

# SAN FRANCISCO CENTER FOR PSYCHOANALYSIS



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[www.surveymonkey.com/r/WP8FVPV](http://www.surveymonkey.com/r/WP8FVPV)

## MESSAGE FROM THE SFCP NEWSLETTER EDITOR

*Richard Almond, MD*  
*SFCP Newsletter Editor*

Thank you for taking 5' to fill out this survey. The Newsletter would like to include more content from and about individual members, their unique activities and interests. We think that can contribute to our knowing each other better, and recognizing the wide range that accompanies clinical activity. We hope this can lead to profiles, essays, creative arts coverage, and so on. Anything you submit will only be used in the Newsletter with your consent and collaboration.

# SFCP Board Chair Report

In March the SFCP Board of Trustees welcomed a new trustee who will also serve as our treasurer. As the Nominating and Governance Committee of the Board sometimes does, we selected a treasurer from outside SFCP membership who brings specific and necessary expertise. Our new treasurer, Rui Bao, currently works as the Chief Business Official for the Belmont-Redwood Shores School District. Among other areas, she manages the budget and facilities for the district. Rui also serves on the Board for FACES SF, a non-profit that supports families and children. Prior to her career in education, Rui was a management consultant for McKinsey & Company. Along with a lot of enthusiasm and ideas, Rui brings her education from Yale – in Ethics, Politics, and Economics – and her Master’s Degree in the Management of School Systems. We are lucky to have her. Welcome, Rui!

We very much appreciate Steve Larson’s tenure as treasurer, and particularly thank him for extending his term until we secured a new treasurer. Steve brought his extensive financial expertise to SFCP, and the organization is better for it. Thank you, Steve!

Also at the March Board meeting, Trustees discussed and approved a proposal brought by the SFCP Leadership Team – Maria Longuemare, Marcia Hodges, and I – to authorize members of Strategic Direction Team #2: Promoting an Inclusive & Reflective Organization and the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI) Steering Committee to draft and propose a process for SFCP to address challenging interactions that occur about race. The purpose is to create a voluntary process that allows for learning and repair. Currently SFCP does not have a way to address these interactions. David Luna, SFCP’s DEI consultant, has extensive expertise in this arena and will help the group as they research, design, and draft a proposal. The group will reach out to various SFCP groups, committees, and members throughout the process. The group plans to bring a proposal to the Board in the Fall. Please also see Ari Bachrach’s article about this on [page 8](#)

Other key points and votes from the March Board meeting:

- The Board approved Beate Klein’s analyst membership to SFCP. Welcome, Beate!
- The Finance Committee reported that SFCP remains on budget for this academic year. This will remain true if the Annual Campaign reaches its goal of \$130,000.
- The Facilities Committee reported that the bathroom fans have been replaced to decrease noise disruption in the main room.
- The Nominating and Governance Committee announced Rui as treasurer and continuing efforts to recruit Board Trustees.
- The DEI Steering Committee provided an update on their work, including offering support to various parts of the organization.

Thank you – as always – to everyone for contributing so much of your time, energy, mind, and heart to the continued work of SFCP!

If you have any questions or comments, please contact me at: [brett@brettpenfil.com](mailto:brett@brettpenfil.com)

# SFCP President's Report

It is hard to believe we are already in the home stretch of the 2023-24 academic year, which has featured a strong revival of many SFCP programs and renewed energy toward developing SFCP into the future. I am very grateful to the many members who have donated their time, money, and effort to make this happen. To continue this trend, **please participate in the [survey](#) and [register to join the SFCP Vision & Mission Planning event](#), open to all members via Zoom on Sunday, April 28 from 9:00-2:00.** We need your voice!

I want to begin by congratulating the analytic training program graduates this year – **Paige Friedlander, Chandrakala Rai, Jyoti Rao, and Sydney Tan** from the Adult Psychoanalytic Training Program and **Mary-Stone Bowers and Catherine Phillips** from the Child and Adolescent Psychoanalytic Training Program! Please join us in celebrating them at the **PED Graduation Ceremony & Reception on Saturday, May 11th, 3:00-6:15pm**, featuring **Jim Dimon** as graduation speaker.

