

# BEVERLY ELLISON

**Psychotherapist, LCSW #75361, Clinical Supervisor, &  
AASECT Certified Sex Therapist**

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## Skills

Affirming therapy for gender and sexuality minorities including:  
asexual & aromantic, intersex, kinky, polyamorous, queer, transgender,  
nonbinary & gender expansive people  
Affirming therapy for BIPOC, fat, and disabled people  
Assessments for gender-affirming care  
Clinical supervision  
EMDR (Eye Movement Desensitization Reprocessing)  
Liberation therapy  
Sex therapy  
Trauma-informed therapy

## Work History

2021-12 - present

**Creator, Founder, Clinical Director, & Psychotherapist**  
Queering Therapy with Beverly Ellison, LCSW & Associates, Inc.  
Trauma-informed sex therapy for gender & sexual minorities  
Clinical supervision

2017-08 - present

**Psychotherapist, Independent Contractor**  
San Francisco Intimacy & Sex Therapy Center, San Francisco, CA  
Sex therapy with individuals & couples

2017-06 - present

**Psychotherapist**  
Private Practice, San Francisco, CA  
Trauma-informed sex therapy for erotically marginalized people

2017-07 - 2018-08

**Psychotherapist**  
Dimensions Health Clinic, San Francisco, CA  
Gender-affirming surgery assessments and therapy with transitional-age youth

2017-07 - 2017-12

**Psychotherapist**  
LYRIC (Lavender Youth Recreation And Information Center), San Francisco, CA  
Individual and group psychotherapy with transitional-age youth

2015-11 - 2017-07

**Integrated Clinical Social Worker**  
Lyon-Martin Health Services (Health Right 360), San Francisco, CA  
Individual and group therapy, surgery assessments, and crisis deescalation

2014-11 - 2015-11

**Psychotherapist**  
Prevention and Recovery in Early Psychosis (PREP), San Francisco, CA  
Client-centered psychosis interventions in individual and family psychotherapy

2013-03 - 2014-06

**Psychotherapist, Private Practice Internship**  
Dr. Janet Linder, LCSW, San Francisco, CA  
Individual and intimate relationship psychotherapy

