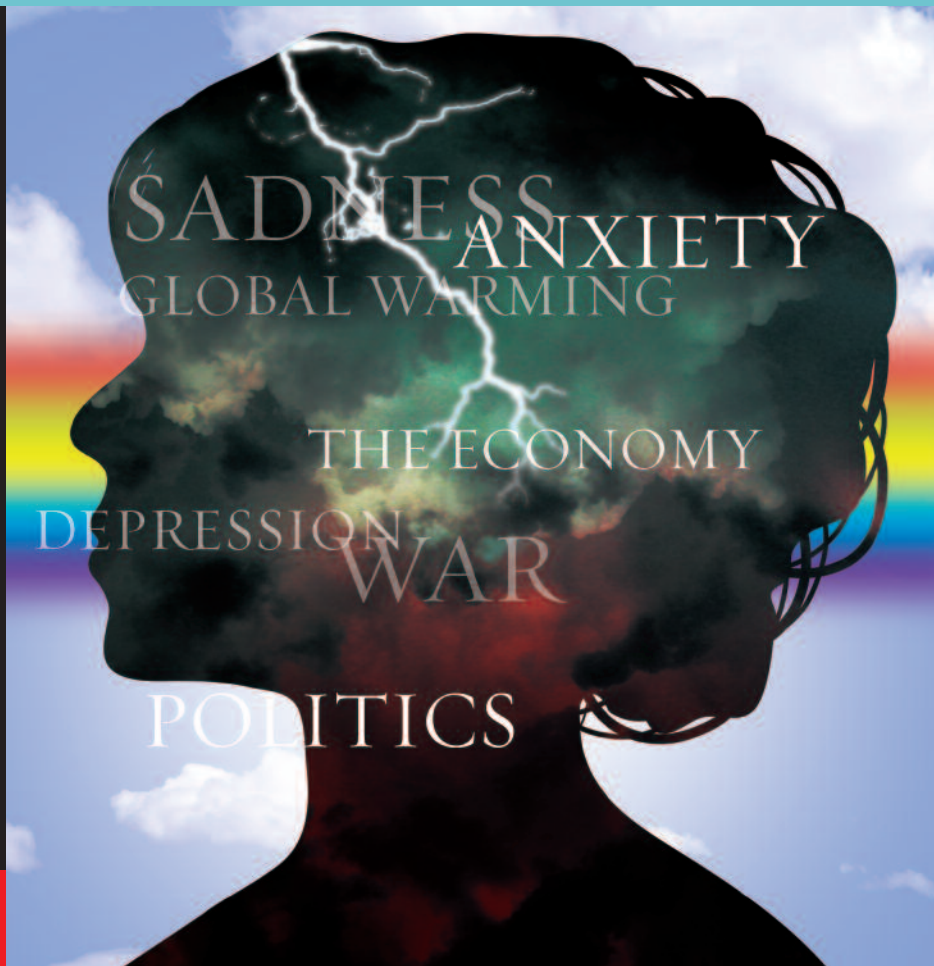


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Meeting the Challenge  
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Saturday, May 2, 2009



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**8:00 AM REGISTRATION AND REFRESHMENTS**

**9:00 AM WELCOME**

Jonathan Morgenstern, LCSW, President, New York State Society for Clinical Social Work

### Clinical Conference

**9:15 AM OPENING REMARKS AND INTRODUCTIONS**

Susan A. Klett, LCSW-R, Chairperson, Education Committee,  
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### Keynote Presentations

