



# The Psychoanalytic Society of the Postdoctoral Program, Inc.

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January 2022

**Dr. Bernard (Bernie) Kalinkowitz** founded the Postdoctoral Program in Psychotherapy and Psychoanalysis in 1961. A pioneer in promoting diversity in psychoanalysis, he is the subject of the following film produced by the Psychoanalytic Society: **Bernie Kalinkowitz: The Man and His Legacy**.

Was Bernie actually responsible for *Hamilton*...? **Luz Towns-Miranda (Lin-Manuel's mom)** says yes! Watch and decide for yourself. Personal copies of the DVD are available free to all members. Please send your request for a copy to [thepsychsociety@gmail.com](mailto:thepsychsociety@gmail.com).

Warm regards,  
Maureen

## ACTIVITIES OF THE SOCIETY IN 2021

**The Third Lew Aron Memorial Grant** - The Society is pleased to announce that a gift of \$30,300 from the **Third Lew Aron Memorial Scholarship Fund** has been matched dollar for dollar in 2021 by NYU's Graduate School of Arts and Sciences. The Psychoanalytic Society contributed over \$10,000 from our funds to this Third Memorial Scholarship in order to meet the matching trigger of \$33,300. This resulted in a total of \$66,600 given in 2021 to the Postdoc Diversity Fellowship Fund, to be used specifically for candidate tuition. We take great pride that the Lew Aron Memorial Fund generated over \$90,000 that, when matched by NYU, brings the **total donated to the Diversity Fellowship to more than \$180,000** since 2019. We thank all in our community who gave so generously to these Memorial funds. Candidates wishing to apply for these tuition funds should contact the fellowship committee of Postdoc.

**Mini-courses** - Psychoanalytic Society Graduate Members design and teach courses in their areas of expertise (academic or non-academic). This is an opportunity to present your thinking to our community. Contact us with your ideas at [PsychoanalyticSocietyPresident@gmail.com](mailto:PsychoanalyticSocietyPresident@gmail.com). Instructors are given a modest stipend.

**Therese Rosenblatt** and **Linda Hillman** will be presenting a mini-course on the subject of ***The Development of Analytic Identity: An Exploration of Voice, Theory, and Use of Self***, which will be held via Zoom. The Course meets on the following four Fridays: January 14, 21, 28 and February 4, from 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. Contact **Debbie Kopinsky** at [thepsychsociety@gmail.com](mailto:thepsychsociety@gmail.com) to register. Registration is free of charge to members. **Not a current member? Tuition is \$160, or join and attend for free.**

**Scholar's Grants** - The deadline for Scholar's Grant applications has been **extended to January 16**. Scholar's Grants are awarded by the Society annually and are designed to help support promising and creative clinical/academic projects that promote psychoanalysis. All membership levels may apply. The following grants are available:

**Individual Grant** has been increased to **\$2,000**.

**Group Grant** has been increased to **\$3,000**.

**Patrick Lane Candidate's Grant** has been increased to **\$1,500**.



Information and the application form are available on our website: [www.thepsychoanalyticsociety.org](http://www.thepsychoanalyticsociety.org). Click on the Scholar's Grant tab at the top of the page and then the application tab to download the application. You may also contact **Debbie Kopinsky**, our administrator, at [thepsychsociety@gmail.com](mailto:thepsychsociety@gmail.com) to request a copy.

Each year, a **Scholars' Grant Brunch** is held in which the past recipients present their work to the Postdoc community in an informal setting in which the audience has plenty of time for open discussion with the presenters.

The last **Scholars' Grant Brunch** was held on November 17, 2019. The following 2018 Scholars presented at the home of **Judith Eckman-Jadow**:

**Phyllis Cohen & Andrea Remez**, *Fostering Attachment with Birth Mothers*

**Ann D'Ercole**, *On Finding Clara Mabel Thompson*

**Annie Lee Jones**, *A Picture Book of Racialized Encounters*

Patrick Lane Candidate's Grant: **Romy Reading**, *Couched: Psychoanalytic Podcast*

In early 2022, the following Scholars' Grant recipients will present the results of their projects at a virtual brunch:

**Ann D'Ercole**, *The American Psychoanalyst: The Life and Work of Clara Mabel Thompson (2019 Grant)*

**Melinda Gellman**, *Up to Date and Online: Improving Data and Systems Management at Postdoc (2019 Grant)*

**Ryan Kull**, *The Psychodynamics of Suicide Among Adult Gay Men (2019 Patrick Lane Candidate Grant)*

**Romy Reading**, continuing work on *Couched: Psychoanalytic Podcast (2020 Patrick Lane Candidate Grant)*

**Seymour Moscovitz, Gil Katz, & Margery Kalb**, *Hans W. Loewald: Quiet Revolutionary, Insistent Synthesizer (2020/2021 Grants)*

**Film Discussion Group** - Several films were presented during 2021 on Zoom. In June, **Susannah Jacobi** led a discussion of *The Dressmaker*, Jocelyn Moorhouse. In September, **Bill Fried** led a discussion of *Frida*, Julie Taymor. In October, **Lissa Weinstein** led a discussion of *Hiroshima Mon Amour & Night & Fog*, Alain Resnais; and in November, Diana Diamond led a discussion of *The Red Shoes*, Powell & Pressburger. For 2022, the following films are planned. Please reach out to **Judith Lobel** at [judithlobel@gmail.com](mailto:judithlobel@gmail.com) if you are interested in attending:

- January 9, **Arlene Richards** will lead a discussion of *Suspiria*, Dario Argento
- February 20 – **Judith Levy** will lead a discussion of *The Unbearable Lightness of Being*, Philip Kaufman
- March (Date TBA), **Helen Gediman** will lead a discussion of *Peeping Tom*, Michael Powell
- April (Date TBA), **Jeffrey Stern** will lead a discussion of *The Wings of Desire*, Wim Wenders.

**The Psychoanalytic Society's Postdoctoral Referral Service** - All Graduate and Faculty members of the Society receive a listing on the online Postdoctoral Referral Service Directory. This has replaced the previous phone-centered referral service. With the payment of your 2022 membership dues, our administrator, **Debbie Kopinsky**, will work with you to upload details of you as an analyst and your practice, with a photo to make your listing more personal. Active use of the online directory brings increased exposure for the Society, our members, and for psychotherapy and psychoanalysis. Once we get the service updated, we will publicize the Referral Service on social media.

We welcome members to propose ideas for activities or events you would like the Society to sponsor. You may also join a committee or attend a Board meeting. Ideas and suggestions or requests to attend meetings may be sent to any Board member or directly to the Society President, **Maureen O'Reilly-Landry**, at [PsychoanalyticSocietyPresident@gmail.com](mailto:PsychoanalyticSocietyPresident@gmail.com).

With warmest regards,

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