



Sunday 18th SEPTEMBER

8:30am – 12:30pm	Workshop 1: PROLONGED EXPOSURE (PE) THERAPY FOR ADULTS WITH PTSD Led by: Barbara Rothbaum , Professor of Psychiatry and Behavioural Sciences, Emory University School of Medicine, Atlanta, GA, <i>USA</i>
12:30 – 1:00pm	Lunch
1:00 – 5:00pm	Workshop 2: TRAUMA FOCUSED COGNITIVE BEHAVIOURAL THERAPY (TFCBT) FOR CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS WITH PTSD Led by: Tine Jensen , Professor, Department of Psychology, University of Oslo, & Senior Researcher, Norwegian Center on Violence and Traumatic Stress Studies, Oslo, <i>Norway</i>
5:00pm	End of workshops
6:45pm	Opening session and conference dinner (special guest speaker TBA) Introduction: Ron Finkel , President, Hadassah Australia, Member, Organizing Committee, Australia Guest Speaker: Meir Shalev , Author and Publicist, Israel
Monday 19th SEPTEMBER	
8:30 – 9:00am	WELCOME TO CONFERENCE David Forbes , Director, Phoenix Australia-Centre for Posttraumatic Mental, University of Melbourne, Conference Co-chair, <i>Australia</i>
9:00 – 10:30am	Keynote and Invited Speakers: INTERVENTIONS FOR REFUGEES AND SURVIVORS OF ONGOING CONFLICT Chair: David Forbes , <i>Australia</i>
9:00-10:00	INNOVATIONS IN INTERVENTIONS FOR REFUGEES AND DISPLACED PERSONS: THE WHO INTERVENTION TRIALS <i>Keynote Speaker</i> Richard Bryant , Professor of Psychology, University of New South Wales, Sydney, <i>Australia</i>
10:00-10:30	THE PALESTINIAN ISRAELI ENCOUNTER: THE CASE OF THE BINATIONAL SCHOOL OF PSYCHOTHERAPY Shafiq Masalha Clinical Psychotherapist; President of ERICE (Empowerment and Resilience In Children Everywhere); Senior Academic Lecturer, Tel Aviv University & Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, <i>Israel</i> Esti Galili-Weisstub Director, Child and Adolescent Psychiatry Unit, Department of Psychiatry, Hadassah Medical Center, Jerusalem, <i>Israel</i>
10:30-11:00am	Morning tea

11:00 – 12:30pm	Parallel session 1A	Parallel session 1B	Parallel session 1C	Parallel session 1D
	<i>Symposium – Trauma in refugees, displaced people and war-affected populations</i>	<i>Free papers – Trauma support programs, services and resources</i>	<i>Free papers – Childhood trauma and mental health</i>	<i>Free papers – COVID-19 and mental health in the workforce</i>
	Chair: David Forbes , Australia	Chair: Meaghan O'Donnell , Australia	Chair: Yair Bar-Haim , Israel	Chair: Abraham Rudnick , Canada
	Clinical profiles and interventions for Syrian refugees in Turkey			
11:00	(11:00-11:18) Cengiz Kılıç , Turkey Mental Health Profile of Syrian refugees in Turkey	Meaghan O'Donnell , Australia Early Intervention for distress following trauma: The Skills for Life Adjustment and Resilience (SOLAR) Program	George Rhoades , USA Understanding, Assessment and Treatment of Commercially Sexually Exploited Children (CSEC)	Abraham Rudnick , Canada Outcomes and their predictors of mental health care for adults with operational stress injuries in Nova Scotia
11:15	(11:18-11:36) Ceren Acartürk , Turkey Prevention of mental health disorders among Syrian refugees in Turkey: A WHO self-help psychological intervention Self Help Plus (SH+)	Idit Albert , UK Proactive Outreach and Screen Psychological Support Programme following London Terror Incidents 2017-2019	Julia Ditzer , USA Childhood maltreatment and alexithymia: A meta-analysis	Shulamit Grinapol , Israel Medical social workers during a pandemic outbreak. Assessing and promoting mental well-being among medical social workers
11:30	(11:36-11:54) Vahdet Gormez , Turkey Mental health problems of refugee children and adolescents in Turkey and building individual and family-based low intensity psychosocial support systems	Reut Sher , Israel Combined Eating Disorders and Trauma focused Day-care Program for Adult Israeli Women: Accumulated Clinical Experience and Preliminary Empirical data	Eileen Y. Wong , USA Abuse and affection: Implications of parenting on perceived control in adulthood	Sandra M Hacker , Australia The Impact of COVID-19 on the Australian Entertainment Industry
	Trauma mechanisms and interventions in refugee, migrant and war-affected populations			
11:45	(11:54-12:09) Adi Barak , Israel Bereavement in political conflict: Ideological meaning-making and dialogue in the aftermath of traumatic loss	Naomi Baum , Israel A Community Mental Health Tool for Our Times: My COVID-19 Resilience Workbook	Discussion	Tamar Lavi , Israel The cost of being concurrently concerned and committed. Shared traumatic reality during the COVID-19 outbreak and its psychological consequences for social workers
12:00	(12:09-12:24) Milena Mutafchieva , Bulgaria Evidence-Based-Trauma-Stabilisation Project: Innovative Approach for Work with Refugee, Asylum Seeking, and Immigrant Families	Discussion		Abraham Rudnick , Canada Rapidly shifting to remotely delivered mental health services for adults with operational stress injuries in Canada during the COVID-19 pandemic
12:15	(12:24-12:30) Discussion			Discussion

