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WBCP Cultural Competence Conference

Please join us as

**Special Guest: Filmmaker Jennifer Reeves,
Margarita Cereijido, PhD, Paula Ellman, PhD, David Joseph, MD, and Janice Lieberman, PhD**

Present

Misogyny Then and Now: Implications for Psychoanalytic Perspectives

Saturday, November 22, 2025 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

(3 CME/CEs)

Via Zoom*

Presentation:



Notions of the feminine and misogyny have changed significantly since the 1960s. These changes are reflected in how women perceive themselves and how they are understood and positioned in society.

In this conference, we discuss and compare the unconscious gender ideals and prejudices of the 1960s with those of today. We explore the evolution of the ethical treatment of women as well as developments in psychotherapy and psychoanalytic technique.

Our discussion is framed by the classic documentary *Approaches to Psychotherapy* (1964) which has recently been reimaged in a new film, *The Gloria of My Imagination* (2025), by the talented award-winning film-director Jennifer Reeves. In her film, Reeves explores the social context of Gloria's life.

The original film captured the work of three renowned figures—Carl Rogers, Fritz Perls, and Albert Ellis—in their sessions with Gloria, a newly divorced patient. For decades, it

served as a cornerstone in the training of psychology students worldwide.

Along with Reeves' reflections on her film through screening selected clips, Margarita Cereijido, Paula Ellman, Janice Lieberman and David Joseph present and discuss changing perspectives on femininity, misogyny, and psychoanalytic theory and technique followed by engagement with the audience. Attendees will have access to the complete film 2 weeks prior to the conference.

Presenters:

Special Guest: Jennifer Reeves, Award-winning Brooklyn filmmaker Jennifer Reeves has made over 25 film works, from avant-garde shorts to experimental features, and dual-projection film. Since 1992, Reeves' acclaimed work has screened extensively, from the Berlinale, Curtas Vila do Conde, Sundance and Science New Wave Film Festivals, to the Museum of Modern Art and numerous art cinemas and universities worldwide. Reeves has been a professor of Film and Animation at Cooper Union School of Art since 2005.

Margarita Cereijido, PhD, is a Training and Supervising Analyst at the Washington Baltimore Center for Psychoanalysis. She has written and taught on the areas of gender, culture, and prejudice. Publications include: *What Do Women Want Today?* (with Ellman and Goodman), Routledge May 2022 and *Changing Notions of the Feminine: Challenging the Psychoanalyst's Prejudices*, Karnac 2018. She is the North America Co-Chair of the Committee of Women and Psychoanalysis (COWAP) at the International Psychoanalytic Association and the Co-Chair of the Committee of Women and Girls of the American Psychoanalytic Association. She is in private practice in Washington, D.C.

Paula L. Ellman, PhD, ABPP, is a training and supervising analyst, and faculty in the Contemporary Freudian Society, Washington DC and the Washington Baltimore Center for Psychoanalysis. She recently completed her second term serving on the IPA Board as North America Representative and founded and serves as the Editorial Chair of the Committee on Women and Psychoanalysis Book Series Editorial Board. She is past Overall Chair of the IPA Committee on Women and Psychoanalysis, and past Chair of the IPA Intercommittee Work Group on Prejudice and Race. She is on the Editorial Board of the International Journal of Psychoanalysis and is a Visiting Professor at the Sino-American Continuing Training Project for Wuhan Hospital for Psychotherapy, Wuhan China. She has written and presented in the areas of unconscious fantasy, women, gender & culture, illness in the analyst, sadomasochism, enactment and terror. Her books include: *Psychoanalytic Exploration of What Women Want Today*, co-edited with Margarita Cereijido and Nancy Goodman. London: Routledge Press, 2022. *Women's Safety in Dogmatic Times: Psychoanalytic and Interdisciplinary Perspectives on India*, co-edited with Jhuma Basak and Gertraud Schlesinger-Kipp. London: Routledge Press: expected 2021.

The Plumsock Papers: Giving New Analysts a Voice, coedited by Paula Elman & Kimberly Kleinman, New York: International Psychoanalysis Books:

2020. *Finding Unconscious Fantasy in Narrative, Trauma and Body Pain: A Clinical Guide*, co-edited by Paula Ellman & Nancy Goodman. London: Routledge Press. 2017. *The Courage to Fight Violence against Women: A Psychoanalytic and Multidisciplinary Approach*, co-edited by Paula Ellman, Ph.D. Nancy Goodman, London: Karnac Press. 2017. *Battling the Life and Death Forces of Sadomasochism: Clinical Perspectives* co-edited by Harriet Basseches, Ph.D., Paula Ellman, Ph.D. and Nancy Goodman, London: Karnac, 2013. She has a private practice in psychotherapy and psychoanalysis in North Bethesda, Maryland.

David Joseph, MD: Supervising and training analyst. Former chair of institute council and chair of board of Washington Baltimore center for psychoanalysis. Clinical professor George Washington department of psychiatry and behavioral sciences. Author of "listening for a lifetime I: The Artful Science of psychotherapy"

Janice Lieberman, PhD is a Training and Supervising Analyst and Faculty Member at the Institute for Psychoanalytic Training and Research in New York. She has written three books: *The Many Faces of Deceit: Omissions, Lies and Disguise in Psychotherapy* (with Helen Gediman); *Body Talk: Looking and Being Looked at in Psychotherapy*; and *Clinical Evolutions on the Superego, Body and Gender in Psychoanalysis*. She has authored numerous articles and presentations on topics of gender, working with single women over 30, greed, body narcissism, and the relationship between psychoanalysis and art. Her work has appeared in many panels and books sponsored by COWAP. She is in private practice in New York City.

Objectives:

1. Participants will be able to identify two differences between women's ideals in the sixties and today.
2. Participants will be able to describe changes in the ethical treatment of women between the sixties and today.
3. Participants will be able to compare psychoanalytic prejudices about women in the sixties and today.

References:

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