#### **THE LOSS OF SADNESS: IS NORMAL SADNESS BEING MISLABELED AS DEPRESSIVE DISORDER?**

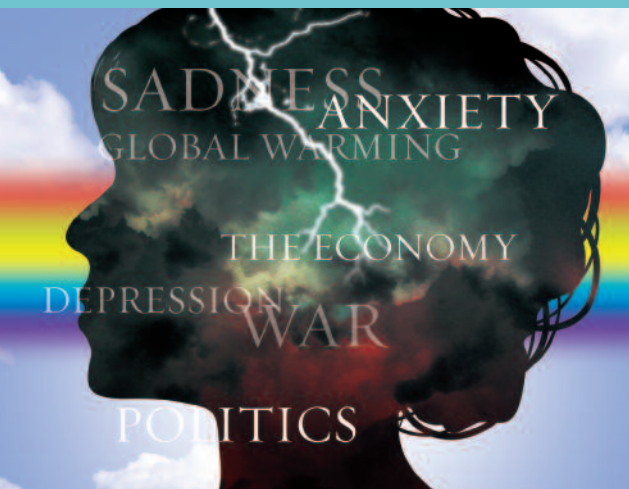
Jerome C. Wakefield, PhD, DSW is University Professor, Professor of Social Work, and Professor of Psychiatry, as well as Affiliate Faculty in Bioethics and in the Center for Ancient Studies, at New York University; and Lecturer in Psychiatry at Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons. He is author with Allan Horwitz of “The Loss of Sadness: How Psychiatry Transformed Normal Sorrow into Depressive Disorder” (Oxford, 2007). Dr. Wakefield is the author of over 150 publications appearing in journals in psychiatry, psychology, philosophy, psychoanalysis, and social work.

#### **COMPARATIVE TREATMENT MODELS FOR PANIC DISORDER: A CASE ILLUSTRATION**

Carol Tosone, PhD, is Associate Professor at New York University Silver School of Social Work. Dr. Tosone is Editor-in-Chief of the Clinical Social Work Journal and serves on the editorial boards of Social Work in Mental Health, Social Work in Health Care, Psychoanalytic Social Work, Psychoanalytic Perspectives, and the American Academy of Psychoanalysis and Social Work’s online journal, Beyond the Couch. She is also the author of numerous professional articles and book chapters, co-editor of two books and executive producer and writer of educational and community service media.

**12:00 Noon to 1:30 PM LUNCH**

**1:45 PM to 3:45 PM AFTERNOON WORKSHOPS**



## **Out of Sorts:** **Meeting the Challenge of Working with Anxiety and Mood Disorders**

### **1 Two Therapists, Two Models, One Couple: Object Relations and Systemic Psychodynamic Approaches to Marital Treatment with a Couple with Bi-Polar Disorder**

Carl Bagnini, LCSW, BCD, Faculty and Clinical Supervisor, Postgraduate Program in Marriage and Couples Therapy, Derner Institute, Adelphi University and Michael D. Zentman, PhD, LCSW. Founder and Director, Postgraduate Program in Marriage and Couples Therapy, Derner Institute, Adelphi University

### **2 Meeting the Challenge of Working with Chronic Illness and Complicated Grief in Families**

Eleanore Rothenberg, PhD, LCSW, CGP, Founder and Clinical Director of The Sibling Center for Sisters & Brothers of People with Disabilities

### **3 “Something is Happening But You Don’t Know What It Is, Do you, Mr. Jones?”: The Hunger for Ecstatic Experience**

Sharon Klayman Farber, Ph.D. LCSW, Adjunct Faculty, New York University School of Social Work

### **4 Is it the Talking that Cures: An Exploration of the Role of Silence and Words in the Clinical Encounter**

Susan Pinco, PhD, LCSW-R, CCR, Advisory Board, CHADD NY

### **5 Working with Anxiety Dreams and Reactive Countertransference in this Time of Financial Crisis**

Roberta Ann Shechter DSW, Faculty, Supervisor and Training Analysis, The Institute of Postgraduate Psychoanalytic Society (IPPS)

### **6 Menopause Related Psychological Changes: Informing Bio-Psycho-Social-Cultural Assessments and Treatment Plan**

Ariane Sylva PhD, LCSW, membership in North American Menopause Society

### **7 A Three-Dimensional Approach to Understanding Bi-Polar Disorders of Childhood, Adolescence, and Adulthood.**

Paul Geltner, DSW, Director of Training at the Psychoanalytic Psychotherapy Study Center

### **8 The Insecure Bond: Attachment Anxiety and Abandonment Depression in the Everyday Life of Couples**

Hilary Ryglewicz, LCSW, ACSW, Supervisor and Adjunct Faculty, Training Institute for Mental Health, Couples and Group Program

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Advance Registration and Workshop Preferences due by April 24, 2009

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