

About the Oregon Friends of C.G. Jung

The visionary Swiss psychiatrist Carl Gustav Jung (1875-1961) was a pioneer in depth psychology who remains a source of inspiration and enlightenment for those who are open to the wisdom, creativity, and healing potential of the psyche. Oregon Friends of C.G. Jung offers lectures and workshops in which Jungian ideas are explored in depth.

Jung suggested that the psyche unfolds toward wholeness over the course of a lifetime, and our public programs are presented in the spirit of realizing this possibility at both the personal and collective levels – through a community of understanding. Those who attend our lectures and workshops seek to enlarge and deepen their understanding of life's challenges and stages with the expectation that this inner work confers an abiding sense of shared meaning and purpose.

Since 1974, our volunteer organization has offered programs by leading Jungian analysts and scholars from around the world who bring their insightful and innovative perspectives to our community in Portland. Our members and our audience-at-large span all walks of life and all levels of familiarity with Jungian psychology.

In addition to our annual program season, we offer an extensive library of books, journals, and recordings of our speakers. We invite you to attend our events and participate in a community of seekers who value an inner life.

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One of our volunteers will get back to you as soon as possible. You can also learn more about us and our programs, and search our library catalog, at our website: www.ofj.org.

About the Presenters

Dyane N. Sherwood, PhD, trained at the C. G. Jung Institute of San Francisco, where she was certified in Adult and in Child and Adolescent Analysis. After graduation, she served The San Francisco Jung Institute as Editor of *Library Journal* (which she re-visioned as *Jung Journal: Culture & Psyche*), as Board member, a speaker for public programs, and as a Training Analyst. In 2010, she moved to Oberlin, Ohio, where she has a private practice. She has published book chapters and articles and also co-authored a book with the late Joseph Henderson, MD, *Transformation of the Psyche: The Symbolic Alchemy of the Splendor Solis* (Routledge, 2003). Website: dyanesherwood.com.

Jane Zich, MFA, PhD, is a depth psychotherapist and visual artist who specializes in dialoguing with imagery from the unconscious. Her articles include: *Patterns of Imagery and Tasks During Dialogues with the Unconscious* (*Jung Journal*, 2011) and *The Role of 'Orienting Intentions' in Dialogues with the Unconscious* (*Jung Journal*, 2008). Her award-winning *Vision Journey* paintings have been juried into national art exhibitions, published in a number of psychology journals and literary magazines, and can be viewed at www.zichpaintings.com.

Thomas Elsner, JD, MA, is a Jungian Analyst, certified Psychoanalyst with the California Medical Board, the C.G. Jung Study Center of Southern California, the Inter-Regional Society of Jungian Analysts, and Faculty at Pacifica Graduate Institute. He has taught courses on Depth Psychology and Folklore for over 10 years at Pacifica as well as internationally. Trained as a Jungian Analyst in Zurich, Switzerland, Thomas has been in practice since 1998. Prior to that he worked as an attorney. His upcoming book to be published by Texas A&M is on Coleridge and *The Rime of the Ancient Mariner*.

James Hollis, PhD, is a Jungian Analyst in private practice in Washington, D.C. where he is also Executive Director of the Jung Society of Washington. He is also the author of fourteen books and the forthcoming *Taking Back Your Life*.

For information about our upcoming presenters, please visit www.ofj.org



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JANUARY 20-21

LIVING IN HARMONY WITH THE NATURAL WORLD:
A LAKOTA WORLD VIEW; NAVAHO COYOTE TRICKSTER

FEBRUARY 17-18

PANTHER'S PRINTS: TRACKING THE
TRANSCENDENT FUNCTION THROUGH IMAGERY

MARCH 17-18

ALCHEMY, ACTIVE IMAGINATION AND JUNG'S RED BOOK

APRIL 21-22

LIVING MORE FULLY IN THE SHADOW OF MORTALITY
STEPS TO RECOVERING ONE'S PERSONAL JOURNEY

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Benefits of Membership

Your Membership support ensures that we continue to offer the freshest of Jungian thought to our community. As a member, you'll also enjoy these benefits:

- Free or special-price admission to all Friday evening lectures by internationally recognized Jungians.
- Invitation to our Spring members-only Lighted-Hearted Event.
- Reduced registration fees and early-bird discounts for Saturday workshops led by our guest speakers.
- Borrowing privileges from our extensive library.
- Membership reciprocity with the Seattle CG Jung Society and Eugene Friends of Jung. Please show membership card at the door.

Annual Light-hearted Event

Members and their guests are invited to our annual meeting and Light-hearted Event at the end of the Spring season. Please check our website for details.

The Fae Dougan Library

We have an outstanding collection of books and other Jungian materials, including recordings of past programs, Jungian journals, and the latest books by our recent speakers. You can view our library catalog on our website. While checkout privileges are limited to OFJ members, the general public is welcome to use the library when it is open (Saturdays, 12 to 3 pm, except program and holiday weekends). 811 NW 20th Avenue (at Johnson Street), Portland.