12:30 – 1:30pm	Lunch			
1:30 – 3:00pm	Parallel session 2A	Parallel session 2B	Parallel session 2C	Parallel session 2D
	<i>Free papers – Military mental health</i>	<i>Free papers – Impacts of COVID-19 and other trauma on mental health</i>	<i>Free papers – Trauma in refugees, displaced people and war-affected populations</i>	<i>Free papers – Mechanisms of symptomatology and treatment</i>
	Chair: Dominic Murphy, UK	Chair: Grant Blashki, Australia	Chair: Omer Bonne, Israel	Chair: Tony McHugh, Australia
1:30	Lisa Dell, Australia <i>Presented by David Forbes, Australia</i> Identification and management of subthreshold mental health symptoms in military members: The perspective of military health service providers and Australian Defence Force members	Shira Pagorek Eshel, Israel Social factors and COVID-19-related resource loss and their association with depression and anxiety among Arabs in Israel	Michal Finkelstein, Israel Migration, posttraumatic responses, and resilience among adolescent refugees in Germany: A pilot study	Tony McHugh, Australia Anger in PTSD: the role of visual imagery
1:45	Tova Lewin, USA Three latent classes of traumatic symptoms in a large sample of military personnel and their distinct relationships to trauma exposure and clinical symptoms	Adi Mana, Israel Individual and national coping resources and their relationships with mental health and anxiety during the Coronavirus pandemic: international and longitudinal studies	Daphna Yeshua-Katz, Israel Mobile technologies as coping resources of parents residing in conflict-affected communities: Empirical evaluation and theory development	Jessica Eve Bendheim, Israel Personal Digital Phenotyping in Adults with Posttraumatic Stress Disorder
2:00	Dominic Murphy, UK A longitudinal survey of UK veterans with pre-existing mental health difficulties: mental health during the COVID-19 pandemic	Deborah Morris, UK Trauma and wellbeing profiles of healthcare professionals in psychiatric services in the UK: Implications and recommendations	Milena Mutafchieva, Bulgaria Impact Evaluation of the Evidence-Based Trauma Stabilisation Programme for Refugees, Asylum Seeking, and Immigrant Families	William Foreman, USA False-Sense-of-Self as Nexus of Complex-PTSD and Offending Behavior in a Prison Population
2:15	Ariel Ezra, Israel Mental Health and Personal Growth in the Transition to Military Service: The Importance of Cognitive Appraisal and Motivation	Yael Mazor, Israel Posttraumatic growth in people with serious mental illness and psychosis	Irit Felsen, USA Psychological Reactions of offspring of Holocaust survivors during the COVID-19 pandemic and the convergent socio-political crises in the USA	Naomi Fine, Israel Reduced Emotion Regulatory Selection Flexibility in Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder: Converging Performance-Based Evidence from two PTSD populations
2:30	Limor Zitronblat, Israel "The two are better than the one" – the contribution of dyadic coping to the marital satisfaction of the combat commander and his wife	Discussion	Marco Walg, Germany The proportion of substance abuse in unaccompanied minor refugees in Germany – a pilot study	Juris Porozovs, Latvia Relationship between motor skills and psychophysiological parameters in adolescents with mild intellectual impairment
2:45	Discussion		Discussion	Jasmine Spiegel, Israel Countertransference and social trauma - A microanalysis of videographed testimonies of the Shoah
3:00 – 3:30pm	Afternoon tea			

