

**PRACTICUM
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**With MAURIZIO ANDOLFI
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HOW TO GIVE VOICE TO MARGINALIZED AND IMMIGRANT FAMILIES

A systemic - multicultural approach

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COURSE OBJECTIVE

In the western world, Mental Health Institutions and systemic therapists often don't pay attention to issues of cultural diversity and social marginality in their interventions with immigrant and refugee families.

In this Practicum, Maurizio Andolfi & Lorena Cavalieri will show how to use a systemic-multicultural lens to address the problems of marginalised immigrants and refugee families and to deal with their traumatic experiences. Several issues will be explored such as family cut-off, grief and loss, lack of self-esteem and self-confidence, ambivalence between belonging to another culture and the integration/assimilation into the new dominant host culture, social conflicts and discrimination.

Based on many treasured years of clinical work with refugee & immigrant families at the Silvano Andolfi's Foundation in Rome and our own professional experience with families all over the world, we will introduce course participants to our multigenerational therapeutic modality.

During the week long course, we will show how to explore family history by using the genogram and the map of the world as special tools and how to empower families as soon as possible, avoiding the customary risk of the "expert taking over". We will illustrate how to look at children's and adolescents symptoms as signals of intergenerational family and social conflicts and how to listen to their voice and understand their

non verbal body language. We will also demonstrate how productive it is to engage children in therapy as relational bridges in the dialogue/crash between generations. We will expound how to look at family beliefs, traditions and religious practices as special resources and how to create therapeutic rituals as a healing experience. The search for social and community support for marginalised families will also be explored.

SCHEDULE AND STRUCTURE

DATES: Monday 1st to Friday 5th JULY, 2019

HOURS: 9.30 am to 5.30 pm

VENUE: Accademia di Psicoterapia della Famiglia - Via Bosio 34, Rome- Italy

LANGUAGE: ENGLISH

TEACHERS: **Lorena Cavalieri** - Monday and Tuesday
Maurizio Andolfi - Wednesday, Thursday and Friday

- Theoretical presentation of our systemic-multicultural approach
- Vision and discussion of consultations/therapies conducted by Maurizio Andolfi and Lorena Cavalieri
- Group activation through role-playing, genograms and family sculpting of clinical work related to immigrants and refugee families
- Supervision of clinical cases presented by participants

Prof. Maurizio Andolfi

M.D. Child psychiatrist and Master Family Therapist.
Director of the Accademia di Psicoterapia della Famiglia, Co-Founder of the European Family Therapy Association (EFTA), Recipient of the AAMFT Award for Significant Contribution to Marriage and Family Therapy and the AFTA Award for Life Achievement.

Dr. Lorena Cavalieri

Clinical Psychologist and family therapist.
Director of the Silvano Andolfi Foundation in Rome, where she is responsible for the training of Cultural Mediators and the Clinical Service for immigrants and refugee families. She is well known internationally for her studies and researches on immigrants and refugee people.

F E E S

EARLY BIRD • 1.200 € (300 € non refundable registration fee + 900 € course)
if registration fee is paid before March 31st, 2019

REGULAR • 1.400 € (300 € non refundable registration fee + 1.100 € course)
if registration fee is paid after March 31st, 2019

- 300 € to be paid in advance with credit card or bank transfer
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