

**19th IARPP ANNUAL CONFERENCE**  
**Meeting the Other:**  
**Relational Psychoanalysis in dialogue**  
**with multiple perspectives**

June 15 - June 18, 2023  
**Valencia, Spain**  
Sercotel Sorolla Palace Hotel

**Conference Co-Chairs:**

Raimundo Guerra, PhD,  
Silvia Jiménez, PhD,  
Sandra Toribio Caballero, PhD



**A MESSAGE FROM THE CO-CHAIRS**

Our upcoming 19th annual IARPP conference will revolve with the idea of Relational Psychoanalysis in dialogue with multiple perspectives. Relational Psychoanalysis continues to be an evolving field. Forty years ago Stephen Mitchell introduced us to his groundbreaking work on relational thinking. Drawing from British object-relational theory, interpersonal psychoanalysis and feminist theory, he offered us novel ways of thinking and functioning clinically. Further nourished by significant contributions from anthropology, sociology, philosophy, political science, infant research, attachment studies, gender studies and the neurosciences, among others, Relational Psychoanalysis continues to develop in exciting ways. As we confront the intrinsic impact of the sociopolitical on our psychic lives, how we think and work clinically has shifted to encompass the significant and inevitable meeting and recognizing the “other” both externally and internally.

At the 19th IARPP annual conference that will be held in Valencia June 15–18, 2023, we will explore how our clinical encounters are not only enriched by, but are intricately interwoven with implicit and explicit influences from an array of different areas of knowledge. Maintaining an ongoing dialogue with different disciplines that also seek to explore and understand human experience is essential.

Our clinical endeavours are ever more fraught given our current global challenges where an ongoing pandemic, war, and climate change threaten our existential and interpersonal lives dramatically. Dialogue and striving towards mutual recognition is more pressing than ever as our world right now feels more polarized in unprecedented ways.

Holding complexity, disrupting reductionism, enhancing our emotional awareness and connection – these are our tasks clinically as we aim to find our way forward together. Mindful exchanges with different ways of exploring human experience becomes indispensable in these very endeavours.

We look forward to seeing you in Valencia!

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## LOCATION

Valencia is not by chance that it has been chosen as the best city to live in the entire world by expatriates of more than five different nationalities. Mediterranean, authentic and with a rich history, Valencia, often called “the city of light”, is becoming one of the most sought-after destinations in Europe. With 300 days of sunshine a year and an average temperature of 17°, Valencia is a city made for enjoying the outdoor life, especially in autumn.

Its over 160 kilometres of bike lanes cover the city from end to end, allowing you to travel through the gardens that run across the city along the old river course, and get to its urban beaches, as well as the two nature reserves connected to the city. Natural pantries such as the surrounding farmland, the sea and the paddy fields of La Albufera provide locally sourced products for restaurant tables, to the delight of palates truly committed to sustainability.

All this, together with 2000 years of history that have scattered historical sites from every period across the urban landscape, contrasting with the avant-garde architecture of such spaces as the City of Arts and Sciences.

### Essential places that you can not miss in Valencia

#### 1. City Of Arts and Sciences Monuments

An impressive city that can be enjoyed both inside and out, whether by watching an opera or 3D IMAX film, or visiting the interactive museum or the largest aquarium in Europe. Click here for more information.

<https://www.cac.es/va/home.html>

#### 2. Cathedral, Miguelete and Holy Grail

The Cathedral is a beautiful mixture of Romanesque, Baroque and Gothic styles. The Holy Chalice is preserved inside the Cathedral and if you go up the 207 steps of the Miguelete tower you will be able to enjoy a 360° view of the city. Click here for more information.

<https://tinyurl.com/bdfb4va7>

#### 3. Barrio del Carmen: A cocktail of history and leisure

Forget about maps and venture into the labyrinthine cobbled streets of this ancient quarter that flourished between the Muslim and Christian walls. Medieval buildings, palaces, frescoes, shops and restaurants you won't be able to resist. Click here for more information.

<https://tinyurl.com/y9pkz8w9>

#### 4. Albufera Natural Park

This is where the paella was invented. Just 10 km from the city. An urban oasis surrounded by paddy fields and woods: Head over to the town of El Palmar and try their traditional dishes. Click here for more information.

<https://tinyurl.com/yhkn5ft6>



Within the city limits or wild, the choice is yours! If you like golden sands by the sea. There are urban ones, just a stone's throw from the city centre, full of restaurants and leisure facilities and with a very wide promenade. Click here for more information.