3:30 – 5:00pm	Parallel session 3A	Parallel session 3B	Parallel session 3C	Parallel session 3D
	<i>Symposium – Moral injury</i>	<i>Symposium – Impacts of trauma 1</i>	<i>Symposium – Impacts of trauma 2</i>	<i>Symposium – Impacts of trauma 3</i>
	Chair: Talya Greene, Israel	Chair: Yael Lahav, Israel	Chair: Noga Tsur, Israel	Chair: Einat Levy-Gigi, Israel
	New insights into moral injury: COVID and beyond	Distress among Survivors of Intimate Partner Violence - The Role of Psychological Violence and Identification with the Aggressor	The imprints of traumatic experiences on the body: Exploring subjectivity, mentalization, orientation to bodily signals and sexuality following trauma	Repeated exposure to different types of stressors and its consequences
3:30	Idit Albert, UK A large-scale comprehensive wellbeing and mental health programme for England's health and care staff	Yael Lahav, Israel Distress among Survivors of Intimate Partner Violence - The Role of Psychological Violence and Identification with the Aggressor	Rotem Gev Segal, Israel Subjectivity in the shadow of trauma: The relationships between childhood sexual abuse, self-objectification, sexual subjectivity and sexual assertiveness	Alla Hemi, Israel Longitudinal trajectories of anxiety and depression following repeated stress exposure during COVID-19
3:45	Neil Greenberg, UK Moral injury in healthcare workers during the COVID 19 pandemic	Sarah Bøgelund Dokkedahl, Denmark The complex trauma of psychological partner violence and its effect on mental health	Rachel Hasson, Israel How do childhood experiences of abuse color men's later sexuality? And what role do self-construal orientations play in this dynamic?	Roy Azoulay, Israel A Symptoms-network Approach for Comparing Physical and Social Traumatic Events
4:00	Talya Greene, Israel Preventing non-military occupational moral injury	Alana Siegel, Israel Intimate partner violence and guilt: The moderating role of identification with the aggressor	Shani Shaked, Israel The links between trauma, mentalization, and catastrophic cognitions towards pain	Marie Roxanne Sopp, Germany The Impact of Trauma on Updating and Potential Implications for the Development of PTSD Symptoms
4:15	Dominic Murphy, UK Piloting a new treatment for Moral Injury in veterans with PTSD	Yael Lahav, Israel Trauma-related Distress and Depressive symptoms in light of Intimate Partner Violence – The Role of Bonding with the Aggressor	Ada Talmon, Israel Posttraumatic orientation to bodily signals following child maltreatment: The mediating role of attachment and complex posttraumatic stress disorder	Moshe Zeidner, Israel Childhood Exposure to Terror Attack and Resilience and Post-traumatic Growth in Adulthood
		Interventions for survivors of sexual trauma		
4:30	Mark Layson, Australia Trauma and adversity in the workplace: Moral injury considerations for psychosocial safety	Edna Ludmir, Israel Treatment of Adult Israeli Childhood Sexual Abuse Female Survivors: Effectiveness of Treatment on Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder, Dissociation and Mental Health in Relation to Level of Religiosity	Inbal Brenner, Israel Postpartum Posttraumatic Stress Disorder and Emotional Adjustment to Motherhood in Adult Survivors of Childhood Trauma: A Prospective Study	Agnieszka Widera-Wysoczanska, Poland Health problems of childhood complex trauma survivors throughout the lifespan
4:45	Victoria Williamson, UK Experiences and impact of moral injury in UK veterinary professional wellbeing	Lior Aviel Perez, Israel Supported Housing for Women with Psychosocial Disabilities and Sexual Trauma	Discussion	Discussion

