

## Dear members and friends of the IAFP

The title of our 2002 scientific conference may sound familiar and it is obvious why this is so. Numerous academic events may have had similar titles in the past. But how can we turn away from the issue of trauma, if we still consider it to be the darkest area of our work, to which we feel strangely attracted yet repelled at the same time.

Real external trauma determines how future events are interpreted and represented internally. Vice versa inner representations may give rise to real events. One catastrophic event may lead to the next. Criminal acts in particular reflect and revive traumatic material. Whoever attempts to approach traumatised perpetrators for the sake of treatment, may evoke terrible memories and must be aware of the consequences.

Since this conference will be hosted by the child and adolescent hospital in Stuttgart topics of traumatisation in childhood and patterns of risk taking behaviour and delinquency specific for adolescence can be suitably addressed. The conference finally ventures to view trauma as a partly or wholly collective experience by exploring ethnic issues and war atrocities, expulsion, migration, cultural clashes in modern societies and the new scare of terror attacks.

## About us

The IAFP was founded in 1991 and held previous meetings in England, Scotland, the Netherlands, Denmark, Germany and the USA. The association has enjoyed a fast growing membership from all of Europe and overseas. The annual meetings seek to attract a wide audience ranging from psychiatric services in hospitals to social services and the community, professionals in the Law and Courts and those concerned with Ethics, Public Policy and the Media.

The IAFP meetings are renowned both for their high profile lectures and workshops with ample discussion time and for their cordial and informal atmosphere enabling delegates to communicate generously during the intervals, at mealtimes and in the evenings.

All delegates have in common their work as therapists in a difficult legal context that precludes classical treatment contracts. They still venture to seek therapeutic relationships, trust upon personal growth and afford to explore personal biographies in order to understand why perpetrators have become dangerous to themselves and others. The annual IAFP conferences offer three important days of learning and encouragement, during which the delegates enjoy personal friendship and professional solidarity. The Stuttgart conference is a good place to renew this valuable experience.



*In association with the Universities of Tübingen and Ulm*

All applicants will be registered automatically through payment of the conference fee. No receipts or confirmations are issued prior to the conference.

Early hotel reservation is strongly recommended. The hotels listed in this leaflet have offered reduced rates for IAFP delegates until 28<sup>th</sup> February 2002 (s.o.l.). Delegates who wish to take part in the pre-conference event must contact T. Kluiting or K. Hoffmann separately.

A final programme and abstracts will be issued at the time of the conference together with a certificate of attendance. An electronic version of the programme will be available via e-mail upon request from 28<sup>th</sup> February. Please send a blank e-mail to [updateslist@forensicpsychotherapy.com](mailto:updateslist@forensicpsychotherapy.com)

On Friday and Saturday luncheons are provided on the venue. All costs (except drinks) for the Saturday evening dinner at "Schloss Solitude" are included in the conference fee.

All monies of applicants who are unable to attend the conference will be refunded (upon written request) minus a fee of 10%, provided the notice is received on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2002 at the latest. - Please direct all inquiries to

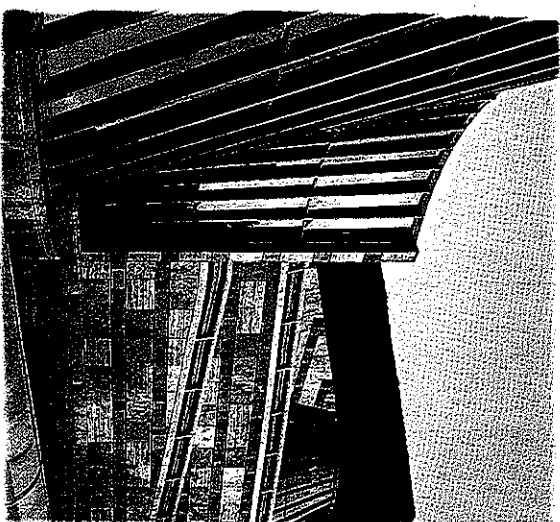
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# Trauma and Delinquency

**11<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference  
of the International  
Association for Forensic  
Psychotherapy**

**Stuttgart**  
**4<sup>th</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> April 2002**  
**Final Announcement  
and Registration**



**Plenary Speakers include**

**Gwen Adshhead, London:** The relevance of childhood and adult trauma for forensic psychotherapeutic practice  
**Rehmar du Bois, Stuttgart:** patterns of childhood trauma  
**Christopher Cordess, Sheffield:** psychological trauma – problems of conceptualisation  
**Michael Ginter, Tübingen:** Tim Scannell Memorial Lecture: The reactivation of archaic phantasies from the early stages of the oedipus complex in adolescence  
**Friedemann Pfäfflin, Ulm:** Traumatic aspects of forensic assessments of migrants  
**Cleo Van Velsen, London:** Response to the Tim Scannell Memorial Lecture  
**Sahha Yaksef, Istanbul:** Victims of sexual abuse in Turkish prisons: Reporting procedure and intervention techniques  
**Felicity de Zulueta, London:** Understanding PTSD from an attachment perspective. Implications for treatment with particular reference to dissociation and perversion.