<https://tinyurl.com/48r3ud6p>

## ACCOMMODATIONS

Block bookings at special rates have been made with the conference venue, Sercotel Sorolla Palace Hotel, Valencia. Accommodation bookings should be made when completing your online registration to obtain the reduced rates (Limited number available).

#### Sercotel Sorolla Palace Hotel.

Avenida de las Cortes Valencianas 58, Valencia.

<https://www.sercotelhoteles.com/es/hotel-sorolla-palace>

Room Type	Price (per Nght)
Double Room, individual use (1 person)	150€ + 10% TAX
Double Room	170€ + 10 % TAX

Other hotels near the Conference Venue:

#### Hotel Meliá Valencia.

Avenida de las Cortes Valencianas 52, Valencia.  
[melia.com](https://melia.com)

#### Hotel Eurostars Gran Valencia

Carrer de la Vall d'Aiora 3, Valencia.  
[eurostarshotels.com](https://eurostarshotels.com)

#### Hotel Ilunion Valencia 3

Carrer de la Vall d'Aiora 5, Valencia  
[ilunionvalencia3.com](https://ilunionvalencia3.com)

#### Hotel Ilunion Valencia 4

Carrer de la Vall d'Aiora 1, Valencia  
[ilunionvalencia.com](https://ilunionvalencia.com)

## REGISTRATION

Online registration is available

<https://tinyurl.com/yfhaxz8b>

### Early Bird registration will close May 15th, 2023.

To secure your place in your preferred Pre-Conference Workshop and Panel Sessions, early registration is strongly advised.

All Panel Session placements will be made strictly on a first-come (paid), first-served basis.

All conference registration fees are listed in USD.

Registration for the main conference allows attendance at all sessions, all coffee breaks, lunches, and the Candidates' and Welcome Reception.

### Conference Registration Fees:

#### Online

	Category 1 (USA & Spain)	Category 2 (Countries other than USA & Spain)	Students	Non Members
Online- Plenaries only	\$300	\$260	\$230	\$350

#### In-Person Valencia 2023

Optional Pre-Conference Programs	Member		Non-member	
	Before May 15th	After May 15th	Before May 15th	After May 15th
	\$60	\$90	\$100	\$140

	Category 1 (USA y Spain)		Category 2 (Countries other than Spain and USA)		
	Before May 15th	After May 15th	Before May 15th	After May 15th	
Main Conference	Member	\$480	\$530	\$400	\$450
	Non member	\$540	\$590	\$450	\$500
	Candidate / Academic	\$380	\$430	\$310	\$360
	Candidate / Academic non member	\$420	\$470	\$360	\$400
	Student	\$250	\$260	\$200	\$250
	Student non member	\$260	\$310	\$250	\$290
Conference Social Evening	\$75				

## LANGUAGE

The official language of the conference is English. Simultaneous translation into Spanish of the PLENARIES will be provided

## EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

At the conclusion of the conference, participants will be able to:

1. Understand the role of Relational Psychoanalysis as an antidote that could help embracing the Other as a way forward.
2. Identify why Relational perspective provides an exploration from the therapist to achieve the best comprehension of the patient's subjectivity.
3. How Relational Psychoanalysis works with socio-political factors and how that impact us as clinicians and patients.
4. Provide the different perspectives adopted by relational thinking to understand the traumatic consequences of it and has different reflective ways to cope with them

## CE CREDITS

Complete info in this link: <https://tinyurl.com/mprj233>

Earn up to 20.00 CE Credit Hours

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### Continuing Education Credit Hours are available from the following organizations

#### In-Person

- American Psychological Association
- New York State Education Department's State Board for Social Work
- New York Education Department for Licensed Mental Health Counselors
- New York Education Department Board for Licensed Psychoanalysts
- New York State Education Department's State Board for Psychology
- New York State Education Department's State Board for Marriage and Family Therapy

#### Virtual

- American Psychological Association
- New York State Education Department's State Board for Social Work
- New York Education Department for Licensed Mental Health Counselors
- New York Education Department Board for Licensed Psychoanalysts
- New York State Education Department's State Board for Psychology
- New York State Education Department's State Board for Marriage and Family Therapy

## CANDIDATES' AND WELCOME RECEPTION

The IARPP 2023 conference Welcome Reception will be held at the Sercotel Sorolla Palace Hotel on Thursday, June 25, 2023. The Candidates' Reception will be from 7:15pm to 8pm, and the Welcome Reception from 7:45pm to 9:30pm. The cost for this event is included in your registration package.

