



# OXFORD SYMPOSIUM in School-Based Family Counseling

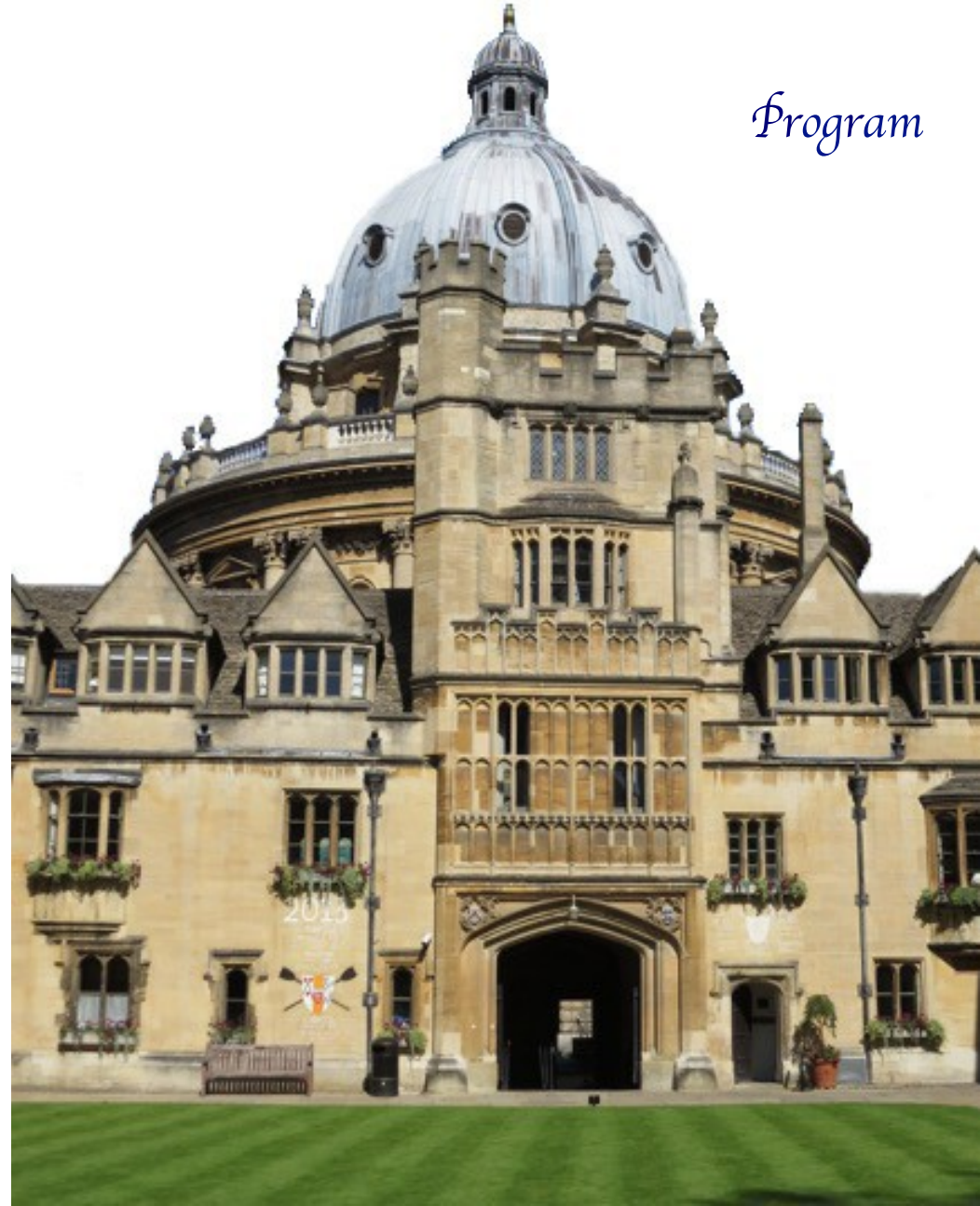
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## Sunday, August 11<sup>th</sup> 2024