2011-12 - 2013-06

**Psychotherapist**  
Queer Life Space, San Francisco, CA

Individual and group psychotherapy

## **Education**

10-2021 – 2023-05

### **AASECT Sex Therapist Certification**

Institute for Sexuality Education and Enlightenment, Northampton, MA

2008-08 - 2011-06

### **Master of Social Work**

University of Southern Maine, Portland, ME

1998-08 - 2003-06

### **Bachelor of Arts, Religion & Gender Studies**

Bard College, Annandale-on-Hudson, NY

## **Presentations**

2024-01

### **Queering Sex Therapy**

for the Pacific Center for Human Growth

2021-05

### **The Exiles Present BDSM 101: An Introduction to the Leather Subculture**

for the Pacific Center for Human Growth

2021-04 - 2022-04

### **The Exiles Orientation: BDSM 101**

a bimonthly course required to become a member of the Exiles

2018-10

### **Beyond the Binary:**

#### **Exploring and Deepening Understanding of Gender in the Therapeutic Setting**

for Bay Area Open Minds, San Francisco, CA

2018-08

### **LGBTQ+ Community & Paganism**

at Maine Pagan Unity Day, Portland, ME

2016-10

### **Schizophrenia Spectrum & Other Psychotic Disorders:**

#### **Information and Interventions for Patients with Psychosis**

for Lyon-Martin Health Services, San Francisco, CA

## **Affiliations**

**Accelerated Experiential Dynamic Psychotherapy Institute**

**American Association of Sexuality Educators, Counselors, and Therapists**

**Bay Area Open Minds**

**Community-Academic Consortium for Research on Alternative Sexualities**

**Everywhere is Queer**

**The Exiles San Francisco**

**Kink Aware Professionals**

**Kink Aware Poly Aware**

**National Association of Social Workers**

**National Coalition for Sexual Freedom**

**ProChoiceTherapists.org**

**San Francisco Sex Information**

**SexTherapy.com**

## **Clinical Trainings**

2024

### **AEDP (ACCELERATED EXPERIENTIAL DYNAMIC PSYCHOTHERAPY)**

#### **ESSENTIAL SKILLS (ES1) Module 3**

with Karen Pando-Mars, LMFT

for The AEDP Institute

### **TREATING SEXUAL DYSFUNCTION WITH FUN AND ACCESSIBLE SOLUTIONS**

with Molly Adler, LCSW, CST and Matie Fricker

for Sex Therapy New Mexico

**AEDP (ACCELERATED EXPERIENTIAL DYNAMIC PSYCHOTHERAPY)  
ESSENTIAL SKILLS (ES1) Module 2**

with Mary Androff, MD  
for The AEDP Institute

**AEDP (ACCELERATED EXPERIENTIAL DYNAMIC PSYCHOTHERAPY)  
ESSENTIAL SKILLS (ES1) Module 1**

with Kate Haliday, LCSW  
for The AEDP Institute

**SEX & DISABILITY**

with Alex Iantaffi, PhD, MS, SEP, CST, CST-S, LMFT  
of Edges Wellness Center, LLC

**RADICAL MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AIDE: A FRAMEWORK AND TOOL FOR  
SELF AND COMMUNITY CARE**

with oumou sylla, LMFT, MA  
for the Institute for the Development of Human Arts

**AEDP (ACCELERATED EXPERIENTIAL DYNAMIC PSYCHOTHERAPY)  
IMMERSION COURSE, SEPTEMBER 2023**

with Jerry Lamagna, LCSW, H. Jacquie Ye-Perman, PhD, Nicky Cameron, LCSW, and  
James Santos, MDiv  
for The AEDP Institute

**NARCISSISTIC ABUSE IN-DEPTH WORKSHOP**

with Ramani Durvasula  
for The Psychotherapy Networker

**CALIFORNIA LAW AND PROFESSIONAL ETHICS**

with CE4Less

**SUPERVISION ESSENTIALS FOR THE PRACTICE OF COMPETENCY-  
BASED SUPERVISION**

with CE4Less

**ETHICS AND TELEMENTAL HEALTH**

with CE4Less

**KINK & HEALING: TWO APPROACHES**

with Julie Lehman, LMFT and Andrew Pari, LCSW, CCTP  
for TASHRA (The Alternative Sexualities Health Research Alliance)

**POWER & VULNERABILITY IN THE SUPERVISION PROCESS**

with Lynne Jacobs, PhD  
for the Pacific Gestalt Institute

**A TASTE OF GESTALT**

with Lynne Jacobs, PhD and Michelle Seely, LMFT  
for the Pacific Gestalt Institute

**INTRO TO AEDP: HOW TO BE A TRANSFORMATIONAL THERAPIST AND  
PUT NEUROPLASTICITY INTO EVERYDAY ACTION**

with Diana Fosha, PhD  
for the AEDP Institute

**DECARCERATING CARE: HISTORIES OF COERCION AND DREAMS FOR  
LIBERATED FUTURES**

with Tatyana Nduta, moderator, and panelists: Kelechi Ubozoh, James Burch, Theo Henderson, Chaku Mathai, and Rob Wipond  
for the Institute for the Development of Human Arts

**BECOMING A PROCHOICE THERAPIST**

with Ashley D. Sweet, MA, LPC, LMHC, CCHt, Founder of ProChoiceTherapists.org  
for ProChoiceTherapists.org

**THIS IS YOUR BRAIN ON TRAUMA (RECOVERY)**

with Dr. Anna Rosenhauer  
for The Healing Together Conference, 2023

**EMDR-MIRACLE TREATMENT?: HOW TO FIND THE SAFEST EMDR THERAPIST FOR YOU**

with Jessica Szymczyk, LMHC  
for The Healing Together Conference, 2023

**LGBTQ+ AFFIRMING CARE FOR PLURAL/DID CLIENTS**

with Dr. Serenity Serseci3n  
for The Healing Together Conference, 2023

**CREATIVE SEXUAL HEALING: AN EXPLORATION OF INTIMACY, SEX, AND TRIGGERS AS A TRAUMA SURVIVOR**

with Larry Ruhl  
for The Healing Together Conference, 2023

**LOOKING TO THE FUTURE: PSYCHEDELIC ASSISTED PSYCHOTHERAPY FOR OSDD/DID**

with Melissa Parker, LMHC and Erica Lally, LMHC, ATR-BC  
for The Healing Together Conference, 2023