## IARPP CONFERENCE PROGRAM 2023

### Thursday 15.6.2023

8:00-10:30 Registration for Optional Pre-Conference Programs

### OPTIONAL PRE-CONFERENCE PROGRAMS

9:30-13:30 A Hans Loewald : About Temporality and of Our Time  
*Cheryl Goldstein, Milch-Reich, Robin Young.*

9:30-13:30 B Unconscious Communication between Therapist and Patient: The Ordinary Uncanniness of Everyday Life: A Clinical Workshop.  
*Anthony Bass*

9:30-13:30 C Ethical Presence in the Clinical Encounter- An Experiential Workshop  
*Micha Weiss*

14:00-15:00 Gathering & Registration

### 15:00-16:30 PAPER/PANEL SESSION A

A.1 Candidate's Panel: Learning From the Other: Contributions, Confusions and Challenges of Drawing From Other Disciplines For New Analysts.

**Speakers** *Karen Weiser, USA; Marta L. Botet, Spain; Adva Balzam, Israel; Maria Pomes, Chile.*

**Moderator** *Carlos Rodríguez Sutil*

A.2 Advances in Relational Psychoanalysis in the Treatment of Trauma Generated by Political Corruption, Racism and Immigration

**Speakers** *Adriana Cuenca Carrara, Mexico; Akiko Motomura, USA; Indira Moodley, South Africa;*

**Moderator** *Annita Chatzimichailidi*

A.3 Violence, Gender and Politics: Reflections for our Time

**Speakers** *Marina Amore, Italy; Simona Caprili, Italy; Noga Ariel-Galor, Israel;*

**Moderator** *Alix Jurado Tarin*

A.4 New Horizons for Relational Psychoanalysis

**Speakers** *Jean Principe, USA; Ignacio Blasco, Spain; Anshumita Pandey, India.*

**Moderator** *Rodolfo Pérez*

A.5 Meeting Medea: In Dialogue with the Multiple Perspectives of Motherhood

**Speakers** *Stamatina Kaidantzi, Greece; Konstantinos Mathioudis, Greece*

**Discussant** *Lauren Levine, USA*

**Moderator** *Rosario O'Ryan*

A.6 Stephen Sondheim: Relational Psychoanalyst of the American Music Theater.

**Speakers** *Ilene Philipson, USA; Matthew Aibel, USA.*

**Discussant** *Alessio Vincenti*

A.7 Poetry, Literature and Philosophy while Meeting with the Other

**Speakers** *Omer Dror, Alice Sommatìs, Italy; Giuseppe Leo, Italy*

**Moderator** *Vasileios Kominos*

A.8 Bonding with the Therapist: Narrating Stories Of Traumatized Patients Through the Relational Psychoanalytic Lens.

**Speakers** *Katerina Katsaouni, Greece; Marilou Kountria, Greece.*

**Discussant** *Maria Eugenia Boetsch*

**Moderator** *Eirini Germpana*

16:30-17:00 Coffee Break

17:00-17:15 **Welcome Remarks**

*Susanna Federici, President IARPP*

17:15-19:15 **PLENARY I: Don Quixote's Windmills: Millenials' Struggle to Hold Hope in the Face of so much Uncertainty and Crises.**

