

New Jersey Society for Clinical Social Work Presents

A Barter To BE

Presented by Ona Lindquist, LCSW

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Date: Sunday, November 17, 2019

Time: 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Location: Jurist Research Center @ Hackensack University Medical Center
30 Prospect Ave, Hackensack, NJ 07601 (directions on next page)

Ona Lindquist will screen a 30 minute narrative film that she produced from her work with her patient Susan from 1996 to 2010, a fourteen year analysis. Susan could not afford to pay for such an intensive treatment, so she offered to barter her art. As the treatment unfolded, Susan requested that she be permitted to take photographs of Ona during sessions. Her photos and drawings are featured in Ona's film, *A Barter To Be*. The film traces the twists, turns, trials and tribulations of her sessions with Susan.

Ona was, as was her patient, an artist. Whereas the patient was a photographer prior to becoming a psychoanalyst (whose work was known to Ona before treatment began), Ona was famous for her art installations in NYC—and later 11 machines in 14 US cities--of *Objets Vend'art*, which evolved from a found object, a 1957 Vendo ice cream vending machine, and transformed into a performance art piece, eventually including over 100 guest artists. This commentary on consumer culture and the act of creating, selling, purchasing and acquiring was known to Susan well before the treatment began.

This program is as much about the clinical detail of a unique psychoanalysis as is it about having a full and diverse life, following one's passions and not being afraid to be unconventional...about a patient's realization of a fuller life and the clinician's living her life in multiple dimensions.

Ona writes: *"Determined from the beginning to live outside the usual analytic frame, my analysis challenged me to be the subject of her art, her muse and, de facto, her archivist. I agreed to her seductive challenge. In time, I accepted the resulting art as payment for my services. The exchange was her Barter to Be and became the framework of our analytic partnership. The analysis ended with her death from cancer, but the collaboration lives on through the legacy of her imagery and my impressionist reflections of the time we spent together. The resulting work conveys the complex love, hate, fear, trust and courage composing the story of her analysis and the art between us."*

Objectives:

1. Describe the paradigm shifts in how the therapeutic frame is conceived, amended and maintained during the course of a treatment.
2. Describe how the scope of psychotherapy practice considers events and circumstances outside of the consulting room.
3. Identify and define the theoretical concepts of resistance, enactment, transference, countertransference and internalization through the therapist's experiential use of these phenomena.
4. Critique and assess the meaning and value of the various forms of "exchange", both psychic and material, between patient and analyst.

Ona Lindquist, LCSW is a psychoanalyst and senior supervisor in private practice in New York. She has taught and supervised at the former Post Graduate Center for Mental Health, NYC, The Karen Horney Institute, and CAPA. In the 1980's, her project *Objets Vend'Art by Vendona* won her wide attention as a artist making and dispensing art for the masses.

To RSVP: Please email Jan Alderisio at jana6@optonline.net *9:30-11:00am- board meeting, all members welcome

Directions:

Jurist Research Center @ Hackensack Hospital
30 Prospect Ave, Hackensack, NJ 07601

The directions will take you to the main entrance. Park in the Essex Street Parking Garage (\$7 per car). Upon exiting the garage, walk directly across the main entrance to the David and Alice Jurist Research Building.

There is no need to go into the main lobby. Upon entering the Research building, take the elevator to the second floor and the conference room will be right off the elevator lobby. Please ignore the yellow arrow to Johnson Hall.

<http://www.hackensackumc.org/directions/>

From George Washington Bridge and East: Follow Route 80 West, staying in local lanes, to Exit 64B. Turn right at light onto Polifly Road. Travel north on Polifly Road. At second light, turn left onto Essex Street. At first light, turn right onto Prospect Avenue. Hackensack University Medical Center is on the right.

From Paterson Area and West: Follow Route 80 East, staying in local lanes to Exit 63B for Rochelle Park and Paramus. (Exit ramp sign says Exit 63) Turn left off exit ramp and turn right at light onto Essex Street. Follow Hospital signs. At sixth light, turn left onto Prospect Avenue. Hackensack University Medical Center is on the right.

Alternate directions for those traveling east on Essex Street from Lodi, Elmwood Park, and Saddle Brook: From Route 80 East – Take Exit #65 (Green Street, South Hackensack). Follow U-Turn signs to Rt. 80 West. Continue on Rt. 80 West to the Polifly Road, Hackensack Exit. Bear right at the bottom of the ramp and continue straight on Polifly Road until you reach the second traffic light which is Essex Street. Turn left onto Essex Street. Continue to Prospect Ave. and make a right at the traffic light. Hackensack University Medical Center is located at 30 Prospect Ave. The main entrance is on the right.

From Southern New Jersey on the N.J. Turnpike: Follow Route 95-N.J. Turnpike North to the junction of Route 80. Take 80 West and stay in lanes for "Local Exits" to exit 64B for Hasbrouck Heights and Newark. Turn right at light onto Polifly Road. Travel north on Polifly Road. At second light, turn left onto Essex Street. At first light, turn right onto Prospect Avenue. Hackensack University Medical Center is on the right.

From Northern New Jersey on Route 17: Follow Route 17 South to Essex Street exit. Turn left onto Essex Street. At fourth light, turn left onto Prospect Avenue. Hackensack University Medical Center is on the right.

From Southern New Jersey on Route 17: Follow Route 17 North to Polifly Road turnoff. Go under the Route 80 overpass and turn left at the second light onto Essex Street. Turn right at the first light onto Prospect Avenue. Hackensack University Medical Center is on the right.

From the Lincoln Tunnel: Take Route 3 West to Route 17 North to Essex Street exit. Turn right onto Essex Street. At fourth light, turn left onto Prospect Avenue. Hackensack University Medical Center is on the right.

From the Garden State Parkway

From the Garden State Parkway, either north or south, take Route 80 East. Follow directions above for Paterson and West.

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