**HEROS & SIDEKICKS; THE SUPER DUPER POWERS OF D.I.D., WITH A PLUS ONE!**

with Madison Clell  
for The Healing Together Conference, 2023

**SHARI SHINES: COMING OUT OF THE DARK ON THE OTHER SIDE OF RA/MC**

with Sharri and Frank Burggraaf  
for The Healing Together Conference, 2023

2022

**BDSM: IT'S BREATH AND DEPTH**

with Wayne Pawlowski, MSW, LICSW, CSE, CSES  
for AASECT Florida M&G

**WORKING WITH SHAME IN EFT**

with Dr. Rebecca Jorgensen and Jim Thomas, LCSW  
for Training and Research Institute for Emotionally Focused Therapy Alliant of the San Diego Center for Emotionally Focused Therapy

**DECARCERATING CARE:**

**THE EVOLUTION OF MENTAL HEALTH SURVEILLANCE**

with Idil Abdillahi, Azza Altiraifi, Yana Calou, TL Lewis, Shawna Murray-Browne, & Selima Jumarali for the Institute for the Development of Human Arts

**EMOTIONALLY FOCUSED THERAPY CORE SKILLS 2**

with Yve Gould, Registered Psychotherapist for The New Zealand Community for Emotionally Focused Therapy

**ASEXUALITY & AROMANTICISM**

with Aubri Lancaster of AnteUp!

**ON THE SURPRISING PLEASURES OF LIVING IN AN AGING BODY**

with Dr. Susan Sands and Dr. Meg Jordan, PhD, RN, NBC-HWC, the Chair of Integrative Health Studies master's program at the California Institute of Integral Studies

**USING KINK & BDSM SCENES IN EMOTIONAL EXPRESSION & PROCESSING**

with Mxstress for The Thrive BDSM & Mental Health Conference 2022

**FATPHOBIA & KINK**

with Mx. Pucks A'Plenty for International Ms. Leather & Boot Black Conference 2022

**NURTURING TRANS EROTIC EMBODIMENTS**

with Lucie Fielding for Sex Therapy New Mexico

**DISSOCIATIVE DISORDERS & PLURAL COMMUNITIES**

with Dr. Serenity Serseción of Level Up Psychotherapy

**GENDER AS TRAUMA: A SOMATIC PERSPECTIVE**

with Alex Iantaffi for Somatic Experiencing International

**CASE CONFERENCE ON APPLYING SYSTEMS THEORY TO POLYCULES**

with Ryan Witherspoon Ph.D., for CARAS (Community-Academic Consortium for Research on Alternative Sexualities)

**ON THE INTERSECTION OF QUEERNESS AND NEURODIVERGENCE: A LIVE ONLINE CONVERSATION WITH NICK WALKER**

with Nick Walker, Ph.D. and Dan Glenn, for California Institute for Integral Studies

**SEXUALITY WHILE TRANS: WHAT EDUCATORS AND PRACTITIONERS NEED TO KNOW**

with J Mase III for AASECT

**DISSOCIATION 101: THE BASICS**

with Athena Phillips, LCSW of the Integrative Trauma TreatmentCenter

**DEVELOP YOUR K.I.S.S. (KINK INCLUSIVE SUPERVISION SERVICES): SUPERVISING CLINICIANS WORKING WITH KINKY CLIENTS**

with Stephen Ratcliff, MA, LPCC (NM), LPC (OR), NCC, CST and Zita L. Nickeson, M. Ed, LMHC, LCPC, CST, CSE, WPATH-C for TASHRA (The Alternative Sexualities Health Research Alliance)

**THREE MENTAL HEALTH NUTRITION PRINCIPLES EVERY THERAPIST SHOULD KNOW**

with Stephanie Small, MSW, LCSW for Smith College School of Social Work

**EXPANDING THE SELF: WITH EFIT & SE**

with Dr. Sue Johnson (Founder of EFT, EFIT, and Director of The International Centre For Excellence In Emotionally Focused Therapy) & Dr. Peter Levine (Developer of Somatic Experiencing, Founder and Faculty of Ergos Institute of Somatic Education, Founder and Advisor of Somatic Experiencing Institute, and Senior Clinical Fellow and Advisor at The Meadows Addiction Treatment Center)

