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From the Director

Dan Jacobs, MD

*Thou art a monument without a tomb
And are alive still, while thy book does live*
Ben Johnson

In reading this Newsletter, you will see just how active our library staff is in serving you and others interested in psychoanalysis and psychotherapy. We appreciate your use of and support for our outstanding collection.

Next year, the Library Committee will mount two photography exhibits. The first will highlight the work of former BPSI librarian and now Brookline Library Trustee Vivien Goldman. Her black and white images of ordinary objects are compelling. The second show will feature the work of our member Allen Palmer, whose images are well known to many of us and whose portraits of our older members decorate our second and third floor seminar rooms. Freud and the influence of photography upon him will be the subject of our Meet the Author on October 18

when Mary Bergstein comes to talk to us about her new book *Mirrors of Memory: Freud, Photography and the History of Art*.

We are also exploring the possibility of publishing an intimate portrait of Grete Bibring in her role of hostess: a description of the dinner guests (many of them analysts) she invited to her home over the years and the meals she served them. The work will explore how her menus and guest lists were affected by the on-coming war and by her eventual flight from Vienna to Boston where she continued to entertain. For a preview, visit the Grete Bibring exhibit on our library webpage.

This summer we will be testing a new pilot program to put several BPSI's courses in the online learning management system called Moodle. Information about this program will be sent later in the summer.

PEP Web Subscriptions and Copyright Reminder

Hopefully, many of you had a chance to use and appreciate resources and research tools available to our membership through PEP Web. If you are a new member or candidate and don't have your PEP Web subscription activated yet, please contact our librarian and group organizer, Olga Umansky. We can add or remove subscribers four times a year, in June, September, November and February, as the status of members and students change.

We would like to re-iterate the importance of the PEP Web copyright rules for our group of subscribers. Per the terms and conditions of the contract we have with the PEP Web, sharing either by downloading articles for others or letting others access your password is strictly prohibited. The access is solely for the subscriber and does not extend to spouses, colleagues or anyone else. If these rules are not followed, the consequences for all members of our group will be immediate termination of the contract with no compensation.

In the Library

As a member of the Boston Regional Library System we now have access to the twenty-nine **GALE Databases** that cover a wide variety of general periodicals, scholarly journals, works of fiction, literary criticism, historical and biographical materials, tests, case studies, and general reference for all audience types. Featured below are the four databases that may be of interest to our membership:

Academic OneFile (1980-present) is the premier source for peer-reviewed, full-text articles from the world's leading journals and reference sources, updated daily. With extensive coverage of the physical sciences, technology, medicine, social sciences, the arts, theology, literature and other subjects, Academic OneFile is both authoritative and comprehensive. With millions of articles available in both PDF and HTML full-text with no restrictions, researchers are able to find accurate information quickly. Includes full-text coverage of the *New York Times* back to 1995.

Health Reference Center Academic (1980-present) Multi-source database provides access to the full text of nursing and allied health journals, plus the wide variety of personal health information.

LitFinder covers world literature and authors throughout history and contains a wealth of literary works including over 150,000 full-text poems and 800,000+ poetry citations, as well as short stories, speeches, and plays. For students or patrons seeking a deeper view into literature, *Lit-*

New Electronic Resources

Finder also includes secondary materials like biographies, images, and an option to download an audio file for any text you need.

Educator's Reference Complete is a selection of more than 450 full-text academic journals, hundreds of full-text reports, and many premier reference sources. Included content focuses on educational principles, child development and psychology, and best practices in education.

In addition, Gale databases provide online access to many current magazines and periodicals, such as *The New Yorker*, *The Atlantic Monthly*, *The New York Times*, *The Economist*, *The Wall Street Journal*, *Time*, *People Weekly*, etc. We encourage our members to contact our library even when materials you need are outside of the core psychoanalytic literature scope. A complete list of our online resources with links is published in the Services section of the Hanns Sachs Library web site. Starting this fall, links to Gale resources will become accessible not only inside the BPSI building, but also remotely from your home. Please feel free to ask our library staff for assistance with the new resources!

Can you help?