**Speakers** *Luis Raimundo Guerra, Spain; Steven Kuchuck, USA; Andrew Samuels, UK;*

**Interlocutor** *Chana Ullman, Israel.*

19:15-20:00 **Candidates' Reception**

19:45-21:30 **Opening Conference Cocktail Reception**

## Friday 16.6.2023

- 8:00–8:30 Registration
- 8:00–9:30 **Early Group – ALL ARE WELCOME**  
Stavros Charalambides & Haim Weinberg
- 9:15\_9:45 Coffee Break and Refreshments
- 9:45–10:00 **President's Welcome**
- 10:00–12:00 **PLENARY II: The Collapse of Complexity in the Face of Fear in the Society and in the Clinical Encounter**  
**Speakers** *Carlos Rodríguez Sutil, Spain; Eyal Rozmarin, USA; Rachel Peltz, USA*  
**Interlocutor** *Cathy Hicks, USA*
- 12:00–13:30 **Post-Plenary Discussion Group 1**  
*7 parallel groups that will be randomly divided*  
Post-Plenary Discussion Leaders:  
1: Victor Doñas & Peter McKay  
2: Neetu Sarin & Rodolfo Pérez  
3: Fabia Banella & Marta Ansón  
4: Afarin Kohan & Raúl Naranjo  
5: Sara Boindi & Cristina Gresa  
6: Gadit Orian & Maria Apostolopoulou  
7: Rosario Castaño & Rosa Dominguez (discussion group in Spanish)
- 13:30–15:00 Lunch (on your own)
- 15:00–16:30 **PAPER/PANEL SESSION B**
- B.1 **Invited Panel: Child/Adolescent/Parent Panel: Clinical Experiences on Play, Zoom Room, Reclaiming & Self Disclosure**  
**Speakers** *Roy Aldor, Israel; Amy Joelson, USA;*  
**Discussant** *Macarena Lopez Magnasco, Chile.*  
**Moderator** *Fabia Banella*
- B.2 **Relational Perspectives on Autism**  
**Speakers** *Maxine Faith Spedding, South Africa; Sean Meggeson, Canada;*  
**Discussant** *Paulina Golaska*
- B.3 **Transsexuality, Gender: Relational Reflections.**  
**Speakers** *Concepció Garriga, Spain; Andrea Monroy Toro, Germany; Jill Gentile, USA.*  
**Moderator** *Paulina Román*
- B.4 **Attachment Theory: How Profoundly has COVID Changed Us and Our Relationships.**  
**Speakers** *Cátia Castro, Portugal; Marco Bernabei, Italy; Shiri Raz, Israel.*  
**Moderator** *Juliet Heeg*

- B.5 **Couples Therapy, Intimate Relationships and Feminism in Relational Psychoanalysis**  
**Speakers** *Barbara Ortúzar, Chile; Patricia O. Hunter, USA; Noga Guggenheim, Israel;*  
**Moderators** *Cristina Gresa*
- B.6 **The Professional Identity of the Therapist: When a Dual Career Generates Trust Issues and Relational Raptures in the Analytic Dyad.**  
**Speakers** *Ioannis Dritsoulas, Greece; Konstantinos Dritsoulas, Greece;*  
**Discussant** *Maria Founta, Greece*  
**Moderator** *Ainhoa Madoz*
- B.7 **The Transgenerational Mindmeeting. The Other in Supervision**  
**Speakers** *Berta Loret de Mola Vadillo, Mexico María Luisa Saldaña Obregón, Mexico*  
**Moderator** *Susanna Federici*
- B.8 **Philosophical Perspectives on New Relational Psychoanalytical Issues**  
**Speakers** *Frank Summers, USA; Roberto Vargas Arreola, Mexico; Brendan McPhillips, Australia*  
**Moderator** *Konstantinos Mouchalos*
- B.9 **Art, Love and Creativity, its Roles in Our Lives and in Our Patients Therapeutic Process.**  
**Speakers** *Frances V. Dilon, USA; Judi Kobrick, Canada; Carmen Domingo Peña, Spain.*  
**Moderator** *Anastasios Gaitanidis*
- 16:30–17:00 **Coffee Break & Refreshments**
- 17:00–19:00 **PLENARY III: Dreaming the Other: Holding Possibility or Fostering Delusion?**  
**Speakers** *Spyros Orfanos, USA; Shlomit Yadin-Gadot, Israel; Sandra Buechler, USA*  
**Interlocutor** *Amy Schwartz Cooney*
- 19:00–20:30 **PAPER/PANEL SESSION C**
- C.1 **Neuroscientific, Clinical and Cultural Perspectives on Suicide and Trauma**  
**Speakers** *Shurida Yadavalli, USA; María D. Cabrelles Sanz, Spain; Daniel Goldin, USA.*  
**Moderator** *Valeria Pulcini*

- C.2 **Perspectives on Later Life, Motherhood and Transgenerational Transmission.**  
**Speakers** *Ronald Ruskin, Canada; Shelley Heusser, South Africa;*  
**Moderators** *Irelena Pantelopoulou*
- C.3 **Individual Therapy in a Dialogical Relationship with Group Therapy. The Multiplicity of Relationality in Analytic Thirdness From a Group as a Whole Perspective.**  
**Speakers** *Alkinoi Lala, Greece; Fotini Doumoura, Greece;*  
**Discussant** *Arthur Gray*
- C.4 **Gender, False Self, and Communications Across Different Cultures: Clinical Implications of a Relational Approach.**  
**Speakers** *Satoko Imamoto, Japan Ayumi Osagawa, Japan Edgardo Thumala, Chile*  
**Moderator** *Adam Rodriguez*
- C.5 **When our Patients Become Others to Their Communities and to Themselves.**  
**Speakers** *Marc Rehm, USA; Ashis Roy, USA;*  
**Discussant** *Sue A. Shapiro*  
**Moderator** *Anna Pintsov*
- C.6 **Meeting the other – when conflicts in the therapy group meet relational approaches**  
**Speakers** *Haim Weinberg, USA; Martha Gilmore, USA; Stavros Charalambides, USA*  
**Moderator** *Alessandro Riva*
- C.7 **Creative Process, Artistic Expressions and Dreams in The Analytic Field.**  
**Speakers** *Carlos Pitillas, Spain; Duncan Cartwright, South Africa; Ravit Raufman, Israel.*  
**Moderator** *Anna Maria Barbero*
- C.8 **The Relational baby in the Adult's Clinic it isn't Funny.**  
**Speakers** *Ilana Laor, Israel; Shoulamit Milch Reich, Israel.*  
**Moderator** *José Bahamondes*

