

	Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> October	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> October	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> October
8.00	Registration Tea and coffee available	Tea and coffee available	Tea and coffee available
8.30	Welcome	Professional practice presentation: #1	<p>Workshop 2: An introduction to reunification for parental alienation</p> <p>Presenters: Karen and Nick Woodall</p> <p>Workshop aim: The aim of this workshop is to introduce practitioners to the principles of reunification work with severely alienated children. During this workshop, you will learn why reunification work with alienated children is necessary and will be introduced to assessment and differentiation tools. This workshop will benefit mental health practitioners working with families affected by parental alienation. It will also benefit legal practitioners who are interested in knowing how legal and mental health practitioners can work together to resolve parental alienation. This workshop is a taster of the intensive 2-day training in reunification work, which is based upon the successful work of the Family Separation Clinic in London.</p> <p>Morning tea and lunch provided</p>
9.00	Keynote: Demosthenes Lorandos	Professional practice presentation: #2	
9.30	The trouble with evidence law, expert witnesses and parental alienation	Professional practice presentation: #3	
10.00		Professional practice presentation: #4	
10.30	Morning tea	Professional practice presentation: #5	
11.00	Keynote: Karen and Nick Woodall	Morning tea	
11.30	What can we do in response to parental alienation?	Workshop 1: How do you know it's parental alienation	
12.00		Presenters: Demosthenes Lorandos and Mandy Matthewson	
12.30	Lunch	<p>Workshop aim: There is a lot of information and misinformation about parental alienation and it can be hard to disentangle parental alienation from high conflict custody disputes. This workshop will help practitioners know more about what parental alienation. During this workshop we will examine indicators of parental alienation and ways of identifying it by using case study vignettes. We will also explore issues surrounding false allegations of abuse and family violence as a parental alienation tactic. Reference to current research on parental alienation will be referred to throughout the workshop.</p> <p>Lunch and afternoon tea provided</p>	
1.00			
1.30	Research Presentation: #1		
2.00	Research Presentation: #2		
2.30	Research Presentation: #3		
3.00	Research Presentation: #4		
3.30	Afternoon tea and poster presentation		
4.00	Research Presentation: #5	<p>Panel discussion</p> <p>A panel of experts will discuss professional practice issues with reference to a hypothetical case of parental alienation. Audience questions will be taken</p>	
4.30	Research Presentation: #6		
5.00	Research Presentation: #7		

\*\*\*Networking Dinner 6pm Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October at Charcoal Restaurant

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**Research Presentations****Professional Practice Presentations**

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**#1 Title:** Identifying the Characteristics of Parental Alienation: A systematic review  
**Presenter:** Lilian Deeth

**#2 Title:** Understanding Targeted Parents of Parental Alienation: Experiences, Characteristics and Coping Strategies  
**Presenter:** Sau-lyn Lee Maturana

**#3 Title:** Gender Differences in the Lived Experience of Parental Alienation: A Qualitative Investigation  
**Presenter:** Lauren Reading

**#4 Title:** The social construction of motherhood and its possible effect on alienated mothers  
**Presenter:** Jo Fothergill

**#5 Title:** Theorising Effective Social Work Support for Non-residential Mothers after Separation or Divorce  
**Presenter:** Maegan Johnsen

**#6 Title:** Parental Alienation Workshop: A pilot program for targeted parents  
**Presenter:** Matthew Ferber

**#7 Title:** Parental Alienation: A qualitative investigation of the experience of targeted adult children  
**Presenter:** Caitlin Reed

**#1 Title:** Pioneering Practice in a Turning Tide  
**Presenter:** Jill Goldson

**#2 Title:** Counsellor Beware: Therapy within the context of Parental Alienation  
**Presenter:** Susan De Campo

**#3 Title:** Perspectives on Parental Alienation as a Social Phenomenon  
**Presenter:** Stan Korosi

**#4 Title:** Parent-Child Reunification-Family Bridges Program for Alienated Children and Families (FBAC)  
**Presenter:** Stan Korosi & Margaret Cherubino

**#5 Title:** Recommendations for best practice in response to parental alienation: findings from a systematic review  
**Presenter:** Mandy Matthewson

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**Poster Presentations:**

Reunification of alienated parents and their adult children: A qualitative investigation  
Jacinta Hickey, Sophie Ward, Mandy Matthewson

Comparing the lived experience of targeted parents of domestic and international parental alienation  
Mandy Matthewson & Kezia Caieta Wasdell

Testing a Model of Parental Alienation as a form of Family Violence  
Nicola Davie, Jacinta Hickey, Mandy Matthewson & Sian Balmer

Grandparents' Experience of Parental Alienation  
Olivia Bounds & Mandy Matthewson

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