud Benoît & Collectif Contrast

Rethinking the clinical setting: The Greek experience of the clinics of solidarity
Agostino Carbone

Mental health care and educational actions: From institutional exclusion to subjective development
Daniel Magalhães Goulart, Fernando Luís González Rey & Albertina Mitjáns Martinez

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