



Washington Baltimore Center
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Washington Area Case Conference

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Please join us as

David Cooper, PhD

presents and discusses

**“Diversity with Regard to What?
And Why should Psychoanalysis
(and Psychotherapy) Care?”**

Friday, May 11, 2018

12:15-2:15 p.m. Presentation and Discussion

Please bring your own lunch

River Road Unitarian Universalist Congregation, 6301 River Road, Bethesda, MD
(the parking lot entrance is on Whittier Boulevard)

The conference is in Room 30
(enter main door, turn left, go through several rooms and down the stairs)

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Presentation: The local and national psychoanalytic scene has been historically medical, male, white, heterosexual, and relatively upper class, to the detriment of our theories, our practice, and our reputation. While representation of females increased over the past 50 years, non-medical practitioners became a mainstay of psychoanalytic practice in the past 25-30 years. While a greater openness to sexual minorities has been obvious in the past 10-25 years, racial and class issues remain problematic for the field. Greater diversity among practitioners, among students, and among our client groups (patients and groups in the community) enriches our knowledge, our treatment strategies, and, ultimately, ourselves. Achieving this diversity has the advantage of also being the right thing to do.

Presenter: David Cooper, PhD, is Past President of the Washington Center for Psychoanalysis, and serves on the Washington Baltimore Center for Psychoanalysis Diversity Committee. He is a Teaching Analyst at the Washington Baltimore Psychoanalytic Institute, and he has a private practice in Chevy Chase, Maryland.

Who should attend?

The case conference is extended to psychoanalysts, psychiatrists, psychologists, social workers, licensed counselors, mental health students, clergy, and other mental health providers interested in psychoanalytic theory, practice and perspectives.

Purpose of the Case Conference:

- Inform clinicians working with a range of client populations.
- Promote peer interaction with therapists and clergy from a variety of clinical settings and mental health disciplines in the community.
- Provide a way to reach the Washington mental health community who are seeking opportunities to learn from and with experienced peers.

Objectives of the Case Conference: Participants will be able to:

- Cite three advantages of increased diversity among practitioners for the practice of analytic therapy.
- Describe the influence of implicit bias in training programs in reducing diversity among practitioners.
- Describe advantages of group discussion of diversity issues in the continuing education of analytic practitioners.

Format of the Case Conference:

- A prepared psychotherapeutic or psychoanalytic case will be presented and discussed from a variety of theoretical points of view.
- A question and answer period will follow the case presentation.

Registration: Pre-registration is required via WBCP website -www.wbcp.org. For registration assistance, contact the WBCP at 301-470-3635/ 410-792-8060 or admin@wbcp.org

Registration deadline: Wednesday, May 9, 2018

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Tuition Rates: single conference

CME/CE Credit

- **Members of sponsoring organizations – (WBCP and CFS)**
\$30 (2 CME/CE credits) register by May 2
\$40 (2 CME/CE credits) if registered after May 2
- **Non-Members**
\$50 (2 CME/CE credits) register by May 2
\$60 (2 CME/CE credits) if registered after May 2

No CE/CME needed – No Charge – Pre-registration is still required.

ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE

CE Information:

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