**Special features**

**Pre Congress Visit to the Forensic Psychotherapy Unit at the ZFP Reichenau (Kluttig, Hoffmann)** – see flyer  
**Special Film Night „An American Tragedy“, Sternberg, 1931** with an Introduction by Peter Deitmering  
**Video Replay:** the BBC documentary on the Benjamin Wilkomirski affair  
**Ethnological Presentation:** New patterns on traditional Afghan carpets: Tree of life and Kalashnikows (J. Kaller)  
**Pre-Dinner Lecture:** Fictional Trauma as an Offence? Benjamin Wilkomirski and his readers (M. Keilson-Lauritz)  
**Public Sunday Matinee and Press Conference:** „War atrocities – victims and perpetrators“ Victim and Witness Section of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia. The Hague (W. Lobwein)  
 When patients report atrocities (B. Shephard, Author of „A War of Nerves“)  
 Cycles of violence and traumatisation in ethnic conflicts and migration (C. Stelzennüller, „Die Zeit“)

**The conference will gather speakers from**

Australia	Austria	Denmark
France	Germany	Ireland
Italy	Netherlands	Switzerland
Turkey	UK	USA

(Submissions of additional posters are strongly encouraged!)

**Time Table**

**Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> April**  
 11:00 a.m. – 18.00 p.m.  
 Pre congress meeting at the Forensic Psychotherapy Unit ZFP Reichenau (Lake Constance) (see separate leaflet)

**Thur 4<sup>th</sup> April**  
 15:00 p.m.  
 18:00 p.m.  
 19:30 p.m.  
 IAFP Board Meeting  
 Welcome Reception - Haus der Wirtschaft  
 Special Film „American Tragedy“ (Kommunales Kino, Friedrichstr. 23A)

**Fri 5<sup>th</sup> April**  
 9:00 a.m.  
 11:30 a.m.  
 13:00 p.m.  
 14:30 p.m.  
 17:00 p.m.  
 18:30 p.m.  
 introduction - plenary session I (A)  
 plenary session II (A)  
 lunch break  
 workshop series 1 (A,B,C,D)  
 workshop series 2 (A,B,C,D,E)  
 Special Show: Carpet knotting in Afghanistan: tree of life and kalashnikows (A)

**Sat 6<sup>th</sup> April**  
 9:00 a.m.  
 11:30 a.m.  
 12:45 p.m.  
 14:30 p.m.  
 17:00 p.m.  
 18:45 p.m.  
 19:15 p.m.  
 19:45 p.m.  
 20:15 p.m.  
 plenary session III (A)  
 workshop series 3 (A,B,C,D)  
 lunch break and poster demonstration  
 workshop series 4 (A,B,C,D,E)  
 plenary session IV (A)  
 departure by coach  
 reception and snacks (Schloss Solitude)  
 pre-dinner lecture (Schloss Solitude)  
 Dinner and Dance

**Sun 7<sup>th</sup> April**  
 9:00 a.m.  
 12:00 p.m.  
 plenary session V (open to the public and the media) and press conference (A)  
 IAFP Annual General Meeting (A)

**Workshops and Master Classes include**

Ethnic issues and migration  
 Empirical Trauma research  
 Trauma and Addiction  
 Panel on Confidentiality  
 Trauma and Sexuality  
 Special Aspects of Traumatisation In Females  
 Trauma and Aggression  
 Concepts of Forensic Group Psychotherapy  
 Institutional Aspects of Traumatisation  
 Trauma and Adolescence  
 Trauma and Schizophrenia  
 Forensic psychotherapy and the scare of terror attacks