## Saturday 17.6.2023

- 7:30–8:00 Registration & Coffee
- 8:00–9:30 **Early Group – ALL ARE WELCOME**  
Stavros Charalambides & Haim Weinberg
- 09:30–11:30 **PLENARY IV: Otherness and Gender: Forms Of Violence Against Women.**  
**Speakers** *Silvia Jimenez Torres Spain; Hilary Offman, Canada; Maria Silvia Soriato, Italy*  
**Interlocutor** *Sandra Toribio Caballero*
- 11:30–12:00 Coffee Break & Refreshments
- 12:00–13:30 **Post-Plenary Discussion Group 2**  
*7 parallel groups that will be randomly divided*  
1: Victor Doñas & Peter McKay  
2: Neetu Sarin & Rodolfo Pérez  
3: Fabia Banella & Marta Ansón  
4: Afarin Kohan & Raúl Naranjo  
5: Sara Boindi & Cristina Gresa  
6: Gadit Orian & Maria Apostolopoulou  
7: Rosario Castaño & Rosa Dominguez (discussion group in Spanish)
- 13:30–15:00 Lunch (on your own)
- 15:00–16:30 **PAPER/PANEL SESSION D**
- D.1 **Invited Panel. Collective Trauma and Political Activation: Views from a Clinician Working with Bereaved Families of Shot Down Ukrainian Airline Flight 752 and a Political Scientist.**  
**Speakers** *Mehr-Afarin Kohan, Canada; Bettina Von Lieres, Canada;*  
**Discussant** *Gianni Nebbiosi*
- D.2 **Language and Relational Psychoanalysis.**  
**Speakers** *Ronnie Carmeli, Israel; Sharon Strasburg, Israel Jan Resnick, Australia;*  
**Moderator** *Marta Ansón*
- D.3 **Socio-Political Overview.**  
**Speakers** *Margaret Sperry, USA; Alioscia Boschioli, Italy; Laura Tormo Martínez, Spain.*  
**Moderator** *Silvia B. Birklein*
- D.4 **Overview: Social Distress and Community States Globally.**  
**Speakers** *Jeanette Farrell, USA; Malin Fors, Norway;*  
**Moderator** *Andrés Hidalgo*

**D.5 Countertransference, Dyad and Subjektivities**

**Speakers** Sarah Schoen, USA;  
Veronica Csillag, USA.  
**Moderator** María de Lourdes Mattei

**D.6 The Reversal of Roe v Wade and the Psychological Assault on Women.**

**Speakers** Hillary Grill, USA;  
Sally Bjorklund, USA;  
**Discussant** Caryn Sherman-Meyer, USA  
**Moderator** Lucía Martínez Domínguez

**D.7 New Arising Psychoanalytic Problems/inconveniences in This Digital Times.**

**Speakers** Temo Keshelashvili, Canada;  
Michael Singer, USA;  
Emanuele Viaggio, Italy.  
**Moderator** Claudia Scozzari

**D.8 Evil and Good; Love and Hate: Who is the other?**

**Speakers** Laura Molet Estaper, Spain;  
Ruth Lijtmaer, USA;  
**Discussant** Nina Sander

**16:30-18:00 PAPER/PANEL SESSION E**

**E.1 Overview: Encountering the Other: Psychoanalytic Schisms in 2023**

**Speakers** Joyce Slochower, USA;  
Nancy McWilliams, USA.  
**Discussant** Spyros D. Orfanos, USA  
**Moderator** Carleen Miller