Many of our library visitors noted that patron's computer in the library could benefit from a bigger and better monitor. The current 15-inch screen does not do justice to the growing electronic resources we now offer to our visitors. If you are upgrading your home computer and wish to donate your old monitor to the library, please contact Olga Umansky at 617-266-0953. Your support of the library and archives is always

Recent Donations and Book Sale

Our member, **Dr. Robert Kenerson**, graciously donated many of his psychoanalytic books to our library this spring, adding over 40 new titles to our circulation. We also thank **Louis H. Hamel, Jr., Esq.**, who recently donated *The Case of the Missing Stradivarius* (2009) by Emanuel E. Garcia, *Reading French Psychoanalysis* (2010) edited by Dana Birksted-Breen, Sara Flanders, and Alain Gibeault and a copy of the 1938 photograph of Sigmund Freud and Marie Bonaparte to our library and archives.

Our members and donors will be proud to know about BPSI's effort to help emerging psychoanalytic

libraries both here and abroad. A donation has been made by one of our members to cover initial mailing costs. We have been in contact with the European Federation of Psychoanalysis and have already shipped books to Croatia and Argentina. If you are considering donating books to our library, please contact our librarian for donor rules and procedures: title list is required for all donations. Our updated list of books for sale or donation, is available at the Book Sale section of the library webpage. These books, located on the shelves on the 3rd and ground floors, are \$2.00 for paperbacks, \$5.00 for hardcopies, and free for the libraries of other psychoanalytic institutes.

In the Archives**Sanford Gifford, MD and Olga Umansky, MLS**

The presence of the BPSI Archives on the web has increased the number of research inquiries for our unique historic materials. In response to growing international interest in our collections, we are now equipped to serve researchers around the world by delivering electronic copies of manuscripts, photographs and interviews. Many of our remote patrons add their stories and materials to the collective knowledge. Some instances of these collaborations are outlined below:

News from Przemysl

Gizowski house, 19th century

Polish journalist, Pawel Kaminski, while inquiring about Helene Deutsch, told us that her memoirs have been translated into Polish and have become very popular. He added that he had grown up in Przemysl, Deutsch's hometown, in the same apartment block where her family had lived. Called Gizowski House, it is still standing at Rynek 26 in Przemysl. Kaminski also reported that in Vienna, where he now lives, a public park to be named in honor of Helene Deutsch, is being prepared for dedication in 2012. He sent us photos of Przemysl in the 19th century (*above*) and as it is now (*below*). He also added maps of Vienna, showing the



neighborhood near the University where the Deutsch Park is to be located.

The popularity of Deutsch's memoirs is the result of a renewed Polish interest in the fate of their former Jewish citizens, of whom very few remained. In Vienna, the park in Helene's honor is part of a feminist movement to redress the abundance of memorials to male scientists, while women in the field were ignored.

Kaminski sent us a photo of the 158 busts at the University of Vienna that had placards with the names of women scientists added, including Helene's

**Inquiries from Japan**

Last year we had an inquiry from an American researcher, Edward Jones, living in Yokohama who asked about Felix Deutsch's attitudes toward smoking, in connection with medical advice Freud was given about his cancer. Recently, he visited our Archives, accompanied by his Japanese wife and librarian daughter-in-law. He was especially interested in Dr. Gifford's unpublished history of "Felix Deutsch as Freud's Personal Physician, 1921-26," and in Felix's paper on Freud's cancer that he withdrew from publication at the request of Anna Freud. This paper and some correspondence between Felix and Freud, of which we have some copies, were deposited in the Sigmund Freud Archive at the Library of Congress. As restrictions on access to these documents were lifted in 2002, we urged Mr. Jones to consult the Freud Archive.

Request from Zurich

We had a request from an analyst in Zurich, Nina Bakman, who is beginning to research Grete Bibring and other female analysts who emigrated from Austria and Germany to the USA during the Third Reich. She asked us first for a copy of Grete's famous

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paper, "Old Age, Its Liabilities and Assets, A Psychobiological Discourse," which she gave at a BPSI Scientific Meeting in 1966. Ms. Bakman is also interested in a series of Dr. Gifford's interviews with Grete Bibring, Helene Deutsch's recollections of her first years in a new workplace, and Kurt Eissler's interviews of Edward Bibring.

Edward Bibring Letter, 1931

We have just learned about an unusual item for our Archives, a 2-page typed letter from Edward Bibring to Richard Sterba, written in Vienna on January 21, 1931. A Bibring relative, Jon Eidelson, whom we have corresponded with in the past, noticed it on E-Buy and sent us a copy. The letter is part of an angry controversy over a breach of confidentiality in a seminar, in which Bibring accuses Sterba of having allowed this to happen and of having made an unnecessary issue of it by writing to Paul Federn. We have offered to buy the letter for the Edward Bibring Archive.

