Saturday, 17 April 2010
World Trade Center, Zurich

Trauma Update
We would like to cordially invite you to join ISTSS at the 15th Psychotraumatology Meeting in Zurich for an update on innovations in the field of traumatic stress. This one-day symposium will provide cutting-edge information for psychologists, psychotherapists, psychiatrists, social workers, researchers, journalists, healthcare managers, lawyers and others involved in working with the aftermath of trauma. There will be presentations from international specialists dealing with some of the most important issues in the field today. You will have a choice of plenary lectures (30 minutes each) and a number of parallel workshops of 90 minutes duration throughout the day. A panel discussion on future development in trauma work will conclude the meeting.

As you will see from the titles, most of the presentations are in English, while some are in German. However, there will be no simultaneous translation.

Looking forward to seeing you in Zurich in spring 2010!

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ISTSS is an international multidisciplinary, professional membership organization that promotes advancement and exchange of knowledge about severe stress and trauma. This knowledge includes understanding the scope and consequences of traumatic exposure, preventing traumatic events and ameliorating their consequences, and advocating for the field of traumatic stress. The International Society for Traumatic Stress Studies has a diverse membership from around the world. Members are social, behavioral and biological scientists; professionals from mental health and social services disciplines; and individuals representing religious, legal and other professions. ISTSS activities include education, training and information resources.
PLENARY LECTURES

8.00 a.m. Registration

9.00 a.m. Welcome and Introduction
Ulrich Schnyder

9.15 a.m. Kultur und psychopathologische Phänomene bei Flüchtlingen und Migranten
Joop de Jong

Komplizierte Trauer und Anpassungsstörungen: Impulse für Diagnostik und Therapie aus der Psychotraumatologie
Andreas Maercker

The Clinical Relevance of Epigenetics to PTSD
Rachel Yehuda

10.45 a.m. Coffee break

11.15 a.m. How to Understand the Evidence on Evidence-Based Psychotherapy
Paula Schnurr

The Clinical Challenges Presented by the Relationship between PTSD and Physical Symptoms
Alexander McFarlane

Complex PTSD and its Treatment
Marylène Cloitre

12.45 p.m. Lunch

2.15 p.m. Secondary Prevention after Acute Medical Trauma in Children
Nancy Kassam-Adams

Yoga for PTSD – Clinical Approach, Rationale and Treatment Outcome
Bessel van der Kolk

CBT for PTSD: Web-Based Training for Therapists
Dean Kilpatrick

3.45 p.m. Coffee break

4.15 p.m. Panel:
Future Developments in Trauma Work
Mark Creamer
Diane Elmore
Sandro Galea
Karestan Koenen
Patti Resick
Paula Schnurr

5.00 p.m. End of Symposium
GENERAL INFORMATION

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Fees and Registration
- Regular fee: CHF 260 including refreshments and lunch
- Reduced fee: CHF 210 for members of ISTSS and its affiliate societies
- For online registration and payment please use this website: www.psychiatrie.usz.ch
- Space is limited. Your registration will be confirmed once we have received your payment.

Cancellation
Cancellations received in writing by March 17 will be subject to a CHF 100 cancellation charge. No refunds will be given after March 17.

Hotel Accommodation
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PARALLEL WORKSHOPS 09.15 – 10.45 a.m.

1 Guided Self-Help for PTSD
   Jonathan Bisson

2 Disseminating the Most Effective PTSD Treatments: How Do We Change Clinical Practice?
   Mark Creamer, Josef Ruzek

3 Enhancing Outcome of Prolonged Exposure Therapy: Facilitating Good Emotional Engagement
   Elizabeth Hembree

4 The Case for Psychodynamic Psychotherapy in the Treatment of PTSD
   Harold Kudler

5 Cognitive Processing Therapy for Posttraumatic Stress Disorder
   Candice Monson

6 The Use of Neurofeedback in Clinical Practice
   Bessel van der Kolk, Alexander McFarlane

11.15 a.m. – 12.45 p.m.  2.15 – 3.45 p.m.

7 Katathym Imaginative Psychotherapie in der Psychotraumabehandlung
   Hansruedi Gehring, Ueli Zingg

8 Dissoziation und Gewalt
   Leena Hässig, Jennifer Steinbach

9 Das komplex traumatisierte Kind
   Markus Landolt

10 Hilfreiche Elemente aus der Körperorientierten Psychotherapie für die Arbeit mit traumatisierten Patienten
   Viktor Meyer

11 Trauma und Gewalt in der Gerontopsychiatrie
   Jacqueline Minder

12 Testdiagnostik Posttraumatischer Belastungsstörungen und weiterer häufiger Traumafolgen
   Julia Müller, Naser Morina