Volunteering

OFJ relies on the help of volunteers to bring you these wonderful programs. As a thank you, volunteers receive scrip to use toward entry to the Saturday workshops. **You must be a member in order to volunteer.** If you are interested, contact us at volunteers@ofj.org. We welcome your help!

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Donations

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Scholarships

A limited number of scholarships are available for workshops. Please write to us at info@ofj.org or call us at 503-223-3080 to apply for a scholarship.

JANUARY~DYANE SHERWOOD, PhD

Lecture: Jan. 20
 7:30 – 9:30 pm
 Unity Church
 of Portland
 4525 SE Stark
 Portland

Living in Harmony with the Natural World: The Lakota World View. The Lakota ("Sioux") tribe's ancient spiritual tradition situates the individual within the natural world and within community. This lecture presents fundamental Lakota symbols and rituals, as well as a story on the value of feminine wisdom, and explores the alienation and suffering expressed by people who have lost their orientation and sense of belonging in the world and in community. The lecture will conclude with a ritual of drumming (as practiced by the late Don Sandler) as a form of active imagination. Bring drums and rattles so we can celebrate together.

Workshop: Jan. 21
 10 am – 3 pm
 Unity Church
 of Portland
 4525 SE Stark
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Coyote, the Great North American Trickster. Coyote, a popular trickster figure among native peoples in North America, appears in stories using outrageous humor to teach us about the Coyote in ourselves and in others. We will have an opportunity to use art supplies to make a Coyote figure. We will end the day by studying a Navajo story and healing ritual that takes us more deeply into the evil and harm caused by Coyote when his path leads to addiction, abuse, and mental illness.

FEBRUARY~JANE ZICH, MFA, PhD

Lecture: Feb. 17
 7:30 – 9:30 pm
 Unity Church
 of Portland
 4525 SE Stark
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Panther's Prints: Tracking the Transcendent Function through Imagery. Jane Zich will explore impressions of the transcendent function based on her *Vision Journey* painting series, which has spanned twelve years and was initiated by the arrival of a numinous blue Panther. Paintings and experiences during that process will be examined as Panther's metaphorical footprints to see what they reveal to us about the transcendent function. Applications to clinical contexts will be discussed.

Workshop: Feb. 18
 10 am – 3 pm
 Multnomah
 Arts Center
 7688 SW
 Capitol Hwy
 Portland

Experiential Reflections on the Transcendent Function in Our Lives. Excerpts from Jung's writings about the transcendent function, as well as material from Friday night's lecture, will help awaken our curiosity about and openness to the transcendent function in our lives and in our work as therapists. Drawing and collage exercises will provide visual means for exploring our relationship with the transcendent function. We will take time to share and reflect on the day's work.

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MARCH~THOMAS ELSNER, JD, MA

Lecture: March 17
 7:30 – 9:30 pm
 Unity Church
 of Portland
 4525 SE Stark
 Portland

Alchemy and Jung's Red Book. Many alchemists were not literally trying to turn lead into gold, but were speaking in a language of symbols about the imagination of transformation. This is why Jung observed in alchemical texts the same symbols that he experienced in himself and saw in the dreams of his patients. We will track the original texts and imagery of the alchemists into their reappearance in Jung's *Red Book*, the story of Jung's confrontation with the unconscious, and reflect on the meaning and value of the alchemical myth for our lives in the contemporary world.

Workshop: March 18
 10 am – 3 pm
 Unity Church
 of Portland
 4525 SE Stark
 Portland

Alchemical Active Imagination. Jung conceived of alchemy as a meditative practice of transformation in which inner complexes and archetypal constellations are experienced as images and then confronted and related to by the conscious ego. Writing, painting, dance, music and other mediums in addition to unconscious projections onto matter, can all be used to bring the unconscious to conscious expression. In this workshop, we will learn how to practice active imagination. We will also access the way in which Jung saw the value and importance of doing this type of work, politically and culturally, as well as individually.

APRIL~JAMES HOLLIS, PhD

Lecture: April 21
 7:30 – 9:30 pm
 First
 Congregational
 Church of Christ
 Portland
 1126 SW Park Ave
 Portland

Living Life More Fully in the Shadow of Mortality. Jung observed that "life is a short pause between two mysteries." That fact is not in debate; what does matter, then, is how we live that short pause. Given that mortality frames our brief journey, how can we live more fully in its presence without being defined by morbidity, fear, and denial? What are the attitudes and practices which enable us to live more fully? And what psychological maturation brings us to experience this short pause as rich with meaning?

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Workshop: April 22
 10 am – 3 pm
 Unity Church
 of Portland
 4525 SE Stark
 Portland

Taking Your Life Back: Steps to the Recovery of a Personal Journey. Tiny, dependent, and at the mercy of the world around us, we all must adapt, adjust, bury, deny, split-off and repress, and thereby lose contact with our own sovereignty and natural source of guidance. The core project of the second half of life is the recovery of that source. This workshop will focus on twenty-one steps we may take toward the recovery of our personal journey.

