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Recent Publications by BPSI Members

As you may have noticed, our new web site constantly features new journal and book publications by BPSI members. If you have published anything within the last year, let the library know! There is also a table with printouts of recent articles by members at the library entrance for everyone to make a copy.

Social Awareness Shelf

Check out our new Social Awareness Literature shelf just above the New Book releases! This collection is established by the BPSI Social Awareness Committee and the Library. Members of the committee have kindly donated books and recommended first titles:

- Lane, Christopher and Fanon, Frantz (1998) The Psychoanalysis of Race.
- Bulhan, Hussein Abdilah (1985) *The Psychology of Oppression.*
- Poussaint, Alvin F. and Alexander, Amy (2000) Lay My Burden Down
- Akhtar, Salman, ed. (2012) The African American Experience: Psychoanalytic Perspectives.
- Sklarew, Bruce; Twemlow, Stuart; Wilkinson, Sallye (2004) *Analysts in the Trenches*.

We hope the shelf keeps expanding, and welcome recommendations and contributions.

Meet the Author Series

We have a great line-up of authors for the rest of this year. Click on the titles below for book details:

On **Tuesday, April 1, 2014 at 7:45pm**, Fred Busch will present his new book *Creating a Psychoanalytic Mind: A Psychoanalytic Method and Theory.* New York: Routledge, 2013 (book is on sale in the

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Library Gives Thanks!

Thanks to Allan Pollack, MD, Rae Silberger, LICSW, and Gordon Tripp, who donated great psychoanalytic books to our library this fall.

We are deeply grateful to the families of Dr. Sanford Gifford and Dr. Ernest Hartmann for trusting BPSI Archives with truly valuable papers and records.

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library).

On **Tuesday, May 20, 2014 at 7:45pm**, Elizabeth Lunbeck will discuss her new book <u>The Americanization of Narcissism</u>. Harvard University Press, 2014.





In the Archives

Recent Acquisitions

The family of a recently deceased BPSI member, Dr. Ernest Hartmann, kindly gave BPSI a suitcase with valuable correspondence between Heinz Hartmann, Ernest Jones, Marie Bonaparte, Dora Hartmann, and Anna Freud. Heinz Hartmann was an early member of the Vienna Psychoanalytic Society, Sigmund Freud's pupil, and one of the founders of Ego



Edw ard and Grete Bibring with Dora and Heinz Hartmann in Salzburg, c1924

Psychology. Some of the letters are related to the founding of the Freud Museum in London. The most valuable originals may be later deposited to the Library of Congress.

Sanford Gifford's Oral Histories

Our late Director of Archives, Sanford Gifford, MD (1918-2013), was a passionate historian who collected archives all his life. It is no surprise that his own archive turns out to be larger than life. A chair of the American Psychoanalytic Association Oral History Committee, Dr. Gifford recorded interviews with noted psychoanalysts and their family members for over 40 years. Many of these recordings have already been archived at BPSI, but just recently 8 more boxes of tapes were discovered and added to our collection. New records will be processed and digitized next year. They are interviews, records of the meetings, and transcripts, including those surrounding the history of the BPSI/PINE split. Some of Dr. Gifford's research materials, such as a Twin study and social activism papers, have been transferred to the Countway Archives at Harvard.

New Projects

BPSI Collaboration with WGBH Archives

In the fall of 2013, BPSI Archives worked with the WGBH Archives, and became curators of WGBH's Psychology One programs broadcast in 1957-58 and, also, <u>a video recording of Grete Bibring's Interview with Oliver Cope</u>, <u>1975</u>, now posted online. BPSI Archives contributed a transcript, metadata, and various biographical materials to contextualize Grete Bibring's story. Olga Umansky, MLS, teamed

recent book donations by Deborah Choate, MD and Karen Melikian, PhD, for the new Social Awareness Collection up with Murray Cohen, PhD, a long time BPSI member, to create a historic commentary to the televised psychology lectures of Dr. Edwin Boring. The late Sanford Gifford, MD, shared his biographical notes about Hanns Sachs, who happened to be Dr. Boring's analyst and journal co-editor. WGBH's Media Library and Archives are attempting to digitize their historic video collections with the support of the Melon Foundation and American Archive.



With the fund, generously established by Dr. and Mrs. Newman for our library, we continue building our child analysis and neuropsychology collections and can afford to subscribe to costly infant and adolescent psychotherapy journals.

Simmons Internship

Our partnership with the Simmons College Archival Management Program continues. This time, we are fortunate to host a new student, **Elizabeth Carron**, who is processing and digitizing papers donated by Ernest Hartmann's family. Among archival treasures discovered in Dr. Hartmann's house are letters of Sigmund Freud, Anna Freud, Ernest Jones, Marie Bonaparte, and Heinz Hartmann. Some original materials may be later deposited to the Library of Congress. Elizabeth has more than 3 years of library-related work experience and holds BA in English and Francophone Studies from the UMass Amherst.

New Books

The following is a list of books, acquired by, or donated to, the Hanns Sacks Library since the fall of 2013:

Our Gifford fund helps to purchase books on the history of psychoanalysis.

Arbiser, Samuel; Schneider Jorge, eds. (2013). *On Freud's "Inhibitions, symptoms and anxiety."* London: Karnac.

