

Faculty Researcher-in-Residence Open seminar: “Identifying lines of force and lines of flight”

Deleuze suggests that we can think of life as what happens in the moments when events take place. Here I shall speak to what constitutes an event. I shall also explain the very useful concept of lines of force and trace how they might shape events as they unfold. Lines of force are expressions of power in people's lives but Deleuze also makes room for other lines that sometimes make it possible to escape from the effects of power. These are referred to as lines of flight. The seminar will also explore how these concepts can be useful for reflecting upon therapeutic practice.

Date: 7 Dec 2016 (Wednesday)

Time: 3:30 - 5:30pm

Venue: AAB1038, 10/F Academic & Administration Building
Hong Kong Baptist University, Kowloon Tong



Guest Speaker:

Prof. John Winslade (PhD)

Associate of the Taos Institute, Professor at California State University San Bernardino

Prof. Winslade teaches counseling and until recently was the Associate Dean of the College of Education at CSUSB. He was previously for ten years at the University of Waikato in Hamilton, New Zealand. He has also taught narrative mediation at California State University Dominguez Hills and the Universitat Oberta de Catalunya. He contributes to the Dulwich Centre's new Masters degree in conjunction with the University of

Melbourne and is a regular contributor to the teaching programs of the DISPUK Institute in Denmark and Conrad Grebel College at the University of Waterloo in Canada.

John has co-authored ten books on narrative therapy, narrative mediation and multicultural counseling, as well as many articles and book chapters. He has been involved in the development of narrative practice into school counseling, grief counseling and conflict resolution. He is a founding editor of Narrative and Conflict, an online journal on narrative conflict resolution. His work is translated into Japanese, Korean, Chinese, Russian, Spanish, German and Danish. His background includes work as a school counselor, youth worker, family therapist and mediator. He is an experienced presenter who has taught narrative therapy and narrative mediation in North America, Europe, the Middle East, Asia and Australasia.

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