

The New York State Society for Clinical Social Work Committee for Creativity & Transformation in Clinical Practice

Announces a New Series of Workshops:

Reading Eric Kandel's *The Age of Insight*:

The Quest to Understand the Unconscious in Art, Mind, and Brain

1st meeting: *The Age of Insight* by Eric R. Kandel: The First Two Chapters - "Discovering Hidden Truths."

Date: April 14th, Sunday Time: 12pm - 1:30pm (1:30-2pm - sharing & networking)

Place: NAAP Office @ 80 Eighth Ave #1501; New York, NY 10011

No fee

This is the first of a series of workshops based on the book by a famous neuroscientist, Nobel laureate, Eric Kandel, *The Age of Insight: the Quest to Understand the Unconscious in Art, Mind, and Brain*.

At the first session, we will discuss chapters 1 & 2 of this fascinating book. (Those who registered, will receive these chapters in PDF format). Its reading is meant to review and/or extend one's knowledge of the process and results of the interaction of key leaders of 'two cultures,' science and humanities in Vienna, circa 1900: Freud, Schnitzler, Klimt, Kokoschka, and Schiele. Through these five pioneers we learn about the influence that Vienna School of Medicine had on the Vienna School of Art History; we learn about the revolution in thinking about the human mind, conscious and unconscious; and how the brain science relates to art. The ideas of that time have endured to the present, particularly, in the area of neuropschoanalysis and the continued synthesis of art, mind, and brain.

Presenter: Dr. Margery Quackenbush leads our first presentation/ workshop. Margery C. Quackenbush, PhD is the Executive Director of the National Association for the Advancement of Psychoanalysis. She is a graduate of the Center for Modern Psychoanalytic Studies, and the recipient of the Miriam Berkman Spotnitz Award for Scholarly Excellence in 1992. In 2004 she received the first Outstanding Professional Service Award from the American Board for Accreditation in Psychoanalysis. She is the author of *Recent Research on Memory by Dr. Eric Kandel*, *Recent Brain Experiments on Memory*, and *Recent Research on Dreams and Memory*: a final project presented to the Directors of International University for Graduate Studies. She has taught courses on Neuroscience and Psychoanalysis, been a panelist on *Emotional Memory* at the Fairlawn Public Library, and has done workshops on *The Humor Cure in Reversing*

Depression, The Death of the Mother/Analyst, and Women and Money: When is Too Much Not Enough. She maintains a private practice in New York City.

Moderator: Inna Rozentsvit, M.D., PhD, MSciEd

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Space is limited so only registrants will be admitted.

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