In addition, I want to acknowledge how much I have appreciated the members of **SFCP Management Team (below)** and the collaborative work we have done together this past year, and also to highlight a few recent and upcoming events emerging from the divisions and committees:

**Coalition for Clinical Social Work (CCSW Co-Chair Clara Kwun)** - The CCSW will be capping off its Clinical Evening Series this year with a final program on [Art and Craft: Depth and Creativity In and Out of the Consulting Room on Wednesday, May 1st, 6:45-9:00pm](#) featuring performances and presentations by **Tim Kim, PsyD** - psychotherapist and musician specializing in violin and voice; **Johnny Huy Nguyễn** - Multidisciplinary Dancer & Choreographer; **Jane L. Dulay** - psychoanalyst and Bay Area Figurative Artist; and **Dannyl Yu** - psychoanalyst and chef! I encourage all SFCP members to register and engage in this free event moderated by Clara at SFCP!

**Committee on Groups (COG Chair Sydney Tan)** - COG recently hosted the **SFCP Annual Group Relations Weekend** which served to underscore the power of group dynamics to influence our relationships and interactions, and provided many useful learning opportunities for us as an organization. In particular, the need for transparent and well-articulated processes for *how* we are going to communicate with each other, and *how* we are going to make decisions together amidst our differences, rose to the surface as ongoing challenges for our community to explore.

**Extension Division (Chair Loïc Pritchard)** - Loïc has done an amazing job coordinating a working group amongst the multiple programs in our thriving Extension Division, including the San Francisco & East Bay Yearlongs, the Seasoned Clinicians Program, the Student Seminars, Dialogues in Contemporary Psychoanalysis, the Child Colloquium Series, and the Scientific Meetings. This academic year will finish with several amazing programs including: the [Child Colloquium Series: Lives Across Time, Part 2](#) on Saturday, April 27th 10:00 - 12:00 at SFCP, - presented by **Henry Massie & Nathan Szanberg**, discussed by **Barton Blinder**; the [Child Colloquium Film Screening and Discussion: A House Made of Splinters \(2022\)](#) on Saturday, May 4th 5:00 - 8:00 at SFCP - discussed by **Reyna Cowan**; and the [Scientific Meeting: Freud in his Psychosocial Generation: Durkheim, Simmel, Weber and Du Bois](#) on Monday, May 6th 7:30 - 9:00 offered in hybrid format (at SFCP and via Zoom) - presented by **Nancy Chodorow** .

# SFCP President's Report cont.

**Faculty Committee (Co-Chair John di Martini)** - I am very grateful to the Faculty Committee for their last-minute revival of the **Visiting Professor Program** this year (dormant since 2019) in a new weekend format featuring Lacanian psychoanalyst Darian Leader. We look forward to continuing VP Weekends in the future! In addition, the Faculty Committee has hosted a series of pop-ups this year reflecting on the theme of a psychoanalytic community, and what this means for our SFCP group life. Save the date for the final **SFCP Faculty Pop-Up on Sunday, May 19th focused on "Belonging"**.

**Membership Division (Chair Meryl Botkin)** - the Membership Division has been coordinating with the Strategic Directions teams to develop processes for inviting new and existing members to engage further with the activities at the Center, to develop a database for open positions, and to formalize succession planning for the leadership roles. We are very appreciative of these efforts to promote the sharing of responsibility amongst our members and to ease the burden on existing leaders by facilitating smooth transition processes.

**Psychoanalytic Education Division (PED Division Chair Beth Steinberg)** - In addition to celebrating the 2024 graduates, the psychoanalytic training program has been actively planning for 2024-25 and is expecting a full class of 9 incoming candidates. Due to the number of applicants exceeding open spots, admission has been closed for the 2024-25 cycle, and the PED will soon begin accepting applications for 2025-26. I want to acknowledge the ongoing work of Beth Steinberg and all of the PED Sub-Committee chairs for the enormous amount of work they have done this past year to review and update the policies and procedures of the analytic training programs to better serve the current needs of our trainees and faculty.

**Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Education Division (PPED Council Co-Chair Catherine Phillips)** - The **PPED Graduation will be held on Saturday, June 1st 4:00-6:00pm at SFCP!** More information will be available in May regarding our 2024 PPED graduates. In addition, I want to welcome **Madeline Lansky** who has graciously agreed to **Chair the Child and Adolescent Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Program (CAPPTP)** and to thank **Mary-Stone Bowers** for acting as interim co-chair to ease this transition. The CAPPTP Steering Committee is looking to recruit additional members for its upcoming new program cycle in 2024-25. Please reach out to the office or to Madeline directly if you are interested. The **Palo Alto Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Training Program (PAPPTP)** Fellowship program has filled its enrollment for 2024-25, and the **SF-Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Training Program (SF-PPTP)** has had a strong response for applications for 2024-25. The SF-PPTP is currently recruiting members for its 2024-25 **[Ongoing Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Conference](#)** which follows an integrated theory and case conference model and is open to all post-seminar and former SF-PPTP students via Zoom. Please consider signing up if you have participated in SF-PPTP in the past!

In addition to all of the above, I am very grateful for the ongoing collaboration with David Luna and the DEI Steering Committee, as well as the Board of Trustees and the Strategic Directions teams. Please see separate articles in this newsletter detailing their current activities!

Finally, now that we have returned to in-person meetings, the Management Team would like all members to be aware of the recently approved **[SFCP Medical Emergency Procedure](#)**, should a participant experience a serious medical event during one of our programs. SFCP staff and leadership will be available to support everyone involved, and all program planners are encouraged to review these procedures to help ensure the safety of all of our members.

\*\*\* All SFCP members are invited to join the **SFCP listserv** which is used for referrals and for program announcements of interest to our membership. Please complete **[this form](#)** if you are interested in being added to the group.

# Report from the Chair of the Psychoanalytic Education Division

Dear SFCP Community-

I am very pleased to announce our 2024 PED Graduates!

Graduates from the Adult Psychoanalytic Training Program:

Paige Friedlanger, MD

Chandrakala Rai, MFT

Jyoti Rao, LMFT

Sydney Tan, PsyD

Graduates from the Adolescent and Child Psychoanalytic Training Program:

Catherine Phillips, LCSW

Mary-Stone Bowers, MFT

**Please join us for the 2024 PED Graduation Ceremony, which will take place at the Center on Saturday May 11 from 3:00 - 4:30.** [Please note time change!] We are very pleased that **Jim Dimon, MD** has agreed to be our graduation speaker.

Immediately following the ceremony, please also join us for a lively reception with drinks, music and delicious appetizers! We hope you will join us to celebrate our graduates.

**CLICK HERE TO [RSVP TO THE GRADUATION CEREMONY AND THE RECEPTION](#)**

I also wanted to make sure you are aware of the new [Candidate Training Grants for Equity and Diversity](#) fund which will help to cover costs of psychoanalytic training at SFCP for candidates who identify as a person of color and/or as having financial need. Please consider donating to this important effort to bring new voices into our community and help to sustain SFCP into the future!

To donate please click here: [CANDIDATE TRAINING GRANTS - DONATION FORM](#)

Also, please let me know if you might be willing to join us on the **Candidate Training Grants for Equity and Diversity committee**. We need volunteers to help launch this program which will bring new voices into our community and help to sustain SFCP into the future!

Please email me at [besteinberg@comcast.net](mailto:besteinberg@comcast.net) if you are interested in learning more.

# Important - Vision and Mission of SFCP - Your Voice is Crucial - Ways to Participate

REGISTER [HERE](#) - by 4/27

You are invited to attend a virtual working session to re-imagine [SFCP's Vision and Mission Statements on Sunday, April 28 from 9:00 am - 2:00 pm.](#)

You can register [here](#). The registration deadline is Saturday, April 27th.

The vision and mission statements will build on the strategic planning process and the four strategic directions:

1. Energizing the Membership to Co-Create the Life of the Organization
2. Promoting an Inclusive & Reflective Organization
3. Re-Envisioning & Building a Sustainable Organizational Structure to Support Prioritized Programming
4. Developing & Supporting Leaders

The vision and mission are essential policies and guides for the organization.

## What is a vision statement?

A vision statement focuses on the imagined future world the Center wants to create. It's aspirational. The vision statement promotes growth, both internally and externally. A strong vision helps people focus on what matters the most for the Center. It also invites innovation in how we evolve to meet the vision.

A vision statement answers questions such as:

- What is the arena or arenas of our work?
- What problem/issue are we working to solve, or what shift are we hoping to create?
- Who and what are we inspiring to change?