- 2:00 – 5:00 pm      **CHECK-IN AT PORTERS' LODGE**
- 4:00 – 5:00 pm      **REGISTRATION & AFTERNOON TEA**  
Amersi Room
- 5:00 – 6:00 pm      **WELCOME & KEYNOTE SESSION**
- KEYNOTE SESSION:**  
***“School-based Family Counseling: Trauma Informed Approach with Immigrant and Refugee Children and Families”***
- Dr. Stephaney S. Morrison  
University of the Cumberlands,  
Williamsburg, Kentucky, USA
- 6:45 pm  
*for*  
7:15 pm      **RECEPTION & OPENING BANQUET**  
Deer Park *and* Medieval Kitchen
- 8:30 – 9:00 pm      Amersi Room  
Banquet Plenary Speaker:  
***“Some thoughts on the Magic of Oxford”***
- Richard Cohen, B.A., Modern History  
London, United Kingdom

# Monday, August 12<sup>th</sup> 2024

8:00 – 9:00 am      **BREAKFAST** Medieval Kitchen

**SESSION I**            Amersi Room

Moderator:           Jackie Shinefield

9:00 – 10:00 am    **PRESENTATION: Eight Principles  
Used in the Development of the SBFC  
Disastershock Global Response Team**

Presenter: Dr. Brian A. Gerrard  
Chief Academic Officer,  
Western Institute for Social Research,  
Berkeley, California, USA

10:00 – 11:00 am   **PRESENTATION: School counsellors’  
perspectives on their preparation to  
lead and implement trauma-informed  
practices**

Presenter: Dr. Meegan Brown  
School of Early Childhood and  
Inclusive Education  
Queensland University of Technology  
Brisbane, Queensland, Australia

11:00 – 11:30 am   **TEA AND COFFEE**  
Medieval Kitchen

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11:30 am – 12:30 pm

**PRESENTATION: Parenting in Times of Crisis: Conceptualizing care practice in precarious times.**

**Monday  
Aug 12**

Presenter: Dr. Dorte Kousholt,  
Danish School of Education,  
Aarhus University  
Aarhus, Denmark

12:45 – 1:30 pm

**LUNCH** Medieval Kitchen

***INDIVIDUALLY SCHEDULED AFTERNOON***  
*(shopping, touring, etc.)*

4:00 – 4:30 pm

**TEA AND COFFEE**  
Medieval Kitchen

5:45 – 6:30 pm

**DINNER** Medieval Kitchen

# Tuesday, August 13<sup>th</sup> 2024

8:00 – 9:00 am **BREAKFAST** Medieval Kitchen

**SESSION II** Amersi Room

Moderator: Nurit Kaplan-Toren

9:00 – 10:00 am **PRESENTATION: Insights from a National Five-Year Pilot on SEE Learning in Ukrainian Schools Through the Lenses of the SBFC Model**

Presenters: Dr. Oleksandr Elkin,  
Anna Yefimtseva, &  
Halyna Kaluzhna,  
EdCampUkraine  
Kharkiv, Ukraine

10:00 – 11:00 am **PRESENTATION: Family Based Interventions to Address Bullying Victimization of Students at School**

Presenter: Dr. James Scott  
Professor, Child and Adolescent  
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(CYMHS)  
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11:00 – 11:30 am **TEA AND COFFEE**  
Medieval Kitchen

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**PRESENTATION: Transforming  
Interprofessional Collaboration through  
Teacher-Provider Partnership**

**Tuesday  
Aug 13**

Presenter: Dr. Stacy Gherardi  
School of Social Work  
New Mexico State University  
Albuquerque, New Mexico, USA

12:45 – 1:30 pm

**LUNCH** Medieval Kitchen

***INDIVIDUALLY SCHEDULED AFTERNOON***  
*(shopping, touring, etc.)*

4:00 – 4:30 pm

**TEA AND COFFEE**  
Medieval Kitchen

5:45 – 6:30 pm

**DINNER** Medieval Kitchen

8:30 pm

**DESSERT EVENING** Medieval Kitchen

# Wednesday, August 14<sup>th</sup> 2023

8:00 – 9:00 am      **BREAKFAST** Medieval Kitchen

**SESSION III**      Amersi Room

Moderator:      Sheena Sattarpour

9:00 – 10:00 am      **PRESENTATION: "One Ring to Rule Them All": The universal application of the SBFC metamodel and the mirage of individual or couples therapy**

