

IPI Child Faculty meeting August 2, 2020

Intro course design

Jill presented the design for a two-part course, 1) for all-comers and 2) for clinicians, and she accepted revisions (see attached final version).

China course update: Jill, Janine, Caroline, Anabella

Jill reported on the class and the small group leaders reported that the groups are settling in. Group 1 is the advanced group. Caroline reported she was blown away by their formulations, and noted that they need help with adapting to teletherapy. In Group 2, Janine reported the presentation was of an autistic child, quite a challenge for a mixed level group with mainly adult therapists, and some participants were not keeping their camera on. Group 3 was also mixed, including teachers and parents and psychologists, and dealt with a difficult case of schizophrenia. We need group consultants to prepare the next consultant in the series, and all need to insist that participants keep the camera on and that no-one else is present. The main task is managing the disparity in the levels of knowledge and clinical experience.

Child program relationship to the CORE summer: Janine

The child program was designed to integrate with and support the CORE but now it is unclear how the summer institute GAM groups could be structured to facilitate learning. We may have to do our own basic theory teaching for the child students. Janine will work with the CORE program committee to see what works out.

Discuss the year ahead: Janine

The curriculum with teaching assignments is prepared for the year ahead with only a couple of panels and Gam group leader slots to fill. Janine will send out the final schedule soon. Two guest faculty are invited from ApsaA, Tom Barratt and Dan Prezant, and recent graduates will be given opportunities as co-teachers, namely Flora Barragan and Garrick Fuller.

Marketing: Caroline

Caroline will market to the ebook list. She will promote the fall and spring child program intro series after the Town Hall on Aug 16 and Jill will attend. We will develop promotional materials for the IPI Child course 2021-2023 and start marketing in January for a summer 2021 start date.

Zoom pedagogy for immersion day and weekend conferences: Jill

Not discussed. The weekend conference chairs will be in charge of this.

Immersion day Nov: Ana Maria in charge

Ana Maria has chosen the theme "The bad object". Sherly will present a case. Louise Gylter will be invited to participate.

Immersion day Feb: Anabella in charge

Anabella has chosen the theme "South American child analysis." She will ask Lea and Yolanda to participate.