



**International
Congress
25 – 28 April 2024
in Vienna**

PSYCHODRAMA around the world

In honor of

Jakob Levy Moreno (1889–1974)

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Jakob Levy Moreno and his legacy: 50 years after his death we honor his extraordinary work and its impact on modern psychotherapy through a variety of lectures and workshops. International experts will share their experiences and present the current state of practice and research in the field. Together we carry his vision forward and take his groundbreaking ideas into the future.

Thursday 25 April 2024

1 pm

Welcome

Registration and Sparkling Wine Reception

2 pm

Opening

German & English

Manfred Stelzig

Head of the Psychodrama Section in the Austrian Association of Group Therapy and Group Dynamics (ÖAGG)

Karin Zajec

General Secretary of the Austrian Association of Group Therapy and Group Dynamics (ÖAGG)

Barbara Haid

President of the Austrian Federal Association of Psychotherapy (ÖBVP)

2:30 pm – 6:30 pm

Lectures

German & English

Chairs: **Doris Nowak-Schuh, Thomas Sageder**

Heloisa Fleury

President of the International Association for Group Psychotherapy and Group Processes (IAGP)
The Future of Psychodrama on a Global Scale

Manfred Stelzig

The Genesis of the World Congress and Appreciation of the Life's Work of **Gretel Leutz**

Break

Jonathan Moreno

Impromptu Man: JL Moreno and the Origins of Psychodrama, Encounter Culture, and the Social Network

Christoph Hutter

The Creative Circle

Karoline Hochreiter

Development of Psychodrama in Austria

7:30 pm

Evening Programme

Gala Diner – Twin Towers 35

Musical Indulgence

by Lies-Marie and David Hauser

Friday 26 April 2024

9 am – 1 pm

Lectures

German & English

Chairs: **Monika Wicher, Manfred Stelzig**

René F. Marineau

Who Shall Survive 2.0

Michael Schacht

Moreno's Work from a Theoretical Perspective—Legacy and Challenge

Joseph Moreno

In Memoriam: The History and Contributions to Psychodrama of William L. Moreno / The History of Music Therapy as a Part of the Creative Arts Therapies Including Art, Dance and Drama

Break

Susanne Kunz-Mehlstaub

Psychodrama in the Clinical Setting

Sue Daniel

In 'The Moment'

Lunch Break

3 pm – 6:30 pm

Workshops

Registration is required

English: Sue Daniel / Rene Marineau / Christine Pichlhöfer & Ioanna Psalti
German: Ursula Hauser / Jutta Heppekausen / Sonja Hintermeier / Manuela Hofer-Hartnig & Wolfgang Hofer / Christoph Hutter / Susanne Kunz-Mehlstaub / Kristin Scharfetter / Sabine Spitzer-Prochazka / Christian Stadler & Andrea Meents / Annick Wagner

8:30 pm

Evening Programme

Starting on time

"A hat for Moreno"

MoMu Teatro from Turin

Saturday 27 April 2024

9 am – 1 pm

Lectures

Chairs: **Sabine Kern, David Mayrhofer**

Roger Schaller

Psychodrama, Creativity and Ethics

Monika Wicher

Psychodrama with Children and Adolescents

Christian Stadler

From the Measured ACTUAL to the Desired TARGET

Break

Katharina Novy

Psychodrama and Sociodrama in Political Adult Education

Michael Wieser

Psychodrama Research: Milestones in 100 Years

Manfred Stelzig

Summary and Words of Thanks

Lunch Break

3 am – 6:30 pm

Workshops

Registration is required

English: Jacomien Ilbrink-de Visser / Orsolya Lelkes / Joseph Moreno / Michael Wieser
German: Agnes Blahacek & Markus Reisinger / Sabine Kern / Benjamin Lechner & Bernd Kühbauer / Doris Nowak-Schuh / Michael Schacht / Roger Schaller / Manfred Stelzig / Gerda Trinkel / Monika Wicher

8 pm – 11 pm

Evening Programme

Dance at Palais Berg!

