

Psyche, Power, and Society

The 2nd International Conference of the International Association of Jungian Studies

Hosted by

School of Social Sciences

Cardiff University, Wales, UK

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Aims of the conference

The Jungian approach is innovative and progressing all the time alongside its classical origins. The second IAJS conference will focus on an important area of Jungian scholarship, the social sciences. We are looking for new perspectives that impact on Jungian thought. The traditional themes of Jungian psychology are the underpinnings of post-Jungian thought and, by extension, could move outside the strictures of their disciplines.

The conference will explore points of communality and difference between Jungian studies and the social sciences. The Conference Committee is particularly interested in receiving papers that engage critically with Jungian or post-Jungian ideas that are typically investigated by the social sciences and its cognate disciplines. While Jungian insights can shed new and different light on topics of social and societal relevance the Jungian tradition can also benefit from the points of view offered by the social sciences and related practices.

The conference's language is English.

Registration and more details will be announced on the IAJS website.

The Conference Committee

Dr. Raya Jones, (Chair), UK

Dr. Frances Gray, (Chair of the IAJS), Australia

Dr. Leslie Gardner, UK

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CALL FOR PAPERS

To be submitted by October 30, 2008

We invite contributions that consider the interplay between individual and group processes with particular attention to meeting points between Jungian and non-Jungian thinking. As well as concerns that are specific to Jungian studies, such as Jung in the academy and Jung and science, relevant themes include: power in organisations; globalisation and national identities; gender and sexuality; ethnicity; disability; discourses of health and illness; employment; cultural practices (literary, filmic, visual, musical, etc.); and religion in social and cultural settings. We also welcome reports of practical applications of Jungian concepts in education, business studies, and community contexts.

How to submit

Send a title and abstract of **no more than 200 words** to cardiffconference@jungianstudies.org to reach us by October 30, 2008.

Please provide your full name, title, and contact details (postal and email address, telephone and fax numbers); institutional or professional body affiliation (trainees in a clinical training program: indicate the training body; students: indicate scheme of study); a selected bibliography of no more than three of publications with full citation details.

Proposals for symposium and panel discussions should include an abstract describing the session's specific theme (200 words) as well as abstracts for each of the papers to be presented (200 words each).

Please indicate your preferred format:

- Paper (30 minutes, of which about 20 minutes presentation and 10 minutes discussion)
- Poster (to be displayed at an allotted time)
- Workshop (between 30 minutes to 1 hour interactive discussion, led by you)
- Round table (30 minutes, about 15 minutes presentations and 15 minutes discussion)
- Symposium (1½ or 2 hours, which include respectively 3 or 4 paper presentations)

Let us know your technical requirements (e.g., PowerPoint/DVD facilities, overhead projector, flipchart, etc.)

For more information and informal inquiries, please contact Raya Jones at JonesRA9@cardiff.ac.uk