



Ukrainian Umbrella
Association of Psychotherapy



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Registration for the UUP and EAP Joint Symposium on Ethics, February 24th 2023

UUP and EAP are pleased to announce a Symposium on Psychotherapy Ethics on Friday February 24th 2023, which is the anniversary of the invasion of Ukraine.

This is a free event open to Psychotherapists, and it is necessary for you to register if you wish to attend the Symposium. The Symposium is taking place on a sensitive date and during a time of violent conflict, which inevitably adds to the challenges presented for the Symposium discourse. This event builds on the World Council for Psychotherapy Statement regarding the invasion of Ukraine⁽¹⁾, which was adopted by EAP. UUP and EAP respectfully request that everybody attending this event will conduct themselves in a considerate and respectful manner. We welcome to the Symposium Psychotherapists who unequivocally support the World Council for Psychotherapy Statement. In addition we reserve the right to act in response to any disruptive or inappropriate conduct.

Please provide the following information for registration:

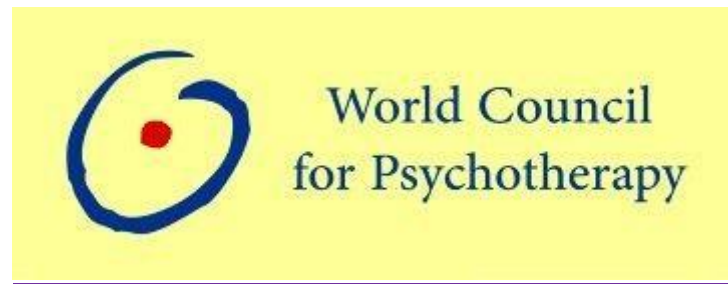
Full name	
Email address	
Accrediting Psychotherapy Organisation	
Languages: English	
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Country of residence	

Declaration:

I confirm that I wish to attend the UUP and EAP Symposium on Ethics on February 24th 2023, and that I will conduct myself in a considerate and respectful manner during the Symposium.

Signed

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STATEMENT FROM THE WORLD COUNCIL FOR PSYCHOTHERAPY
TO THE RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT

The World Council for Psychotherapy calls upon the Russian Government to immediately cease the invasion of Ukraine; stop the war; respect the law of nations; and bring back all Russian troops and weapons to their home country.

It is our view as Psychotherapists that a military invasion never solves problems, and never achieves its intended aims. Instead it creates immense damage, and causes destruction on many levels which can reverberate through the generations. This includes the personal suffering and deep trauma of both families and individuals at somatic, mental and emotional levels. Psychotherapists are committed to peaceful negotiation, dialogue and debate in conflict resolution, and we condemn war and violence. We call upon the Russian Government to stop the war, and establish peace through diplomacy in a thoughtful and mutually respectful manner.

We hope that the highest principles of the human spirit will prevail, and with all our hearts we wish that a resolution can be found which will restore freedom.

This Statement from WCP was submitted to the Russian Government in February 2022.