



The Future of Neuroscience, Attachment and Mentalizing: from research to clinical practice

Saturday 18 May 2019

- 08.45 - 09.15** **Registration**
- 09.15 - 09.25** **Welcome and Introduction**
Patrick Luyten (KU Leuven, Belgium, and University College London, UK)
- Session One: Chaired by Jim Hopkins (University College London, UK)**
- 09.25 - 10.25** **How do Relationships Make Brain?**
Ruth Feldman (Center for Developmental Social Neuroscience, IDC, Herzlia Israel)
- 10.25 - 11.25** **Embodied Mentalisation in Anorexia Nervosa:
Insights from Psychodynamic Neuroscience**
Katerina Fotopoulou (University College London, UK)
- 11.25 - 12.00** **Refreshments**
- 12.00 - 13.00** **Objectively quantifying socio-communicative sensitivity by innovative
neuroimaging approaches: Applications in autism and infant research**
Bart Boets (KU Leuven, Belgium)
- 13.00 - 14.15** **Lunch and poster presentations**
- Session Two: Chaired by Jeremy Holmes (University of Exeter, UK)**
- 14.15 - 15.15** **The Social Neuroscience of Attachment: State-of-the-Art and Future
Directions**
Pascal Vrtička (Max Planck Institute for Human Cognitive and Brain Sciences,
Leipzig, Germany)
- 15.15 - 15.45** **Poster Blitz**
- 15.45 - 16.00** **Break (Please note that refreshments will not be served)**
- 16.00 - 17.00** **Neuroscience of Human Attachment: what we now know**
Anna Buchheim (Universität Innsbruck, Austria)
- 17.00 - 18.00** **Peter Fonagy (University College London and Anna Freud National
Centre for Children and Families, UK) in conversation with Simon Baron-
Cohen (University of Cambridge, UK) on “Where we are now:
a neuroscience informed social-communicative approach to change in
psychotherapy”**
- 18.00** **Refreshments and Networking**



Sunday 19 May 2019

09.30 - 10.45

Parallel Workshops Session 1

Strategies for promoting secure attachment and early child development through mentalizing and sensitive care

Pasco Fearon (University College London, and The Anna Freud National Centre for Children and Families, UK)

Working with somatoform patients: an integrative, neuroscience informed perspective

Patrick Luyten (KU Leuven, Belgium)

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Parallel Workshops Session 2

Attention disorders and MBT: from the scanner to the consultation room

Martin Debbané (Université de Genève, Switzerland) and Nader Perroud (Université de Genève, Switzerland)

Mentalization-based treatment for aggressive behavior in adolescence

Svenja Taubner (Heidelberg University, Germany)

12.30 - 13.15

Plenary Panel: Future Developments and Discussion from the Floor

Chair: Peter Fonagy (University College London, and Anna Freud National Centre for Children and Families, UK)