A Translator Visits

Dale Kaplan visited our archives to look at the German and English editions of Sigmund Freud. Mr. Kaplan is working on the English translation of the essay "Is There Such a Thing as a Favorable or Unfavorable Cultural Milieu for the Development of Psychoanalysis? A Comparative Look at Two Worlds." by Dr. Raúl Páramo Ortega, a Mexican psychoanalyst with a practice in Guadalajara, trained in Vienna and Los Angeles, CA.

Audiovisual Materials

Our library audio collection of lectures continues to grow. Thanks to money available in the Gifford Fund, we have recently purchased Classic Psychoanalytic Talks from the Chicago Psychoanalytic Institute, a six disc set, which includes treasures like Anna Freud's "The Ideal Institute (1966)", Charles Brenner's "Transference and Countertransference" (1981), and Heinz Kohut's "Thoughts on Narcissism" (1972) and "Remarks About the Formation of The Self" (1975).

With the help of the American Psychoanalytic

Association \$2500 grant, we were able to acquire necessary equipment to convert our taped audio archives to digital as well as digitally record new interviews and meetings. Most of the BPSI events are now being recorded. The CD's are made available by request for a minimal charge of \$10 per disc.

We continue getting inquiries, many of them from abroad, for interviews and lectures recorded at BPSI. If you are aware of any psychoanalytic lectures and audio books that would be a valuable resource to our members and others in the field, please share your recommendations us.

Simmons College Internship Projects

Our archives were hosting two interns this spring, both working toward their Master of Library Science degree in Archives Management. We thank both students for their excellent work!

Amanda Zwolsky created a new generation of finding aids for our audio collections, now published on our website in three sections: Oral History Interviews, BPSI Event Recordings, and Oral History Workshops. Compliant with the latest archival standards, these findings aids not only describe and organize our sound recordings, but also provide details of the accompanied transcripts and available podcasts. Amanda holds a B.A. in History and Spanish from John Carroll University, Cleveland, OH.

Amber De Angelis organized the BPSI collections of newsletters. The project was to create a personal name and keyword indexes integrating them into the XML finding aids for Presidents, BPSI, Hanns Sachs Library, Focus, Psychotherapy Forum, and PINE newsletters. Available on the BPSI Archives web site, these standard-compliant collection descriptions provide a much needed subject access to our society publications for the last 40 years. Amber holds a B.A. in Communication from Bryant University, Smithfield, RI.

Meet the Author Series

In January we had a very interesting discussion of *Ritual and its consequences: an essay on the limits of sincerity* co-authored by Adam B. Seligman, Robert P. Weller, Michael J. Puett, and Bennett Simon. The meeting, which was attended by faculty members of the Andover Newton Theological School and many others, received a very enthusiastic response.

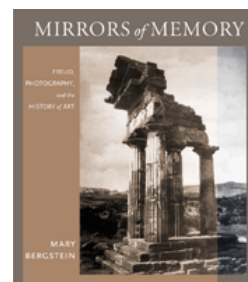
Ed Tronick's presentation of his *The Neurobehavioral and Social Emotional Development of Infants and Children* (2007) gathered a large crowd, some of whom were first-time visitors of our society. Dr. Tronick talked about his infant development research and findings and demonstrated video clips of his famous Still-Face Paradigm. The book had become a very popular resource for our teachers and students.

On May 25, 2010 internationally acclaimed psychoanalytic authors from the Boston Process Change Study Group discussed their new book *Change in Psychotherapy: A Unified Paradigm*, W W Norton & Company, 2010.

Since 1994, the Boston Change Process Study Group (BCPSG) has published articles on the most fundamental of therapeutic concepts: change.

For the first time however, the evolution of the group's thinking and work has been collected into a book, which consists of significant papers by the BCPSG, traces the group's contributions to psychoanalytic topics of note, including: the location of the implicit, the creation of meaning, the moment-by-moment clinical process, and the subjective experience of the therapist.

We are currently arranging book events for the fall of 2010. Mary Bergstein is scheduled to present her new book *Mirrors of Memory: Freud, Photography, and The History of Art* (2010) on **October 18, 2010**.