Dancing evening with DJs

Sunday 28 April 2024

10 am **Joint Meeting in Front of Palais Berg**

Joint Excursion with Michael Wieser

To the memorial sites and to Bad Vöslau to the Moreno House

Bike Tour with Sabine Kern

Augarten / Maysedergasse / Moreno's grave of honour in the central cemetery

Workshops

English:

Sue Daniel

Role Theory in Action

Jacomien Ilbrink-de Visser

Working in the International Field:
A Sociometric/Sociodramatic Exploration

Orsolya Lelkes

Psychodrama as a Laboratory for a
"Flourishing Life"

René F. Marineau

Who Shall Survive 2.0

Joseph Moreno

Music Therapy and the Blues

Christine Pichlhöfer & Ioanna Psalti

Moreno's Trigger of Creativity in the Encounter

Michael Wieser

Palliative Psychodrama

German:

Agnes Blahacek & Markus Reisinger

Psychodrama_Lab: Visions of the Future
between Dystopia and Utopia

Ursula Hauser

Outer and Inner Migration Processes

Jutta Heppekausen & Julia Solovieva

"The City with Jews"—Sociodrama on
Anti-Semitism

Sonja Hintermeier

Personality Disorders

Manuela Hofer-Hartnig & Wolfgang Hofer

Psychodrama (techniques) in Sex and
Couple Therapy

Christoph Hutter

The Creative Circle

Sabine Kern

Monodrama

Susanne Kunz Mehlstaub

Eating Disorder

Benjamin Lechner & Bernd Kühbauer

Psychodrama Psychotherapy with
Adolescents and Young Adults in a
Forensic Context

Doris Nowak-Schuh

Psychodramatic Supervision

Michael Schacht

I am Many (Roles)—What Keeps Me/Us
Together?

Roger Schaller

How Creativity Becomes Possible in the
Individual Setting

Kristin Scharfetter

Trauma-sensitive and Trauma-competent
Psychodrama

Sabine Spitzer-Prochazka

Psychodrama and Writing: Power and
Creativity in a Double Pack!

Christian Stadler & Andrea Meents

Couple Therapy—Disturbing Relationships

Manfred Stelzig

Psychosomatic

Gerda Trinkel

Psychodramatic Group Psychotherapy in
the Outpatient Setting

Annick Wagner

Shaping the Big Change with Joanna Macy
and Jacob Levy Moreno.

Monika Wicher

Psychodrama with Children and Adolescents

Locations

Lectures & Workshops:
Workshops:

Palais Berg, Schwarzenbergplatz 3, 1010 Vienna
Twin Towers Wienerberg, Wienerbergstraße 11, 1100 Vienna

Registration and Information

Registration for the congress takes place exclusively via the registration form:
www.psychodrama-austria.at/psychodrama-around-the-world

Attention—the number of participants is limited! Available spots will be assigned via “first-come-first-serve” after online registration and receipt of payment.

The lectures and workshops will be held either in German or English. For the lectures there will be the offer of real time translation into the other language. The workshops will not be translated.

There will be a live stream of all lectures and recordings available afterwards on the congress media library. A paid registration is required.

Conference Fees

	Early bird fee ¹	Regular fee ²
4-day pass	EUR 310,-	EUR 350,-
4-day pass for members of the ÖAGG	EUR 260,-	EUR 300,-
4-day pass for students	EUR 160,-	EUR 210,-
Pro Workshop additional ³		EUR 40,-
4-day pass for people from low-income countries ⁴	EUR 50,-	
Access to live streams and online media library ³		EUR 160,-

¹ Deposit until January 1st 2024

² Deposit from February 1st 2024

³ Registration is required

⁴ On request, by January 1st 2024, we ask for a short written justification

Accreditation

As part of the Diploma Continuing Education Programme of the Austrian Chamber of Physicians:

Congress participation / lectures: 14 medical DFP-points (applied)
per workshop: 5 medical DFP-points (applied)

Advanced training for psychotherapists

Congress participation / lectures: 14 AE
per workshop: 5 AE

For psychodrama students

1 workshop is creditable as elective seminar for the degree

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