**Stuttgart**

The city of Stuttgart represents a peculiar symbiosis of frugality, solid wealth and sobriety. Its inhabitants are rooted to their soil and keep to themselves yet on the other hand they are keen travellers (and protestant missionaries!) and outstanding global players. Swabians are often likened to the Scots. The Stuttgart area is the home of Mercedes cars, the Daimler Chrysler imperium, Bosch, Porsche, Allianz, IBM Europe, Boss, Schlessler and many other engineering, computer and textile companies.  
 The town has always been fond of the arts and proud keeper of a world famous opera and ballet house as well as of art galleries of world reputation. Stuttgart also exhibits a fast growing array of modern architecture the earliest example being Le Corbusier's and Mies van der Rohe's residential quarter „Weissenhof“ and later „Stierling's „Staatsgalerie“ (see picture) - Being surrounded by wooded slopes and vineyards that extend right into the town centre Stuttgart easily possesses the most spectacular natural setting of all cities in Germany.

The conference venue is a tastefully refurbished massive Victorian complex in the town centre. The interior architecture is modern but pays tribute to the historic shell. The conference will occupy a whole floor containing one big lecture theater with a glass roof, one dining hall, and several smaller rooms and lobbies. The building is spacious and invites the visitor to stroll around and stop at exhibitions, coffee bars or the restaurant. The big hotels, many more restaurants, street cafes, the royal palace and the castle and all pedestrian shopping areas are all only a short walk away.

**Hotels**

The following hotels have offered discounted prices for delegates of the „IAFP“ (=quote) until 28<sup>th</sup> February. Delegates must make their own bookings. The Stuttgart tel prefix is 0049 711 -

<b>Maritim</b>	Seidenstr 34, 70174 Stuttgart, Tel 942-0 (Fax -1000)	Single..... 122.00 €	Double..... 150.00 €
<b>Kronen</b>	Kronenstr 48, 70174 Stuttgart, Tel 2251-0 (Fax -404)	Single Standard.... 99.00 €	Single Executive.... 102.00 €
		Single Comfort.... 118.00 €	Double..... 169.00 €
<b>Dorint Stuttgart City</b>	Heilbronner Str 88, 70191 Stuttgart Tel 25558-0 (Fax -100)	Single..... 97.50 €	Double..... 120.00 €
<b>Rega</b>	Ludwigsburger Str 18-20, 70176 Stuttgart, Tel 61934-0 (Fax -77)	Single..... 92.00 €	Double..... 120.00 €
<b>Sauler</b>	Johannesstr 28, 70176 Stuttgart, Tel 6143-0 (Fax 611639)	Single..... 80.00 €	Double..... 105.00 €
<b>Hansa</b>	Silberburgstr 114, 70176 Stuttgart, Tel 625083 (Fax 617349)	Single..... 58.00 €	Double..... 67.00 €

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Invitation to a Pre-Conference Event  
on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2002  
11:00 a.m. – 18:00 p.m.

Visit to the Forensic Department  
of Reichenau Mental Hospital  
(Zentrum für Psychiatrie Reichenau)

Dear Delegates

Reichenau Mental Hospital is situated near the town of Constance, the Lake Constance and the border to Switzerland with special departments for all groups of psychiatric in-patients, a forensic department and a halfway house.

The small forensic department with a level of high and medium security offers about 60 in- and out-patient places for forensic patients convicted by German criminal law to treatment orders and serves two court districts in the south of Baden-Württemberg. The forensic department has three wards: An admission and crisis intervention ward with high security level, a psychotherapeutic ward for addicted patients and a psychotherapeutic ward for patients with psychotic, affective and personality disorders. In its treatment philosophy the forensic department emphasizes the guidelines of therapeutic communities, psychoanalytic group psychotherapy and individual therapy and a multiprofessional approach in treatment with a special focus on primary nursing.

We offer you a visit of the three wards and invite you to a professional exchange with the staff members of the forensic department. The program will start at 11:00 a.m. with an introduction to the German forensic system and the forensic unit. After lunch at 13:00 p.m. we shall visit the units in small group and then reunite at 16:00 p.m. for a group discussion with staff members. This will last until 18:00 p.m. In the evening we shall offer you a tour of the historic town of "Konstanz" and maybe join you for dinner in town.

It is possible to reserve a limited number of rooms in the hospital to stay overnight.

Reichenau is easy to reach from both Stuttgart and Zürich airports (trains run every hour. The journey time from Stuttgart to Reichenau is 2.5 hours, from Zürich 1.5 hours)

If you have any queries about travel and accommodation, please don't hesitate to contact us. Early bookings would be very helpful, especially if you are interested in free accommodation in the hospital. We can also take a number of delegates to Stuttgart in our private cars on Thursday

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