**SEXUALITY & TRAUMA: HEALING THROUGH EMBODIMENT**

with Sheila Silver MA for The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**NAVIGATING THE RAPIDS: POWER, CULTURE, AND DIFFERENCE IN EFT**  
with Jay Seiff-Haron PhD and Nalini Calamur MA

**SEX THERAPY WITH EROTICALLY MARGINALIZED CLIENTS**  
with Shannon L. Sennott, LICSW, CST for Smith College School of Social Work

**OGDEN PLENARY: YOUNG SEX, OLD SEX: THE PORN STAR AND THE LITTLE OLD LADY REVEAL WHAT THERAPISTS SHOULD KNOW**  
with Joan Price, MA and Jessica Drake, CSE for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**KINK IN COLOR: CELEBRATING BLACK BODIES IN KINK SPACES**  
with Shanae Adams, MA, LPCC, NCC, CIGT for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**OPENING PLENARY: NAVIGATING SEXUAL WELLNESS IN A DIGITIZED LANDSCAPE: A PANEL DISCUSSION**  
with Juan Camarena, PhD, LMFT, LPCC, CST, Shadeen Francis, LMFT, MA, CST, Tracie Q. Gilbert, and Kristen Lilla, LCSW, CST-S, CSE-S for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**SOCIAL JUSTICE PLENARY: TOWARDS COLLECTIVE LIBERATION**  
with Dominique Morgan & Eli Green  
for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**SEX & CANNABIS: A FULL LIFECYCLE PERSPECTIVE**  
with Chelsea L. Cebara, Ashley Manta, Jordan Tishler, MD, and Reba C. Thomas  
for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**LET THE CIRCLE BE UNBROKEN:  
ADDRESSING RELIGIOUS GUILT AND SHAME**  
with Reverend Beverly Dale and Rachel Keller, LCSW-C, CST  
for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**SCHILLER PLENARY: PLEASURE IS THE MEASURE**  
with Emily Nagoski, PhD for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**COMING INTO OUR OWN: THE SEXUAL LIFE STORIES OF POST-MENOPAUSAL WOMEN**  
with Jane Epstein, MSN for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**TRANS AND INTERSEX CENTRIC SEX ED ACROSS THE LIFESPAN**  
with Worner Leland, MS, BCBA, LBA, Dr. Lexx Brown-James, PhD, and Willow Rosen for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**WHIPPLE FAMILY PLENARY  
GIVING TEENS A VOICE: LESSONS ABOUT SEX, SEXUALITY, AND THE INTERNET FROM RESEARCH WITH SEXUAL AND GENDER MINORITY ADOLESCENTS**  
with Kathryn Macapagal, PhD for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**BEYOND “JUST BRING IT UP”:  
WHEN “IT'S GRIST FOR THE MILL” ISN'T ENOUGH**  
with Nalini Calamur, MA, AMFT and Jay M. Seiff-Haron, Psy.D. Certified Emotionally Focused Therapist and Supervisor-in-Training

**SILVER SEX: TREASURES IN SEX AND AGING**  
with Rod Froseth for The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**EDUCATION SKILLS FOR SEX THERAPISTS**

with Rosalyn Dischiavo EdD, MA, CSES Founder and Director of  
The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**SEXUALITY, RITUAL, & HEALING**

with Rosalyn Dischiavo EdD, MA, CSES Founder and Director of The Institute for  
Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**EMOTIONALLY FOCUSED THERAPY CORE SKILLS 1**

with Yve Gould, Registered Psychotherapist for The New Zealand Community for  
Emotionally Focused Therapy

**OSUNALITY: AFRICAN EROTICISM AND NON-PHALLOCENTRIC SEX**

with Zelaika S. Hepworth Clarke Ph.D., MSW, LSW, MEd for The Institute for  
Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**INTERSECTION OF SEX & TECHNOLOGY**

with Kaitlin Scalisi, MPH for The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**SEX RESEARCH**

with Joli Hamilton MA, CSE for The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**A HISTORY OF SEXOLOGY**

with Rosalyn Dischiavo EdD, MA, CSES Founder and Director of The Institute for  
Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**ADOPTING A SEX POSITIVE APPROACH TO LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL,  
TRANSGENDER, AND QUEER/QUESTIONING (LGBTQ) SEXUAL HEALTH**