In the Library

The ATP Book Shelf

The ATP Book Shelf has been established across from the librarian's desk on the 3rd floor. Thanks to the gift made by the ATP Graduate and Student Organization in 2008, we purchased new psychoanalytic psychotherapy titles this spring. Based on the recent recommendations of the ATP members, the following books have been added to the psychotherapy collection:

Akhtar, Salman (2009) *Turning Points in Dynamic Psychotherapy; Initial Assessment, Boundaries, Money, Disruptions, and Suicidal Crises*. London: Karnac Books

Cartwright, Duncan (2010) *Containing States of Mind; Exploring Bion's Container Model in Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy*. New York, NY: Routledge

Holmes, Jeremy (2010) *Exploring in Security; Toward an Attachment-Informed Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy*. New York, NY: Routledge

Levy, Raymond A. and Ablon, J. Stuart, eds. (2008) *Handbook of Evidence-Based Psychodynamic Psychotherapy*:

bridging the gap between science and practice. New York, NY: Humana

Maroda, Karen (2010) *Psychodynamic Techniques; Working With Emotion in the Therapeutic Relationship*. New York, NY: The Guilford Press

Schlesinger, Herbert J. (2005) *Endings and Beginnings: on the technique of terminating psychotherapy and psychoanalysis*. Hillsdale, NJ: The Analytic Press

Other New Arrivals

Akhtar, Salman (2009) *Freud and the Far East: Psychoanalytic Perspectives on the People and Culture of China, Japan, and Korea*. New York, NY: Jason Aronson

Baradon, Tessa, ed. *Relational Trauma in Infancy* (2010) London, New York, NY: Routledge

Bergstein, Mary (2010) *Mirrors of Memory: Freud, Photography, and the History of Art*. Ithaca, NY: Cornell University Press

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Birksted-Breen, Dana, Flanders, Sara, Gibeault, Alain, eds. (2010) *Reading French Psychoanalysis*. London: Routledge

Boston Process Change Study Group (2010). *Change in Psychotherapy: A Unifying Paradigm*. New York, NY: W. W. Norton & Company

Canestri, Jorge, ed. (2006) *Psychoanalysis: From Practice to Theory*. Hoboken, NJ: John Wiley and Sons

Eigen, Michael (2004) *The Electrified Tightrope*. London: Karnac

Eigen, Michael (2004) *The Sensitive Self*. Middletown, CT: Wesleyan University Press

Feldman, Michael (2009) *Doubt, Conviction and the Analytic Process: Selected Papers of Michael Feldman*. London, New York, NY: Routledge

Hornstein, Gail A. (2009) *Agnes's Jacket: A Psychologist's Search for the Meanings of Madness*. New York, NY: Rodale

Ketter, Terence A. (2010) *Handbook of Diagnosis and Treatment of Bipolar Disorders*. Washington, DC: American Psychiatric Publishing

Leffert, Mark (2010) *Contemporary Psychoanalytic Foundations: Postmodernism, Complexity, and Neuroscience*. New York, NY: Routledge

Piorkowski, Geraldine (2008). *Adult Children of Divorce: Confused Love Seekers*. Westport, CT: Praeger

Salberg, Jill (2010) *Good Enough Endings*. New York, NY: Routledge

Segal, Hanna (2007) *Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow*. London, New York, NY: Routledge

Stein, Ruth (2010) *For Love of the Father: A Psychoanalytic Study of Religious Terrorism*. Stanford, CA: Stanford University Press

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Thomas, Janet T. *The Ethics of Supervision and Consultation*. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association

Wilmers, Mary-Kay (2010) *The Eitingsons: a Twentieth Century Story*. London, New York, NY: Verso

Zerbe, Kathryn (2008) *Integrated Treatment of Eating Disorders: Beyond the Body Betrayed*. New York, London: W.W. Norton & Company

Book Returns

Our new circulation system is in place helping us to keep a much better record of loans and transactions. Periodically you will be receiving email notifications about overdue books. Please remember that our loan period is one month and you need to call or email the library if you wish to keep materials longer. We thank those who returned books after our first call and encourage everyone to look around for any books, CDs, tapes, or other materials that you have borrowed from the Hanns Sachs Library. Your prompt return of these materials ensures that our patrons can find the resources they need at the library.

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