

Editors' Introduction

The present volume n. 8 of the International Psychoanalytic Annual that will be issued at the end of May 2016 includes a selection of papers that appeared in *The International Psychoanalytic Journal of Psychoanalysis* in 2012 and 2013. The choice to select papers which were published over a two-year time span is due to practical reasons, that is, to the need to make up for a delay in publication.

Those who are already acquainted with the Italian Annual most probably know that similar annuals aim at providing the opportunity to read – in one's native language – remarkable papers expressing the multi-faceted, contemporary, international psychoanalytic culture. By offering an accurate translation of these texts, subtle shades of meaning and delicate, rich nuances are given full expression and can therefore be thoroughly appreciated both by readers who do belong to the English-speaking subscribers' community and by readers wishing to gain access to international psychoanalytic texts in their own language.

The selected papers are very much in line with the editorial choices characterizing the previous issues, our preference being given to clinical contributions by international authors. It is our aim to offer an overview of papers from different geographical and cultural areas displaying the peculiar working models that are typical of those very areas. In fact, we believe that – while leafing through this volume – any curious reader free of any dogmatic rigidity will be able to grasp and appreciate the multi-faceted offer of privileged models.

The main themes discussed in the papers of the present collection include the importance never to lose sight of the most distinctive features of research and method in psychoanalysis; the essential role of what an analyst thinks and does in clinical practice; the development of one's own psychoanalytic identity; the future of Psychoanalysis in our changing world

93, 1, 2012

BITAN, S. - WINNICOTT AND DERRIDA.

93, 2, 2012

WALLERSTEIN, R - WILL PSYCHOANALYSIS FULFILL ITS PROMISE?

93,3,2012

ABBASI, A - VERY DANGEROUS CONVERSATION (AND COMMENTARY)

93,5,2012

WAINRIB, S - IS PSYCHOAN A MATTER OF SUBJECTIVATION?

93,6,2012

MOHAVEDI AND HOMAYOUNPOUR - THE COUCH AND THE CHADOR

Aggiungerei dell' IJPA del 2013 i titoli che trovi qui sotto, per continuare a dare una visione internazionale sul confronto di modelli teorici. Cosa ne pensi?

94, 2, 2013

R. Roussillon. The function of the object in the binding and unbinding of the drives

94, 3, 2013

W. Bohleber, P. Fonagy, J.P.Jimenez, D.Scarfone, S. Varvin, S. Zysman. Towards a better use of psychoanalytic concepts. A model illustrated using the concept of enactment.

94, 4, 2013

A. Bergstein. Transcending the caesura: Reverie, dreaming and countertransference

94, 6, 2013

G. Sapisochin. Second thoughts on Agieren: Listening to the enacted.