Bechdel, Alison (2006). *Fun Home: A Family Tragicomic*. Boston: Houghton Mifflin.

Bergmann, Martin S.; Green, André (2013). *The unconscious in Shakespeare's plays.* London: Karnac Books.

Bion, Wilfred R. (1997). Taming wild thoughts. London: Karnac Books.

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Library Wishlist

Bion, Wilfred R. (2013). *Wilfred Bion: Los Angeles Seminars and Supervision*. Joseph Aguayo; Barnet D. Malin (Eds.). London: Karnac Books.

Bokanowski, Thierry; Lewkowicz, Sergio, eds. (2009). *On Freud's "Splitting the ego in the process of defence."* London: Karnac.

Brandt, Kristie; Perry, Bruce D.; Seligman, Stephen; Tronick Edward, eds. (2014). *Infant and early childhood mental health: core concepts and clinical practice*. Washington, DC: American Psychiatric Publishing.

Coleman, Arthur D.; Geller, Marvin H. (1985). *Group relations reader 2*. Washington, DC: A.K Rice Institute.

Feinberg, Richard I. (2013). *Narcissus in treatment: the journey from fate to psychological freedom.* London: Karnac Books.



Harvard University Press.

Gardner, Helen (1982). In defence of the imagination. Cambridge, MA:

Green, André (2005). *Play and reflection in Donald Winnicott's writings:* The Donald Winnicott Memorial Lecture. London: Karnac.

Greig, Georgie (2013). Breakfast with Lucian: the astounding life and outrageous times of Britain's great modern painter. New York: Farrar, Straus and Giroux.

Library Book Sale

Jacobs, Theodore (2013). *The possible profession: the analytic process of change.* New York: Routledge.

Browse the shelves of the glass door cabinets behind the large table or check the online list for amazing bargains on psychoanalytic classics.

All hardcover books are just \$5 each, paperbacks - \$2 each. Titles change from month to month.

Johnson, W. Brad; Koocher, Gerald P., eds. (2011). *Ethical conundrums, quandaries, and predicaments in mental health practice: a casebook from the files of experts.* New York: Oxford University Press.

Karlsson, Gunnar (2010). *Psychoanalysis in a new light.* Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Karr-Morse, Robin; Wiley, Meredith S. (1997). *Ghosts from the nursery: tracing the roots of violence*. New York: The Analytic Monthly Press.

Katz; S. Montana, ed. (2013). *Metaphor and fields: common ground, common language and the future of psychoanalysis.* London: Routledge.

Kuriloff, Emily A. (2014). *Contemporary psychoanalysis and the legacy of the Third Reich*. New York: Routledge.

Lament, Claudia; King, Robert A.; Abrams, Samuel; Dowling, A. Scott; Brinich, Paul M., eds. (2013). *The Psychoanalytic Study of the Child: Volume 67.* New Haven: Yale University Press.

Levine, Howard B.; Brown, Lawrence J., eds. (2013). *Growth and turb ulence in the container/contained: Bion's continuing legacy.* London: Routledge.

Lewkowicz, Sergio; Bokanowski; Thierry; Pragier, Georges, eds. (2011). On Freud's "Constructions in Analysis." London: Karnac.

Meltzer, Donald. (2002). *Psychoanalytic work with children and adults: Meltzer in Barcelona*. London, New York: Karnac.

Nagel, Julie J. (2013). *Melodies of the Mind: Connections between psychoanalysis and music.* London, New York: Routledge.

Ogden, Thomas (2013). *The Parts Left Out: A Novel.* London: Karnac Books.

Patchett, Ann (2013). *This is the story of a happy marriage*. New York: Harper.

Ritvo, Rachel Z.; Henderson, Schuyler (2013). *Psychodynamic Treatment Approaches to Psychopathology, Vol 2: An Issue of Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Clinics of North America.* Philadelphia: Elsvier.

Rolnik, Eran J. (2012). Freud in Zion: psychoanalysis and the making of modern Jewish Identity. London: Karnac Books.

Rose, Gilbert J. (1987). *Trauma and mastery in life and art.* New Haven: Yale University Press.

Also on sale in the library, prior to events and at a discounted publisher's price, are all Meet the Author books.

Rose, Gilbert J. (1996). *Necessary illusion: art as witness.* Madison, CT: International Universities Press.

Sherkow, Susan P.; Harrison, Alexandra; Singletary, William (2014). *Autism spectrum disorder: perspectives from psychoanalysis and neuroscience*. Lanham, MD: Jason Aronson.

Shteyngart, Gary (2014). *Little failure: a memoir.* New York: Random House.

Smolen, Ann G.; Harrison, Alexandra (2013). *Mothering without a home:* attachment representations and behaviors of homeless mothers and children. Lanham, MD: Jason Aronson.

Boston Psychoanalytic Society and Institute 169 Herrick Rd Newton Centre, MA 02459 Vygotsky, L.S. (2012). *Thought and Language: revised and expanded edition*. Eugenia Hanfmann, Gertrude Vakar, Alex Kozulin, trans, eds. Cambridge, MA, London: MIT Press.

Yalom, Irvin D. (1980). Existential Psychotherapy. New York: Basic Books.

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Yalom, Irvin D. (2008). *Staring at the sun: overcoming the dread of death.* Carlton North, Victoria, Aust: Scribe Publications.

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