

The Psychotherapy Institute

SUPERVISION STUDY PROGRAM

INTRODUCTION

Established in 1984, the Supervision Study Program is one of the few programs of its kind in the San Francisco Bay Area, offering a two-year course of study in depth in the theory and practice of supervision. Led by TPI's senior faculty, the program includes weekly individual consultation with a faculty member and weekly group consultation. Class size is small to insure maximum individual attention.

The program begins each year in October and runs year-round.

The Supervision Study Program focuses on:

1. Identifying and developing participants' individual styles of consultation and supervision.
2. Understanding the dynamics in the relationship between patient and therapist, therapist and supervisor.
3. Developing the use of self in the consultation/supervision process.
4. Identifying individual modes of teaching and learning.

QUALIFICATIONS

1. Applicants must be licensed in California to practice independently in a mental health field (e.g., psychiatry, social work, psychology, marriage/family therapy, nursing) and have a minimum of three years post-license clinical experience.
2. Applicants must have the capacity for introspection and self-awareness.
3. Applicants must be supervising or consulting at the time they enter the program (beginning of October). The Selection Committee can suggest supervisory opportunities for program participants who are not already providing supervision or consultation.

However, the arrangements are the responsibility of the individual SSP participant.

FEES

A \$50 (US) application fee must accompany the application.

The fee for the two-year program is \$250/month.

Participants in the Supervision Study Program must also become members of The Psychotherapy Institute; membership fees are \$75 for the first year/\$100 thereafter.

Participants set their own fees for their private practice consultees and collect those fees themselves. There are additional opportunities to supervise trainees in the TPI's two-year post-graduate training program and through TPI's Consultation Service, available to licensed therapists in the professional community at large. Fees collected through the Consultation Service accrue to TPI while you are in the Supervision Study Program.

APPLICATION for 2010-2011

Applications will be due by May 1. After reviewing your application, the Selection Committee will contact you to participate in a group session which will be held on a weekday evening.

Mail your completed application and check for the \$50 application fee to:

The Psychotherapy Institute
2232 Carleton Street
Berkeley, CA 94704.

For more information, please contact K. Sue Duncan, Executive Director, (510) 548-4407. *The*

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2010-2011 APPLICATION FORM

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Office Phone _____

Professional Degree(s) _____

Type of License _____ Number _____ Month & Year obtained _____

(3 years of post-license experience required)

Total number of hours you have provided supervision or consultation to date _____

PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF YOUR RESUME.

LETTERS OF REFERENCE

Three letters of reference are to be sent to The Psychotherapy Institute in support of your application. Please list the names and phone numbers of the individuals from whom you will request letters of reference:

Name _____ Phone _____

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

Please briefly answer the following questions.

1. Describe your current clinical work, including your work setting(s) and clientele, your orientation, and the kind of people and problems you like to work with.
2. Please describe your development as a clinician, including the personal and professional experiences which have shaped your work.
3. If you have provided supervision or consultation, please briefly describe the setting(s) and your experience, including your approach.
4. Why are you seeking intensive training as a supervisor/consultant? What are your goals for this training program?

SUPERVISION STUDY PROGRAM APPLICATION CHECK LIST

Listed below are the items necessary for you to complete an application for the Supervision Study Program. If you have any questions contact K. Sue Duncan, Executive Director, at (510) 548-4407.

- Completed application form (original and four copies)
- Resume (original and four copies)
- Completed statement of purpose (original and four copies)
- Three letters of reference (to be sent directly to The Psychotherapy Institute by references)
- Check for \$50, made out to The Psychotherapy Institute