Presenter: Peter Geiger, LMFT,  
MFC Supervisor:  
California Institute of Integral Studies  
San Francisco, California, USA &  
Jonathan Toniolo, M.A., AMFT  
The Marina Counseling Center  
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10:00 – 11:00 am      **PRESENTATION: "Less Trauma, More Drama: Implementing Drama Therapy for Neurodivergent Students in Schools"**

Presenter: Amaia Brehaut, BSc.  
Drama Therapist & LMFT Trainee  
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11:00 – 11:30 am      **TEA AND COFFEE**  
Medieval Kitchen

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**PRESENTATION: Disrupted Caring  
Relations – Experiencing Parental Illness as  
an Adolescent**

**Wednesday  
Aug 14**

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University of South Carolina  
Columbia, South Carolina, USA

12:45 – 1:30 pm

**LUNCH** Medieval Kitchen

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4:00 – 4:30 pm

**TEA AND COFFEE**  
Medieval Kitchen

5:45 – 6:30 pm

**DINNER** Medieval Kitchen

# Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup> 2024

8:00 – 9:00 am      **BREAKFAST** Medieval Kitchen

**SESSION IV**            Amersi Room

Moderator:            Peter Geiger

9:00 – 10:00 am      **PRESENTATION:**  
**National Centre for Educational-  
Psychological Services Research**

Presenter: Dorte Koushalt  
Danish School of Education,  
Aarhus University  
Aarhus, Denmark

10:00 – 11:00 am      **PRESENTATION: Report on Project  
Friendship**

Presenters: Ms. Gertrude Baera, B.A.,  
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11:00 am – 11:30 am

**TEA AND COFFEE**  
Medieval Kitchen

11:30 am – 12:30 pm

**PRESENTATION: Report on  
Project Friendship Ukraine**

Presenter: Dr. Brian A. Gerrard  
Chief Academic Officer,  
Western Institute for Social Research,  
Berkeley, California, USA

12:45 – 1:30 pm

**LUNCH** Medieval Kitchen

***INDIVIDUALLY SCHEDULED  
AFTERNOON*** (*shopping, touring, etc.*)

3:30 – 4:00 pm

**TEA AND COFFEE**  
Medieval Kitchen

4:00 – 5:00 pm

**PRESENTATION: TRYZUB Ukrainian  
Dance Society, Ukraine Nightingale Project,  
Disastershock Global Response Team Mental  
Health Initiative**

**Thursday  
Aug 15**

Presenter: Andy Frost  
Advisor: Ukraine Nightingale Project,  
Courtenay, British Columbia, Canada

6:45 pm  
*for*  
7:15 pm

**RECEPTION & CLOSING BANQUET**

Deer Park *and* Hall  
Banquet Plenary Speaker:

***Master Caroline Wilbourne I***

Barrister & Mediator  
London, United Kingdom

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# Friday, August 16<sup>th</sup> 2024

8:00 – 9:00 am      **BREAKFAST** Medieval Kitchen

**SESSION V**            Amersi Room

Moderator:          Brian A. Gerrard

9:00 – 10:00 am    **PRESENTATION: School-based  
Family Counseling as an Approach for  
Parentified Students and Their  
Families**

Presenter: Kathryn Higdon, EdS, LPC, NCC  
Clinical Counselor and Clinical Psychology  
PhD student  
University of Edinburgh  
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10:00 – 11:00 am   **PRESENTATION: To be a Parent in Time of  
War: Evacuated Parents of Children from  
Kindergarten to Adolescence Talk about  
their challenges**

Presenter: Dr. Nurit Kaplan Toren,  
Oranim College of Education,  
Tivon, Israel

11:00 – 11:30 am   **TEA AND COFFEE**  
Medieval Kitchen

11:30 am – 12:30 pm   **CONCLUDING REMARKS**

12:45 – 1:30 pm    **CONCLUDING LUNCH**  
Medieval Kitchen