5:00 – 6:00pm					
TRAUMA, THE COVID PANDEMIC AND ADVERSITY ACROSS THE UK Chair: Richard Bryant, Australia Keynote Speaker Simon Wessely, Professor of Psychological Medicine and Psychiatry, King's College, London					
6:00pm – 7:00pm					
Poster Session – Rooftop Drinks					
	Monitor 1	Monitor 2	Monitor 3	Monitor 4	Monitor 5
6:00	Orr Shahar, Israel Effect of psilocybin on fear conditioning and extinction in a pre-clinical model: Implications for the treatment of PTSD	Micah Zylstra, USA The Impact of Loneliness and Spirituality on Suicidal Behavior in Young Adults During COVID-19 Pandemic	Deborah Morris, UK Elevated distress and risk, and reduced quality of life in women with comorbid Complex PTSD and Emotionally Unstable Personality Disorder	Sarit Alkalay, Israel Increased empathy and helping behavior toward the mother in adult daughters of Holocaust survivors	Sarit Alkalay, Israel The association between school staff's coping strategies following a student's suicide, school climate, and previous experience of suicide
6:10	Hannah Gutmann, Australia The Influence of FKBP5 on Flash-Forward Intrusions in The Context of COVID-19	Ronald Lichtenberg, Netherlands Nursing clinical reasoning process in patients with a (risk of) post trauma syndrome	Gabriella Bentley, Israel Fear of Cancer Recurrence in Breast Cancer: A Moderated Serial Mediation Analysis of a Prospective International Study	Anna R Hudson, Belgium Childhood emotional abuse is uniquely related to spontaneous mentalising in women: A network approach	George Rhoades, USA Application of Trauma Counseling Module for Traumatized Populations in Haiti & Southern Sudan
6:20	Hannah Gutmann, Australia Pattern Separation and Pattern Completion in PTSD	Ariel Ezral, Israel Integrating Trauma-Informed Supervision into Recovery-Oriented Supervision in Times of Shared Traumatic Reality - COVID-19	Andrew Adler, USA Kurdish in Nashville: A Cultural Legacy of Trauma and Adversity	William Foreman, USA Personal Transformation: Emerging Integrity in a Prison Population	Daphne Alroy-Thiberge, USA The Art and Science of Trauma Informed Care
6:30	Rachel Oren, Israel Reclaiming peaceful embodiment in the aftermath of complex trauma: The role and contribution of Trauma Sensitive Yoga towards whole-person recovery	Gary Quinn, Israel Self-Care Procedure for Coronavirus	Christina Comely, Australia Faith in Therapy: a practitioner's experience of using Religiously-integrated Cognitive Behavioural Therapy (RCBT) for Jewish and Christian clients	Neta Galamidi, Israel Coping with a Family Member with Mental Illness – Trauma-Oriented Services for Family Members in Enosh Milam Support Centers in Israel	Eleanor Avinor, Israel Comparing Coping with Trauma via two methods (therapy picture cards with guiding questions vs. online application)
6:40	Sima Amram-Vaknin, Israel Emotional Distress and Coping during the COVID-19 Lockdown	Ruth Wiñar, Israel "Twenty Years After" – A case study	Shir Galan, Israel Dummies guide to Building a crisis management team in a peripheral hospital: Building a multidisciplinary Resilience Hospital Team (RHT) amidst a worldwide COVID-19 pandemic	Olya Hakobyan, Germany Introducing the data donation platform Dona: harnessing messenger data to measure social interactions for mental health	Danielle Warzager, Israel Studying a drama therapy program for reducing toxic stress with refugee children in an elementary school in Israel
6:50	Edith Friesen, Germany Effects of Sleep-Directed Hypnosis on Fear Extinction Retention in the	Samuel Nayman, USA Trauma-Informed Wellness Coaching: Staying Within the Ethical Bounds of Practice While	Tom van Hengel, Netherlands Clients with a post traumatic stress disorder and shared decision making		

TUESDAY 20h SEPTEMBER

8:45 – 9:00am	WELCOME AND RECAP David Forbes , Director, Phoenix Australia-Centre for Posttraumatic Mental, University of Melbourne, Conference Co-chair, <i>Australia</i>
9:00 – 10:30am	<i>Keynote and Invited Speakers: INNOVATIONS IN THE TREATMENT OF PTSD</i> Chair: Meaghan O'Donnell , <i>Australia</i>
9:00-10:00	PSYCHOLOGICAL, PHARMACOLOGICAL AND TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATIONS IN THE TREATMENT OF PTSD <i>Keynote Speaker</i> Barbara Rothbaum , Professor of Psychiatry and Behavioural Sciences Emory University, School of Medicine, Atlanta, GA, <i>USA</i>
10:00-10:30	CANNABIS IN PTSD – MYTH OR REALITY Omer Bonne Head, Department of Psychiatry, Hadassah Medical Center, Jerusalem, <i>Israel</i> PTSD – A DISORDER OF AN EPISODIC MEMORY? Yair Bar Haim Director, Center for Development and Psychopathology, and the Laboratory for Research on Anxiety and Trauma, Tel Aviv University, Tel Aviv, <i>Israel</i>
10:30 – 11:00am	Morning tea
11:00am – 12:30pm	Keynote and Discussion Panel: MDMA-ASSISTED THERAPIES AND THE HEALING OF TRAUMA Chair: Richard Bryant , <i>Australia</i>
11:00 – 11:45am	MDMA-ASSISTED THERAPIES AND THE HEALING OF TRAUMA: INDIVIDUAL, COMMUNAL, MULTIGENERATIONAL <i>Keynote Speaker</i> Rick Doblin , Founder and Executive Director of Multidisciplinary Association for Psychedelic Studies, <i>USA</i>
11:45am – 12:30pm	<i>Discussion panel: MDMA and psychedelic-assisted therapies and the healing of trauma</i> <i>Panelists: Barbara Rothbaum, Omer Bonne, Meaghan O'Donnell, Yair Bar Haim</i>
12:30 – 1:30pm	Lunch
1:30 – 3:00pm	Keynote and Invited Speakers: INNOVATIONS IN THE TREATMENT OF CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS WITH PTSD Chair: Esti Galili-Weisstub , <i>Israel</i>
1:30 – 2:30pm	TREATMENT OF CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENTS WITH PTSD: WHERE ARE WE AT? <i>Keynote Speaker</i> Tine Jensen , Professor, Department of Psychology, University of Oslo, & Senior Researcher, Norwegian Center on Violence and Traumatic Stress Studies, Oslo, <i>Norway</i> TOPIC TBA
2:30 – 3:00pm	<i>Invited Speaker</i> Ruth Feldman , Professor of Developmental Social Neuroscience, Reichman University, Herzlia, <i>Israel</i>
3:00 – 3:30pm	Afternoon tea