**E.2 Intergenerational Trauma and Cultural Conflict.**

**Speakers** Amir Hossein Jalali Nadousan, Iran;  
**Discussant** Stephen Hartman  
**Moderator** Sigal Nusboim Flint

**E.3 Literature and Theater in Dialogue with the Other.**

**Speakers** Mark Gerald, USA;  
Ronen Kowalsky, Israel  
**Moderator** Corinne Zeevi-Weil

**E.4 Security and Sexuality, Masculinity and Readiness to Change**

**Speakers** Bruce Herzog, Canada;  
Jose Angel Aguilar Gil, Mexico  
Rachel Altstein, USA  
**Moderator** Angel Flor

**E.5 When Race Enter the Clinical Space: Psychic Fault Lines, Reparative Acts.**

**Speakers** Jill Salberg, USA;  
Linda Jacobs, USA.  
**Moderator** Seth Aronson

**E.6 Evolving Assimilative Integration of Somatic Knowledge in Relational Psychotherapy.**

**Speakers** Peter McKay, Australia;  
Mary P. Curry, USA  
**Discussant** Enrico Paolini

**E.7 Family Trauma and its Implications on Subjektivty and Self**

**Speakers** Joan Friedman, USA;  
Alejandra Plaza Espinosa, Mexico.  
Ramon Riera, Spain  
**Moderator** Karey Wilson

18:00-19:00 **IARPP Membership Meeting**

20:30 **Gala Dinne** (event is at an additional charge)



**CONFERENCE SOCIAL EVENING**

The IARPP 2023 Conference Social Evening will be held at:

**Restaurant Les Arenes**  
C. d'Eugènia Viñes, 22, 24, 46011 Valencia.  
[hotelvalencialasarenas.com](http://hotelvalencialasarenas.com)

It will include real Valencian paella – as part of a varied menu – and music!

**Sunday 18.6.2023**

8:00 –8:30 Registration & Coffee

**8:30-10:00 PAPER/PANEL SESSION F**

**F.1 Working with emotions: Sex, Embodiment and Relationality**

**Speakers** Gabriela Gusita, Greece;  
Oliver Lyttelton, Canada  
Ricardo Gallego, Spain;  
**Moderator** Gretchen Suarez

**F.2 Otherness, Challengers in the Current Clinic**

**Speakers** Paolo Stramba-Badiale, Italy;  
Gabriella Elmo, Italy;  
Penny Rubinfine, USA.  
**Moderator** Maria Apostolopoulou

**F.3 Cultural Trauma, Repetition in Therapeutic Communication and Self-Ideal.**

**Speakers** Philip Ringstrom, USA;  
Ingrid Pedroni, Italy;  
Laura D'Angelo, USA  
**Moderator** Rosa Velasco

**F.4 Mutual Vulnerability and Multiplicity of Collective Traumas: Surviving Efforts in Individual and Group Therapy.**

**Speakers** Sevasti Gkioka, Greece;  
Soulana Tsiakou, Greece;  
**Discussant** Victor Doñas  
**Moderator** Rana Shokeh

**F.5 Holding Mind and Body while Working with a Patient with An Eating Disorder.**

**Speakers** Agata Kotrys, Poland;  
Lina Camacho, Colombia;  
Alejandra Misiolek, Spain.  
**Moderator** Marianthi Michalakopoulou

**F.6 Intersubjectivity, Mutuality and Thirdness.**

**Speakers** Louis Pansulla, USA;  
Udi Chen, Israel;  
**Moderator** Stamatina Barmpagianni

**F.7 Self Knowledge as a Way of Understanding to Address Differently the Relationship with the Other and Inner Experience.**

**Speakers** Sara Biondi, Italy;  
Peter Shabad, USA;  
**Discussant** Hazel Ipp

10:00-10:30 Coffee Break & Refreshments

**10:30-12:30 PLENARY V: Embracing the “Other” as a Way of Moving Forward.**

**Speakers** Alejandro Avila Espada Spain;  
Sally Swartz, South Africa.  
Carmine Schettini, Italy;  
**Interlocutor** Margaret Black Mitchell

12:30-13:00 **Closing Thoughts**

Susanna Federici, President IARPP

Recognition of Scientific Interest, granted by the Conselleria de Sanidad de la GVA.

Accreditation requested to the Continuing Education Commission (EVES. Escola Valenciana d'Estudis de la Salut).

**ABOUT IARPP**

The International Association for Relational Psychoanalysis and Psychotherapy is an international association founded in 2001. The association is conceived of as a professional and intellectual community of individuals – Clinicians and non-clinicians such as academics– committed to developing relational perspectives and exploring similarities and differences with other approaches to analysis and psychotherapy.

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