with Nhakia Outland, MSW for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**EXPLORING SEXUAL COMMUNICATION, PLEASURE, AND FREEDOM  
FOR GENDER MINORITIES WITH CHRONIC ILLNESS, PAIN, AND OTHER  
DISABILITIES**

with Melvin L. Philips, Jr., EdD for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**AFFIRMATIVE, PLEASURE-BASED THERAPY FOR YOUNG  
ADOLESCENTS EXPLORING GENDER AND SEXUALITY**

with Coreen Haym, MS, PhD, LMFT for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**GENITAL PRACTICES AROUND THE WORLD AND IMPLICATIONS FOR  
EDUCATORS, COUNSELORS, AND THERAPISTS**

with Sara Nasserzadeh, PhD, DipPST, MSC, MA, CSC  
for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**WHEN PORNOGRAPHY IS AN ISSUE:**

**COUPLES IN CONFLICT AND PEOPLE WHO WATCH TOO MUCH**

with Marty Klein, PhD, CST, MFT for the AASECT Conference, 2021

**LAW & ETHICS: WPATH TRANSGENDER STANDARDS OF CARE**

with Jeanne Courtney, MFT of Feminist Therapy Associates

**SEX & POWER: BDSM 101**

with Samantha Manewitz, LICSW, CST  
for The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**SEXUALITY, MENOPAUSE, & HORMONE REPLACEMENT THERAPY**

with Gretchen Frey, MD, FACOG for the Sex Ed Lecture Series

**PLEASURE: EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW**

with Cindy Lee Alves, M. Ed., founding member of the  
Women of Color Sexual Health Network's Leadership Collective  
for The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**PLAYING IN PURPOSE: THE ART OF DESIGNING ADULT PLAY**

with Allen Turner, Afro-indigenous game designer/dancer and  
Artemisia de Vine, retired sex worker, turned erotic psyche specialist  
and purposeful play date choreographer  
at The AltSex Conference, May 2021

**QUEER(ING) SEX SPACES/QUEERLY REIMAGINING SEXUAL SPATIALITIES**

with Stephanie Bonvissuto, instructor, researcher Stony Brook University  
at The AltSex Conference, May 2021

**OUTSIDE THE BEDROOM: SUPPORTING KINKY CLIENTS**

with Tex Gibson, psychotherapist and sex therapist  
at The AltSex Conference, May 2021

**MENOPAUSE: AGENT OF QUEERNESS?**

with Tania Glyde, psychotherapist and researcher at London Central Counselling  
at The AltSex Conference, May 2021

**PANDEMICS AND PACIFIERS: AGEPLAY IN THE AGE OF COVID**

with Matt Sevier, clinical nurse specialist, anglican priest, psychotherapist  
at The AltSex Conference, May 2021

**HUMAN SEXUALITY THROUGH THE LENS OF PARTICIPATORY CREATIVITY**

with Michael Hanchett Hanson, developmental psychologist and researcher  
at Teachers College, Columbia University  
and Eric Schneider, licensed mental health counselor  
at The AltSex Conference, May 2021

**HEALING THE EROTIC SELF: SOMATIC SEX THERAPY**

with Lena Queen, owner, LCSW, sex therapist, educator, & trainer  
at The AltSex Conference, May 2021

**KINKY SOMATICS AND THE DIVERSE BODYMIND**

with B. Ethan M. Coston, assistant professor,  
board member at Virginia Commonwealth University  
at The AltSex Conference, May 2021



**SEX IS MORE THAN SEX**

with Ceyenne Doroshow, G.L.I.T.S. Founder and Executive Director  
Keynote speaker at The AltSex Conference, May 2021

**THE TANTRA OF CONVERSATION**

with Rosalyn Dischiavo EdD, MA, CSES  
Founder and Director of The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**SACRED SEXUALITY: SEX IN 4-DIMENSIONS**

with Rosalyn Dischiavo EdD, MA, CSES  
Founder and Director of The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**SEX UNDER THE INFLUENCE**

with Rosalyn Dischiavo EdD, MA, CSES  
Founder and Director of The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**TROUBLESHOOTING PLEASURE: ORGASM, SENSUAL PLAY, & SEX TOYS**

with Kaitlin Scalisi, MPH for the Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**DADDY DOMS AND “LITTLE GIRLS”: POWER DYNAMICS AND AGE PLAY**