3:30 – 4:30pm	Parallel session 4A	Parallel session 4B	Parallel session 4C	Parallel session 4D
	<i>Symposium – Innovations in treatment</i>	<i>Symposium – Moral injury and mental health in the military</i>	<i>Symposium – Mental health in war-affected populations</i>	<i>Symposium – The impact of Israeli traumas on the individual, the family and society</i>
	Chair: Yair Bar-Haim, Israel	Chair: Gadi Zerach, Israel	Chair: Telja Schmidt, Germany	Chair: Danny Brom, Israel
	Innovations in Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy in trauma and COVID-19 related mental and neurological disorders	Moral Injury and its Psychopathological Consequences among Israeli and Australian Combatants: A Cross-Cultural Perspective	Building bridges between mental health needs and support of war-affected populations	Walking away from the battlefield: Understanding and processing with military experiences
3:30	Shai Efrati, Israel Hyperbaric oxygen therapy for neurocognitive and psychiatric symptoms of post-COVID-19 condition (long COVID)	Lisa Dell, Australia <i>Presented by David Forbes, Australia</i> Exploration of the association between moral injury and psychosocial outcomes in military members	Jasmin Wittmann, Germany Mental health of displaced children and adolescents living in a refugee camp in Kurdistan, Iraq – Risk- and protective factors	(3:30-3:42) Anna Harwood-Gross, Israel The face of trauma amongst Israeli veterans in the community
3:45	Keren Doenyas-Barak, Israel Hyperbaric oxygen therapy for treatment-resistant PTSD	Gadi Zerach, Israel Prospective Associations between Psychological Protective Factors, Potentially Morally Injurious Events and Psychiatric Symptoms among Israeli Combatants: The Role of Ethical Preparation and Ethical Leadership	Telja Schmidt, Germany 'Welcome, how are you doing?' - Introducing a screening instrument for identifying acute mental illnesses among newly arrived asylum-seekers and refugees in Germany	(3:42-3:54) Alon Weltman, Israel Peace of Mind: Promoting psychological growth and reducing the suffering of combat veterans
4:00	Shai Efrati, Israel The neuroplasticity effect of Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy and its use for neurological and psychiatric disorders Anger as a treatment mechanism in PTSD	Yossi Levi-Belz, Israel Moral Injury, Personal and Psychological Characteristics as Contributors to Psychiatric Symptomatology Among Soldiers: A Two-Year Prospective Study	Sina Neldner, Germany Psychotherapeutic treatment of traumatized young refugees – feasibility of the randomized-controlled trial YOURTREAT in times of COVID-19	(3:54-4:06) Efrat Sher-Censor, Israel The effects of adverse childhood experiences on mother-infant interactions and infant development: The "Orim" national early intervention project in Israel
4:15	Tony McHugh, Australia Anger in PTSD: increasing treatment efficacy	Discussion	Lars Dumke, Germany Othering refugees: Psychotherapists' attitudes toward patients with and without refugee background	(4:06-4:18) Michelle Vayngrib, Israel Differentiating Moral Injury and PTSD via the unique relationship with System Justification 4:18 Discussion
4:30 – 5:15pm	Panel Discussion: TRANSLATION OF INNOVATION INTO PRACTICE: CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES Chair: David Forbes, Australia Panel Members: Yair Bar Haim, Barbara Rothbaum, Richard Bryant, Tine Jensen, Meaghan O'Donnell			
5:15 – 5:30pm	Closing address David Forbes, Director, Phoenix Australia-Centre for Posttraumatic Mental, University of Melbourne, Conference Co-chair, Australia			

Legend

Auditorium
King David Hotel
Roof Top
Irene Hall
Sophia Hall
Grill Room