Diploma in Adlerian Counselling

Tuesdays, 18.30 - 21.30 (alternate weeks)

Commencing September 2020

Following satisfactory completion of the Certificate in Adlerian Counselling, students are eligible to work towards the Diploma in Adlerian Counselling which involves a further 211 hours of training, which, with the Certificate, totals 450 hours of theory and skills, alongside ongoing personal development and a minimum of 100 hours supervised clinical practice. The Level 4 Diploma equips students with the additional skills necessary to practise counselling on a professional basis.

The curriculum covers:
- Advanced Counselling Skills
- Clinical Issues and Psychotherapy
- Advanced Adlerian Approaches
- Creative Approaches in Counselling
- Comparative Approaches
- Social and Cultural Issues
- Ethical Practice

Internationally renowned trainers from the USA, Canada, Israel, Germany and the UK present the weekend workshops, as well as other specialists being invited to facilitate many of the evening sessions.

Timing
Two year programme over six terms, September – July, with new student entry every two years. There are six fortnightly evening meetings of three hours with the core tutor, plus three full day workshops at the weekends each term. In relation to their clinical placement, students are also required to receive fortnightly training supervision sessions of one and a half hours throughout the two year training period.

Accreditation
This course is accredited by the Adlerian Society of the UK, an organisational member of the BACP.

Entry Requirements
Satisfactory completion of the Certificate in Adlerian Counselling (within the past 4 years). Evidence of equivalent training will also be considered and students will need to complete an Intensive Introduction to Adlerian Counselling.

Modules
- Adlerian Practice
- Child Development, The Family and Relationships
- Comparative Approaches
- Developing Practitioner Skills
- Mental Health
- Self-Reflective Practice
- Supervision
Each term, there are three day workshops facilitated by practitioners well known in their field. Examples of workshops include: Brief Counselling, Counselling Adolescents and their Families, Comparative Approaches in Therapy, Art Therapy, Psychodrama, Clinical Issues, Referral Issues, Medication and Counselling, Couples Counselling.

**Clinical Placement and Clinical Supervision**

Students receive guidance regarding appropriate clinical placements, and there are a number of agencies that offer placements for Bottisham students following satisfactory interview. Supervision is provided fortnightly in dyads with a training supervisor appointed by the course, and is a crucial part of the programme. Students are required to complete a minimum of 150 hours satisfactory clinical practice.

**Tutors**

Bruce Tate

Many other specialist and experienced presenters contribute to the training.

**Bruce Tate** Registered Member MBACP (Accred), BA Hons co-ordinates the Adlerian Counselling programme at Bottisham Village College.

Bruce currently works as an independent therapist alongside training commitments. He has attended Adlerian training in Europe, the USA and Canada, and has completed training with Pink Therapy. He is a member of the Board and teaches at the International Adlerian Summer School (www.icassi.net). He has led training in Ireland, Slovakia, the USA, Singapore and Greece. Plans for 2018/2019 include teaching in Ireland, Germany, China and Romania.

*Fees: £2050 per year (£1540 concessionary).* Fees include all tuition, weekend workshops and tutorials. Personal counselling and clinical training supervision need to be budgeted for separately. The concessionary fee is available if you in receipt of certain means tested benefits.

**Payment Schedule** If you are offered a place on the course, a non-refundable deposit of £100 is payable on acceptance of your offer. The remainder of the fee is payable as follows: £350 to be at the start of the course in September 2020 followed by instalments of £200 pcm over 8 months, October 2020 to May 2021.

A small charge of £10 will be payable at the end of the two year course for your Certificate from ASIIP.

Arrangements can be made to spread the payments over the period of the course.

* Based on fees for 2018-2020 course. Fees may be reviewed for 2020-2022 course.