

THE
PSYCHOANALYTIC SOCIETY
OF THE POSTDOCTORAL PROGRAM, INC.

Minutes of Board Meeting

September 25, 1991

Susan Mulliken, Ph.D.
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Rachelle Dattner, Ph.D.
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Arthur Meinzer, Ph.D.
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Present: Joseph Arleo, Judith Beldner, Pamela Crabtree, Rachelle Dattner, Ruth Jaffe, Gil Katz, Mary Libbey, Art Meinzer, Susan Mulliken, Lynn Passy, Linda Pasternack, Michael Stern, Isaac Tylim.

Absent: Judith Alpert, Richard Rutkin.

Members-at-Large

Judith Alpert, Ph.D.
Joseph Arleo, Ph.D.
Pamela Crabtree, Ph.D.
Ruth Jaffe, Ph.D.
Lynn Passy, Ph.D.
Linda Pasternack, Ph.D.
Richard Rutkin, Ph.D.
Michael Stern, Ph.D.
Isaac Tylim, Psy.D.

1. The next Board meeting will be on Wednesday, November 6, at 8:30 p.m., at Susan Mulliken's office, 345 East 73rd Street, Apt. 6H.

2. Ruth Jaffe reported that the In-house Continuing Education Committee has arranged a meeting on January 15, 1992, in which Louise Kaplan will discuss her book. On the agenda for future Board meetings will be the In-house CE budget, fees for CE activities, and the next International Conference.

3. Ruth Jaffe, Isaac Tylim, and other Argentina Conference participants will discuss their experiences of the Conference at the coming Postdoc Weekend.

4. Linda Pasternack reported that the Memorial Lecture on December 7 will have Henry Krystal speaking on "Infantile Psychic Trauma."

5. Shelly Dattner informed the Board that there will be 45 participants in the Biennial Conference.

6. Pamela Crabtree reported that the Continuing Education program drew only 68 registrants despite a 10,500 piece mailing using an updated list. The Board will consider in future meetings whether the CE program is of sufficient benefit to warrant its net costs.

7. Judy Beldner showed the Board the new Referral Service brochure. An expanded outreach program includes an 800 telephone number (1-800-POSTDOC), and ads in the NY Review of Books and neighborhood newspapers.

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8. Susan Mulliken reported that the Society membership list in the recent PD Directory was 94 names short. A complete list will be sent out to the PD community. Art Meinzer called the Board's attention to the statement heading the list of PD graduates of five years standing or more "Eligibility to serve as analyst for a matriculant in the PD program is established on an individual basis." Shelly Dattner and Mary Libbey will write a letter to Bernie for clarification of this.

9. The Board tabled the question of producing a Society membership directory to coordinate the discussion with related plans and clarification of the budget.

10. Discussion continued on the ways in which Society members might offer their supervisory services to the mental health professional community. Such a program could be modeled after the Referral Service. Group supervision, perhaps issue-centered, could be offered. A supervisory program could replace some of the functions of the CE program. A committee will be formed, and discussion will be continued.

Respectfully submitted,

Art Meinzer