## What is a mission statement?

A mission statement focuses on what the Center does now to achieve the vision. The mission statement drives the Center. It is what we do, the core of our work, and what our contribution is to making the vision a reality. It also shapes the Center's culture.

A mission statement answers questions such as:

- What do we do?
- Whom do we serve?
- How do we serve them?

## How to participate:

- Attend on Sunday, April 28th. You can register [here](#). The registration deadline is April 27th. We hope you will complete the survey and attend the April 28th session. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Marcia Hodges at [marcia.hodges@sfcg.org](mailto:marcia.hodges@sfcg.org).

## Strategic Plan Operations Team

Brett Penfil, Board Chair

Maria Longuemare, President

Ari Bachrach

Deb Fletcher

Meryl Botkin

Marcia Hodges

# An update from the Community Engagement Strategic Directions team: “Promoting an Inclusive, Reflective Organization”

In the Fall of 2022, SFCP engaged in a strategic planning process. Four strategic directions were determined, each with a voluntary committee to move the work forward.

The Strategic Directions “Promoting an Inclusive, Reflective Organization” committee has been slowly taking up the three foci highlighted within our directive in the strategic plan —diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI), group dynamics, and organizational repair processes. Many other committees are also working on these issues generatively, and we hope to have greater integration of these efforts in the future.

Our first initiative was to develop a list of aspirations for interacting with each other within our committee and the wider community. We offer these as an invitation to hold in mind as we engage together in community. We hope these aspirations will facilitate healthier group processes and serve in concert with future organizational commitments to inclusion in SFCP. Our hope is that as a community we will develop a greater ability to think about—and take responsibility for— our organizational culture, unconscious biases, individual and group roles, and impacts upon one another.

## Aspirations for Community Engagement

1. We recognize that we are colleagues with a shared investment in psychoanalysis.
2. We are from different identities, training levels, and social positions. We remember to welcome and value diverse voices and perspectives.
3. We are curious about what unconscious processes may be influencing our participation and group dynamics.
4. We understand that racism and other systems of oppression influence our interactions with each other in content and process. We attempt to recognize, rectify, and repair the damage done.
5. We are curious about our resistance. We recognize when we are activated and take a moment to self-reflect.
6. We hold room to engage and discuss unpopular ideas and commit to respect for dissenting voices. We turn conflict into shared exploration.
7. We recognize that we can do harm without intending to and we are responsible for the impact of our behavior. We recognize harms occur and that we can cause/do harm without intention.
8. We recognize our interdependence. We trust that everyone has wisdom and that everyone's wisdom is needed.

Our current committee work is collaborating with Clara Kwun of the DEI Steering Committee and David Luna, SFCP's DEI Consultant, to develop an initial draft of a reconciliation and repair process for racial injury at SFCP. We will keep you posted on our progress and future projects.

Strategic Directions #2- “Promoting an Inclusive, Reflective Organization”

Members: Ari Bachrach, Cindy May, Jen Merovick

# CE/CME Update

We now require a 12 week lead time to process CME applications. APsA accreditation division has significantly changed their review process and timeline. Classes are not considered approved for CME until APsA is able to review applications and approve them.

This is a change from previous functioning, where applications were considered approved once they were submitted.

Please send your materials to Aaron Chow and Megan Goodwin and see [www.sfcpc.org/jppf/](http://www.sfcpc.org/jppf/) for complete instructions related to the CE and CME process.



# SFCP Community Members - Mentoring Program!

Would you like to meet with an analyst to discuss your questions about psychoanalytic thinking and clinical work? We'd love to meet with you! The Mentoring Program at SFCP matches participants with analyst mentors to discuss the mentee's interest in psychoanalytic work.

The Mentoring Program is open to mental health clinicians at all levels of training and experience, who are SFCP Community Members, an easy and fun community to join! Mentors meet once a month with mentees for the academic year.

