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DEVELOPMENT II: THE LATENCY YEARS

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Welcome to Development II. This eight-week course will begin where Development I left off. During this course, candidates will become familiar with the developmental processes, conflicts and tasks that occur during the latency years, primarily from a psychoanalytic perspective. We will compare earlier psychoanalytic developmental views, which were based on psychosexual developmental theory, with more current views where the analyst seeks to understand the impact that each child's innate capacities, relationships and experiences have had, and are continuing to have, on the origins and development of that particular child's psychic structure and choice and style of adaptation. We will also explore the current ways that psychoanalysts view development and make use of the developmental point of view when they work with children, adolescents and adults. For the first week we have assigned a pair of readings, essential papers, one classic and one contemporary. Please read them with the knowledge that we will return to these papers repeatedly throughout the course. We look forward to a rich and enjoyable learning experience. See you soon!

September 19, 2013: Introduction -- The Developmental Point of View

Freud, A. (1974). A Psychoanalytic view of Developmental Psychopathology. The Writings of Anna Freud. Volume 8. New York: I.U.P. 1981, pp. 57-74 [*available in the library*]

Gilmore, K. (2008) Psychoanalytic Developmental Theory: A Contemporary Reconsideration. *JAPA* 56: pp.885-907 [PEP Web Link](#)

September 26, 2013: Early Latency - Clinical Presentation: Psychoanalysis of a Seven Year Old Boy (Stephanie Smith)

Shapiro, T. & Perry, R. (1976). Latency Revisited: The Age 7 Plus or Minus One *Psychoanal. Study Child* 31:79-105. [PEP Web Link](#)

Bernstein, A. (2001). A Note on the Passing of the Latency Period*. *Mod. Psychoanal.*, 26:283-287 [PEP Web Link](#)

October 3, 2013: Early Latency – Clinical Presentation: Psychoanalysis of a Seven year old girl (Judy Tsafir)

Edgumbe, R. (1978). The Psychoanalytic View of the Development of Encopresis. *Bul. Anna Freud Centre*, 1:57-61 [PEP Web Link](#)

Kaplan, E.B. (1976). Manifestations of Aggression in Latency and Preadolescent Girls. *Psychoanal. St. Child*, 31:63-78 [PEP Web Link](#)

October 10, 2013: Nonlinear Development in Middle Childhood

Knight, R. (2010). Fragmentation, Fluidity and Transformation: Nonlinear Development in Middle Childhood. Accepted for Publication, *Psychoanal.Study* [available in the library]

October 17, 2013 – Latency Proper - Clinical Presentation: Psychoanalysis of a Ten Year Old Girl (Judy Tsafir)

Clowes, E.K. (1996). Oedipal Themes in Latency. *Psychoanal. St. Child*, 51:436-454 [PEP Web Link](#)

Sarnoff, C.A. (1972). The Vicissitudes of Projection During an Analysis Encompassing Late Latency to Early Adolescence. *Int. J. Psycho-Anal.*, 53:515-522 [PEP Web Link](#)

October 24, 2013 - Individual Variation

Film: My life as a Dog

Radford, P. (1973). Changing Techniques in the Analysis of a Deaf Latency Boy. *Psychoanal. St. Child*, 28:225-248 [PEP Web Link](#)

October 31, 2013: The Pubescent Years

Sklansky, M. (1980). The Pubescent Years: Eleven to Fourteen. In: Greenspan, S.J. & Pollock, G. (EDs), *The Course of Life: Psychoanalytic Contributions to Personality Development, Vol. II: Latency, Adolescence and Youth*. NIMH 1980, Vol. II: 266-292 Adolescence and Youth [available in the library].

Film: Stand by Me

November 7, 2013: The Genetic Point of View – Clinical Presentation: Psychoanalysis of a Twenty-Eight Year Old Man (Stephanie Smith)

Kaplan, L.J. (1980). The Developmental and Genetic Perspectives in a life History.. *Contemp. Psychoanal.*, 16:565-580 [PEP Web Link](#)

Abrams, S. (1999). How Child and Adult Analysis Inform And Misinform One Another. *Annu. Psychoanal.*, 26:3-20 [PEP Web Link](#)

Recommended Readings (Not required)

I. General

Tyson, P. & Tyson, R.L. (1990). *Psychoanalytic Theories of Development: An Integration*. New Haven: Yale University Press. [available in the library, Reserve Shelf, 5.3 Ty]

II. Latency

Blumenthal, E.(1998). We All Have Our Tails to Lean On: An Analysis of a Latency-age Girl with a Gender Identity Disorder. *Psychoanal Study Child*, 53:181-198 [PEP Web Link](#)

Burgner, M. (1978). The Diagnostic Profile: I. A Latency Boy (John B.). *Bul. Anna Freud Centre*, 1:31-55 [PEP Web Link](#)

Greenspan, S.J. & Pollock, G. (EDs), *The Course of Life, Volume III: Middle and Late Childhood*. IUP: February 1991. [available in the library]

Etchegoyen, A. (1993). Latency - A Reappraisal. *IJP*, 74:347-357 [PEP Web Link](#)

Friedman, L.H. (2002). The Potentially Stifling Influence of Authority: Beating Fantasies in a Latency Girl: Their Role in Female Sexual Development, II. A Return to an Earlier Paper with a Different Perspective and a Clearer View. *J. Clin. Psychoanal.*, 11:247-270 [PEP Web Link](#)

Goldings, H. (1974). Jump Rope Rhymes and the Rhythm of Latency Development in Girls. *PSC* 29: 431-450 [PEP Web Link](#)

Herman, J.L. (2000). Treating the Cheater: An Ego and Self Psychological Approach to Working Through of the Cheating Syndrome in the Treatment of Latency Children. *J. Infant Child Adolesc. Psychother.*, 1:59-70 [PEP Web Link](#)

Jemerin, J.M. (2004). Latency and the Capacity to Reflect on Mental States. *Psychoanal. St. Child*, 59:211-239 [PEP Web Link](#)

Knight, R. (2005). The Process of Attachment and Autonomy in Latency: A longitudinal Study of Ten Children. *PSC* 60: pp.178-21 [PEP Web Link](#)

Novick, K.K. & Novick, J. (1994). Postoedipal Transformations: Latency, Adolescence and Pathogenesis. *JAPA*, 42:143-169 [PEP Web Link](#)

Sarnoff, C.A. (1971). Ego Structure in Latency. *Psychoanal. Q.*, 40:387-414 [PEP Web Link](#)

Sarnoff, C. (1976). *Latency*. New York: Aronson [*available in the library, Reserve Shelf, 2.5 Sar, selective chapters in folder*]

Widzer, M.E. (1977). The Comic Book Super Hero – A Study of the Family Romance Fantasy. *Psychoanal. Study Child*, 32:565-603 [PEP Web Link](#)