with Benjamin Hackman for the Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**PREGNANCY AND SEXUALITY**

with Joli Hamilton MA, CSE for the Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**SEXOLOGICAL ANATOMY**

with Rosalyn Dischiavo EdD, MA, CSES  
Founder and Director of The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**PERFECT UNTIL CUT: THE LIFE OF AN INTERSEX ACTIVIST**

with Dana Zzyym and Rosalyn Dischiavo EdD, MA, CSES  
Founder and Director of The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**EROTOPHOBIA: CULTURAL IMPACTS**

with Rosalyn Dischiavo EdD, MA, CSES  
Founder and Director of The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**RESPONSIVE DESIRE: THE SCIENCE BEHIND “COMES AS YOU ARE”**

with Dr. Emily Nagoski for The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**PRINCIPLES OF HOLISTIC SEX EDUCATION**

with Rosalyn Dischiavo EdD, MA, CSES  
Founder and Director of The Institute for Sexuality Education & Enlightenment

**FOUNDATIONS OF SEXUAL IDENTITY**

with The Buehler Institute

**WOMEN'S SEXUAL PROBLEMS**

with The Buehler Institute

2020

**PLISSIT MODEL**

with The Buehler Institute

**MEN'S SEXUAL PROBLEMS**

with The Buehler Institute

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**THE MYTH OF SEX ADDICTION: A CONVERSATION WITH DAVID LEY**

with Dr. David Ley and Rosalyn Dischiavo, EdD, MA, CSES

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**ETHICS IN SEX THERAPY: REVIEW THE AASECT CODE OF ETHICS**

with The Buehler Institute

**SEXUAL ATTITUDES REASSESSMENT (SAR)**

with Jadelynn St Dre, LMFT and Bianca Laureano of AnteUp!

**THE BASICS OF KINK AND THERAPY**

with Anna Randall, LCSW, DHS & Richard Sprott, PhD of TASHRA

(The Alternative Sexualities Health Research Alliance)

**BDSM AND THE DSM**

with Anna Randall, LCSW, DHS & Richard Sprott, PhD of TASHRA

(The Alternative Sexualities Health Research Alliance)

**CONSENT, ABUSE, AND CRIMINALITY**

with Anna Randall, LCSW, DHS & Richard Sprott, PhD of TASHRA

(The Alternative Sexualities Health Research Alliance)

**HEALING AND PERSONAL GROWTH THROUGH KINK**

with Anna Randall, LCSW, DHS & Richard Sprott, PhD of TASHRA

(The Alternative Sexualities Health Research Alliance)

**DIVERSE POPULATIONS AND RELATIONSHIPS IN KINK**

with Anna Randall, LCSW, DHS & Richard Sprott, PhD of TASHRA  
(The Alternative Sexualities Health Research Alliance)

**COUNTERTRANSFERENCE WITH KINK-INVOLVED CLIENTS**

with Anna Randall, LCSW, DHS & Richard Sprott, PhD of TASHRA  
(The Alternative Sexualities Health Research Alliance)

**CLINICAL WORK WITH CLIENTS WHO DO SEX WORK**

with Sarah Hemphill, LCSW, co-facilitator of Chicago's Sex Worker Support Group, for  
CARAS (Community-Academic Consortium for Research on Alternative Sexualities)

**OVERVIEW OF NARCISSISTIC PERSONALITY STYLES FOR THERAPISTS  
& COACHES**

with Dr. Ramani Durvasula

**GAINING AUTONOMY AND NAVIGATING MEDICATION**

with Olga Runciman and Celine Cyr, for The Organic Recovery Learning Community

**THE IMPACT OF INTERGENERATIONAL TRAUMA ON ADULT SEXUAL  
INTIMACY**

with Suzanne Iasenza, PhD, for The Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Study Center Annex

**RESEARCH INTO BDSM: WHAT ARE THE NEXT STEPS NEEDED?**

with Dr. Charles Moser of Diverse Sexualities Research and Education Institute

**BEYOND THE BINARY: LEARNING TO TEACH GENDER INCLUSIVE SEX  
EDUCATION**

with Angel Russell, CSE for the AJSE (American Journal of Sexuality Education)