Examples of Topics to Discuss:

- Information, resources and literature to help a mentee explore particular areas of interest. For example: work with particular populations such as trauma survivors; current thinking about LGBTQ issues; the impact of race, class and culture on psychological life; child work; mindfulness; research about psychoanalytic process; and psychoanalytic interfaces with other fields such as poetry, literature, neurosciences
- How to choose among current activities, programs, courses, and services offered by SFCP that are relevant to the mentee's interests and stage of training
- Questions about developing as a psychoanalytic psychotherapist and about psychoanalytic training
- Connecting the mentee with colleagues who the mentor thinks might be a valuable resource based on the mentee's interest in a particular subject

You must be an SFCP Community Member to apply for this program, here is the link to become a Community Member: [update](#)

And here is the link to the Mentoring Program: [update](#)

"I'm new to private practice and was looking to get mentoring and support from someone with a deep knowledge of psychotherapy. During our initial meetings I was able to get several very practical and pressing questions answered and feel more confident about seeing clients in my new private practice setting. We discussed psychoanalytic approaches to working with parents and children, which helped me to move forward with my cases and also to consider aspects that I had not previously considered. I have a particular interest in mindfulness and my mentor put me in touch with a therapist who incorporates mindfulness into a psychodynamic therapy practice. In addition, I work with children and my mentor referred me to the Child Colloquium, where I met other clinicians and heard a very helpful presentation. I feel very fortunate to meet with my mentor as needs arise."

Matt Higgins LCSW, Community Members Mentoring Program

Contact: Holly Gordon, DMH

[hollygordon4@gmail.com](mailto:hollygordon4@gmail.com)

COST: FREE to SFCP Community Members.

LINK TO APPLICATION: [update](#)

QUESTIONS: If you have questions about the program, please contact:

Holly Gordon, DMH [hollygordon4@gmail.com](mailto:hollygordon4@gmail.com)

# SFCP LIBRARY ANNOUNCEMENT

*The SFCP library is dedicated to promoting inclusivity within our community. Whether you have questions about our services or archives, we invite you to visit our reference desk on Fridays from 10am to 2pm.*

EVERYONE IS

**WELCOME**

For any inquiries, you can also contact the librarian, Rashmita Sriram, at [rashmita.sriram@sfcplibrary.org](mailto:rashmita.sriram@sfcplibrary.org).

CLICK [HERE](#) TO ACCESS THE LIBRARY'S HOME PAGE.



# Annual Giving Campaign Update!

## Our 2023-2024 Goals

1. RAISE \$130,000
2. EARN THE SUPPORT AND PARTICIPATION OF **ALL** SFCP MEMBERS
3. INCREASE THE NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS FOR OUR IN-PERSON FUNDRAISING EVENTS

## April Update

WE HAVE ALREADY RAISED **\$66,010!** THAT IS 50.1% OF OUR GOAL.

WE ALSO HAVE 18.6% OF OUR MEMBERS' PARTICIPATION SINCE OUR LAUNCH 5 MONTHS AGO! THIS TIME LAST YEAR WE WERE AT 15.6%!





# THE ENRICO JONES FUND FOR EQUITY AND EQUALITY

70 people of color received  
tuition credits since 2021

- 15 students received tuition credits in 2021
- 25 students received tuition credits in 2022
- 30 students estimated to receive tuition credits through June 2024

## Join Us!

Please join us by making your contribution now online, by mail or by phone. Our members' participation in this effort has been excellent, but we need a continuing effort to aid our organization to achieve the diversity of members which we desire. All contributions help!

## WAYS TO DONATE

### ONLINE:

<https://www.sfcps.org/s/enrico-jones-fund>

### BY MAIL:

444 Natoma Street  
San Francisco, CA 94103

### BY PHONE:

(415) 563-5815

## A recipient told us:

*"I strongly believe that as a psychoanalytic community, we all benefit from the Enrico Jones Fund's implicit and explicit recognition of the painful racism in our community in need of acknowledgement and repair. And for that I am the most grateful."*

## Contributions

- FY2021: 12 donors, \$28,200
- FY2022: 42 donors, \$40,600
- FY2023: 36 donors, \$46,600

**Total number of donors: 67**

*\*Please note that repeating donors were counted once.*



## Child Colloquia Series

# Lives Across Time, Part 2: The Clinical and Attachment Implications of a Psychoanalytic Longitudinal Study of 76 People from Birth

**Presenters:** Henry Massie, MD, San Francisco Center for Psychoanalysis  
Nathan Szajnberg, MD, Psychoanalyst, Palo Alto, CA

**Discussant:** Bart Blinder, MD, PhD, Clinical Professor, Department of Psychiatry,  
University of California, Irvine and University of Washington, Seattle;  
and Senior Faculty (Adult and Child) and Chair, Research Committee,  
New Center for Psychoanalysis, Los Angeles

