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TWO DAY WORKSHOP

with Professor

MAURIZIO ANDOLFI

Master Family Therapist

“The self of the therapist”

3rd & 4th of June 2021 by Zoom Online

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Professor Andolfi has spent over 50 years of pioneering work with family therapists around the world at his prestigious accademia in Rome, Italy on what he refers to the therapist “handicap”. He stresses the need to look at ourselves and how we use the “self” of the therapist in therapy, which he refers to the therapist capacity to develop personal resonance in the therapeutic process.

According to Professor Andolfi, when and how it is appropriate to self-disclose, share personal events, a fragment of experiences from our own family or brief descriptions of other families therapy past? He emphasised the need for the therapist to rid themselves of their “professional mask”. He states, only then the therapist can begin to appreciate using their full self and humanity fully.

Whittaker refers, “growing as a therapist” as going through the process of learning about family therapy and the process of doing family therapy and to the point of being a family therapist – what comes next is according to him, is more freedom to care without the danger of becoming an adoptive parent.



I have been privileged to train with Professor Andolfi since 2005, and bear witness to many of his innovative ideas of family therapy. Professor Andolfi is a pioneer in his own right; his idea of using the “Child as a Consultant” to enter the family is one of the hallmarks of his approach. To date, I have learnt to be playful, more observant, courageous and take risks in family therapy. Particularly, how to mobilise and look for competence and resources in the symptomatic child and his wider system. I am now a more confident family therapist: more able to be authentic, and genuine as well as developing the capacity to be able to stay close to family pain and despair without having to be personally responsible, while engendering hope and responding positively to their desire to change.

This master series workshop will inspire, challenge and liberate the clinician to shift and reflect on their clinical practice and “thinking” in how to connect with families using their self. Learning will take the form of experiential exercise, the use of family sculpture, role play and use of prescription. Professor Andolfi will be launching his new DVD on training Family Therapist on the Use of Self in this workshop. This is a “must-do” workshop for any aspiring therapist.





MAURIZIO ANDOLFI

Master Family Therapist

MAURIZIO ANDOLFI is a world renowned Master Family Therapist, who initially trained as a Child Psychiatrist. He lived in New York City in the early 1970's where he worked extensively in the South Bronx, and later in South Philadelphia with disadvantaged families of different ethnic groups. During his time in the USA, Maurizio studied in a number of prestigious Family Therapy institutes, including the Family Studies Section of Bronx State Hospital, the Ackerman Institute for Family Therapy and the Philadelphia Child Guidance Clinic with Salvador Minuchin, Jay Haley and Carl Whitaker.

Achievements:

- Winner of an AAMFT Award for his Contribution to Marital & Family Therapy in 1999
- Awarded the Lifetime Achievement Award for his contribution to family therapy by AFTA in June 2017
- Awarded an Honorary Member of the Asian Association of Family Therapy in 2019

Professor Andolfi is the Director of the Accademia di Psicoterapia Familiare in Rome, Italy. He now resides in Perth, Western Australia. Maurizio is a pioneer in his own right, his idea of using the symptomatic child as a co-therapist to enter the family is one of the hallmark of his approach. He is highly regarded and sort after in Europe, South America, Eastern Europe and the Asia Pacific.

REGISTRATION FORM

 **The Delta Clinic**

with Professor
MAURIZIO ANDOLFI

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NAME _____

POSITION _____

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DATE 3rd & 4th of June 2021

TIME 10:00am to 17:30pm (Sydney EST)

VENUE Online Zoom

COST \$550

EARLY BIRD \$500.00 GST Inclusive before 31st of March 2021
*No refund will be given if you change your mind but you can no
another person.

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