**MINDFUL ANTIRACISM: FINDING RELATIONAL CONNECTION  
BENEATH SHAME AND SAVIORISM**

with Francesca Maximé

**LAW AND ETHICS WITH AN LGBTQ FOCUS, PARTS ONE & TWO**

with Jeanne Courtney, MFT of Feminist Psychotherapy Associates

**CLINICALLY ADDRESSING NARCISSISTIC ABUSE: BEARING WITNESS &  
PARADIGM SHIFTS**

with Dr. Ramani Durvasula

**EFIT (EMOTIONALLY-FOCUSED INDIVIDUAL THERAPY) LEVEL 2**

with Yve Gould, and Heike McCahon of NZCEFT & Lorrie Brubacher (International  
Trainer and the Founder and Director of the Carolina Centre for EFT)

**EFIT (EMOTIONALLY-FOCUSED INDIVIDUAL THERAPY) LEVEL 1**

with Dr. Leanne Campbell & Dr. Sue Johnson (Founder of EFT and Director of The  
International Centre For Excellence In Emotionally Focused Therapy)

**TRAUMA TO DHARMA (HAKOMI TRAINING)**

with Manuela Mischke-Reeds, LMFT

**ANATOMY AND NEUROLOGY OF SENSATION AND PLEASURE**

with Dr. Robert Lawrence & Carol Queen, PhD

2019

**BASIC PRINCIPLES OF SOMATIC EXPERIENCING**

with Sage Hayes, SEP, LMT

**BEING PART OF THE COMMUNITIES YOU SERVE**

with Dr. Sand Chang and Dossie Easton for Bay Area Open Minds

**THE BODY KEEPS THE SCORE**

with Bessel van der Kolk, MD

**HAKOMI ESSENTIAL SKILLS**

with Gal Szekely, LMFT of the Hakomi Institute of California

**MANDATORY ABUSE REPORTING**

with CE4Less

**CLINICAL SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OF  
SUBSTANCE ABUSE COUNSELOR**

with CE4Less

**SPOUSAL OR PARTNER ABUSE**

with CE4Less

**AGING AND LONG TERM CARE**

with CE4Less

**SUICIDE ASSESSMENT, TREATMENT, AND MANAGEMENT-REVISED**

with CE4Less

**ETHICS AND BOUNDARY ISSUES**

with CE4Less

**CLINICAL SUPERVISION, LEGAL, ETHICAL, AND RISK MANAGEMENT  
ISSUES**

with CE4Less

**SUPERVISION: A GUIDE FOR MENTAL HEALTH PROFESSIONALS**

with CE4Less

**HIV/AIDS: A COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW**

with CE4Less

**CALIFORNIA LAW AND ETHICS**

with CE4Less

2018

**DISORGANIZED ATTACHMENT: A BRILLIANT TRAUMA STRATEGY**

with Karen Rachels, LMFT

**MENTAL HEALTH AT THE INTERSECTIONS: RACE, CLASS, AND  
GENDER IN THE LGBTQI2-S COMMUNITIES**

with The Pacific Center for Human Growth

**EMOTIONALLY-FOCUSED THERAPY EXTERNSHIP**

with Dr. Michelle Gannon, Dr. Sam Jinich, and Dr. Sue Johnson

**NON-DUAL WISDOM AND PSYCHOLOGY CONFERENCE**  
at California Institute for Integral Studies

- 2017                    **EMDR (EYE MOVEMENT DENSENSITIZATION & REPROCESSING)**  
with Dr. Andrew M. Leeds of Sonoma Psychotherapy Training Institute
- 2016                    **TWO GENDER AFFIRMING SURGERY ASSESSMENT TRAININGS**  
with Gender Health San Francisco, Department of Public Health
- 2015                    **MOTIVATIONAL INTERVIEWING**  
with PREP (Prevention and Recovery in Early Psychosis)
- 2014-2015            **CBT-P (COGNITIVE BEHAVIORAL THERAPY FOR PSYCHOSIS)**  
with PREP (Prevention and Recovery in Early Psychosis)
- 2014                    **ADULT TRANSGENDER CULTURAL COMPETENCE AND HUMILITY**  
with San Francisco Department of Public Health
- 2011                    **SEEKING SAFETY**  
with Community Counseling Services, Portland, Maine
- 2003                    **SEXUALITY EDUCATOR TRAINING**  
with SFSI (San Francisco Sex Information)