**Moderator:** Courtney Hartman, PsyD, San Francisco Center for Psychoanalysis

**Henry Massie, MD** and **Nathan Szajnberg, MD** will discuss case studies from a prospective psychoanalytic study of paths to emotional health and illness from birth to age 30 and 60. This study, initiated by Sylvia Brody in 1964, included filmed mother-child interaction, projective psychodiagnostic assessments, and psychoanalytically oriented interviews with parents and children. Drs. Massie and Szajnberg inherited the project for the 30-year followup in 1994, which they conducted from an attachment perspective. Findings highlight the relative importance of early attachment versus later childhood trauma for subsequent emotional health. Some participants lives demonstrate how trauma can remain hidden unconsciously and/or intentionally from interviewers until it emerges years later, which raises implications for treatment. *Mother-infant films of 4 participants with a 60-year followup will be shown.*

**Saturday, April 27, 2024**

10am - 12pm  
In person at SFCP  
444 Natoma Street  
San Francisco, CA 94103

**FREE EVENT!**

For more info, visit:  
[www.sfcps.org/2024-04-27-child-colloquia/](http://www.sfcps.org/2024-04-27-child-colloquia/)



**2 CME/CE Credits are available**



## Art and Craft:

# Depth and Creativity In and Out of the Consulting Room

**Wednesday, May 1, 2024**

6:45pm - Greetings and Socializing

7:00pm – 09:00pm - Program

**Location:**

San Francisco Center for Psychoanalysis

444 Natoma Street

San Francisco, CA 94103

### Presenters:

**Tim Kim, Psy.D., MFA**

Clinical Psychologist

Private Practice, San Francisco and Oakland

**Program Fee:**

Free

**Johnny Huy Nguyễn**

Multidisciplinary Dancer, Choreographer, Performer

**To Register:**

Click to register for the event

<https://www.sfcps.org/2024-05-01-ccsw/>

**Jane L. Dulay, MD, OTR**

SFCP Analyst Member

Bay Area Figurative Artist

**Questions?**

Clara Kwun, LCSW

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Private Practice

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Daniel Yu, LCSW

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### Moderator:

**Clara Kwun, LCSW**

SFCP Member and Faculty

CCSW Co-Chair



## FILM

## SCREENING AND DISCUSSION

*A House Made of Splinters* (2022) directed by Simon Lereng Wilmont is an intimate and emotionally resonant documentary film about children living in a Ukrainian shelter just prior to the recent Russian invasion. Each child is scarred by trauma: the unbearable loss of their parents due to alcohol, physical punishment, poverty, previous wars, and neglect. From the newly arrived 6-year-old clutching her doll, to the 12-year-old big brother who can't bear being separated from his little sister, the film captures the joy and sorrow of these young lives as they form connections with one another. Thankfully, the film also profiles the most loving and supportive staff, as the filmmaker trains his camera on the shelter, observing the activities and the interventions, without any outside commentary from experts in the field. Ultimately the film tenderly shines a light on the impact of affectionate care, on the children's sense of self and of the future, despite the landscape of an extremely harsh reality. Join Reyna Cowan as we watch and read the film together.



**Discussant:** *Reyna Cowan, PsyD, LCSW*

**Moderator:** *Courtney Hartman, PsyD*

*Reyna Cowan, PsyD, LCSW, is a psychoanalyst and a child therapist. She is a Personal and Supervising Analyst at PINC, and is faculty at both PINC and at SFCP. She teaches extensively on child and adolescent issues, primitive states, and Winnicott, as well as courses on film and film criticism. She runs a free monthly salon series for PINC linking psychoanalysis to the arts and culture called "Second Fridays." She has a private practice in Oakland where she works with adults, couples, adolescents, and children.*

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SNACKS AND DRINKS INCLUDED

FREE  
EVENT!IN PERSON AT SFCP | 444 NATOMA STREET  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94103FOR MORE INFO: [sfcp.org/2024-05-04-child-colloquia/](https://sfcp.org/2024-05-04-child-colloquia/)



# SCIENTIFIC MEETING

## Freud in his Psychosocial Generation: Durkheim, Simmel, Weber and Du Bois

**Nancy J. Chodorow, PhD** is an American sociologist and professor. She began her career as a professor of Women's studies at [Wellesley College](#) in 1973, and from 1974 on taught at the [University of California, Santa Cruz](#), until 1986. She then was a professor in the departments of sociology and clinical psychology at the [University of California, Berkeley](#) until she resigned in 1986, after which she taught psychiatry at [Harvard Medical School/Cambridge Health Alliance](#). Chodorow is often described as a leader in feminist thought, especially in the realms of psychoanalysis and psychology.

Chodorow has written a number of influential books in contemporary feminist writing, including *The Reproduction of Mothering: Psychoanalysis and the Sociology of Gender* (1978); *Feminism and Psychoanalytic Theory* (1989); *Femininities, Masculinities, Sexualities: Freud and Beyond* (1994); and *The Power of Feelings: Personal Meaning in Psychoanalysis, Gender, and Culture* (1999). In 1996, *The Reproduction of Mothering* was chosen by Sociology as one of the top ten most influential books of the past 25 years.

### 1.5 CME/CE Credits available

*This program is free  
of charge!*

**Monday,  
May 6, 2024**

**7:30pm - 9pm**



**In Person at**

**San Francisco Center for  
Psychoanalysis  
444 Natoma Street  
San Francisco, CA 94103**

*Remote option available*

### FOR CME AND PROGRAM INFO:

<https://www.sfcp.org/2024-05-06-scientific-meeting/>





SFCP'S INVITES YOU TO ATTEND

PSYCHOANALYTIC EDUCATION DIVISION

# GRADUATION 2024

Saturday, May 11, 2024

Ceremony: 3:00pm - 4:30pm

Reception: 4:30pm - 6:15pm

JIM DIMON, MD  
GRADUATION SPEAKER



San Francisco Center for Psychoanalysis  
444 Natoma Street  
San Francisco, CA 94103

Please [click here to RSVP.](#)



San Francisco Center for Psychoanalysis  
Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy  
Education Division  
SFPPTP, PAPPTP, AND CAPPTP

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# GRADUATION 2024

Graduation Speaker:  
Neil Brast, MD  
*The Right Stuff*

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SATURDAY, JUNE 1ST  
4:00PM - 6:00PM

444 NATOMA STREET  
SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94103  
(REMOTE OPTIONAL AVAILABLE)

[RSVP HERE](#)



Dialogues In Contemporary Psychoanalysis presents

# A Psychoanalytic Playlist

with

# SASHA FRERE-JONES

**SATURDAY JUNE 8**

**10:00AM-12:30PM PDT**

**\$40 GENERAL ADMISSION**

**\$20 SFCP MEMBERS**

**FREE FOR STUDENTS**

**in-person & on zoom**

**2.5 CME/CE credits**

**Educational Objectives** Upon completion of this activity the learners will be able to:

1. describe the framing function of music in forming personal and collective history
2. analyze the function of music in giving form to feeling
3. discuss the role of music in psychical translation
4. describe the "playlist" logic of free association in psychoanalytic process

At some point between the heyday of the mixtape and the infinite scroll of the app-based feed, the music playlist found its place in history, as a new form of history. With the human touch of curation, the playlist captures a moment, selecting some tracks over others, but breathing with the polymorphous possibility of continuous response. Assembling a playlist for the audience out of samples of music and psychoanalytic theory, the kaleidoscopic writer **Sasha Frere-Jones** (*The New Yorker*, *Buttontdown*), live from New York, will riff on the "frame" of historical change, refracted through his new memoir, *Earlier* (2023), and in dialogue with **Adam Blum**, co-author (with Peter Goldberg and Michael Levin) of *Here I'm Alive: The Spirit of Music in Psychoanalysis* (2023), which Frere-Jones reviewed for *Parapraxis* magazine. Ears up.

To register, visit [sfcp.org](https://www.sfcp.org).



# Member Announcements!

Recently Retired?      Big Anniversary?

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We want to acknowledge our members' milestones, achievements, and other announcements! Please email [nicole.lee@sfcpc.org](mailto:nicole.lee@sfcpc.org) if you want to share your news so that we can post it in the newsletter!





**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR  
ANALYST MEMBER, JAN CHESS, PHD,  
ON A RECENT ACCOMPLISHMENT!**

JAN CHESS IS HAVING A PAPER PUBLISHED THIS SUMMER  
CALLED, "WAKING UP WITH ALZHEIMER'S, OR NEVER QUITE  
WAKING UP: A CASE STUDY". IT WILL BE PUBLISHED IN A  
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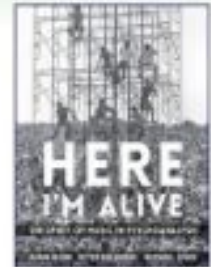
OREGON PSYCHOANALYTIC CENTER presents

# Here I'm Alive: The Spirit of Music in Psychoanalysis



with Adam Blum, PsyD, Peter Goldberg, PhD,  
and Michael Levin, PsyD

This panel will explore how music comprises the forms of collective living in which the body finds its place in psychical life. The presentations will describe the ways that the vitality of the psychoanalytic clinical process depends at all times on this background quality of shared music, and how many of the contemporary maladies we encounter in our work reflect the sensory and emotional isolation of those who remain dissociated from this musical weave of human being. The presenters will use selections of music, draw upon clinical theory, and provide a link to philosophy, neuroscience, and cultural history to frame a discussion of the musical dimension of our psyche-soma-social world.



**Saturday, May 4, 2024 from 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM**  
**PCC CLIMB Center - 1626 SE Water Ave, Portland, OR 97214**  
**Attend in-person or virtually**



**Adam Blum, PsyD**, is an Adjunct Faculty member at the San Francisco Center for Psychoanalysis. He is a co-author of *Here I'm Alive: The Spirit of Music in Psychoanalysis*, and has also written and presented on psychoanalysis and the music of Björk, Kendrick Lamar, Frank Ocean, John Luther Adams, and Aretha Franklin. He is in private practice in San Francisco.



**Peter Goldberg, PhD**, is a Personal and Supervising Analyst at the Psychoanalytic Institute of Northern California, is Chair of Faculty at the San Francisco Center for Psychoanalysis, and on the faculty of the Wright Institute in Berkeley. He is a co-author of *Here I'm Alive: The Spirit of Music in Psychoanalysis*, and has presented widely and written on a range of clinical and theoretical topics including the evolution of clinical theory in psychoanalysis; sensory experience in analysis; the concept of the analytic frame; the theory and treatment of dissociative states; non-representational states; and the impact of social trauma on individual psychology.



**Michael Levin, PsyD**, is a Training Analyst and Faculty Member at the San Francisco Center for Psychoanalysis. He is a co-author of *Here I'm Alive: The Spirit of Music in Psychoanalysis*, and has taught and presented on topics including the work of Laplanche, phenomenology and psychoanalysis, and the place of psychoanalysis in cultural and intellectual history.

## Learning Objectives

Upon completion of this workshop, participants will be able to:

1. Identify the musical dimension of human psychic-somatic-social life as it is rendered through the psychoanalytic process.
2. Elaborate a dialectic between the crucial binding function of music and its inevitable rupturing effects.
3. Illuminate the connection between music and emotional truth.
4. Explore the role of the group in providing the cultural worlds and forms of collective care in which individual identity and expression may become possible or transformed.
5. Discover ways the theory of the musical dimension of human psychic-somatic-social life can inform psychoanalytic clinical work through a clinical presentation and discussion with the panelists.

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The bequest comes with the stipulation that the grants must be made for interdisciplinary psychoanalytic projects, programs and research. The grants can only be given to non-profit organizations. We hope that these grants will encourage the integration of evolving psychoanalytic principles with the arts, humanities and the sciences.

Please visit our website, [www.nefp.us](http://www.nefp.us), for more information and for the grant application. The website includes descriptions of the recent grant recipients. Joint programs between Institutes and outside organizations will be given preference. For this year (2024) we will accept grants on a rolling basis.

We realize that this is a new and somewhat novel program, so please contact us directly with any questions you have about these grants or the grant process. We are happy to collaborate with you on your grant application. Email is the best way to reach us: [NEFPpsychoanalysis@gmail.com](mailto:NEFPpsychoanalysis@gmail.com)

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The Fund for Psychoanalytic Research, which was established in 1976, is dedicated to the support of psychoanalytic research and scholarship, while nurturing the development of psychoanalytic investigators.

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