12th International Conference on Grief and Bereavement in Contemporary Society





Grief and bereavement in a changing world: Personal, social and global perspectives

MELBOURNE AUSTRALIA
13-17 July 2020

Keynote Speakers



Dr Paul A Boelen Ph.D

Utrecht University, Netherlands Emotional problems after traumatic bereavement: Nature, correlates, and treatment



Dr Emmy van Deurzen Ph.D

New School of Psychotherapy and Counselling at the Existential Academy, United Kingdom Rising from shattered lives: Psychotherapy and existential crisis



Dr Phyllis Kosminsky Ph.D, FT

The Centre for Hope, USA From practice to theory and back again



Dr Robert Neimeyer Ph.D

Portland Institute for Loss and Transition, USA Intervening in meaning: New directions in grief therapy



Dr Sheldon Solomon Ph.D

Skidmore College, USA The worm at the core: On the role of death in life

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Registrations

Conference registrations are now open.

Early Bird Registrations end: 17 January 2020 at 5pm AEDT

Registrations close: 30 June 2020 at 5pm AEDT

Registrations **must** be made online. For further information or to register, go to: **www.icgb2020.com**

Pre-Conference Masterclasses

Two one-day pre-conference masterclasses, conducted by Dr Robert Neimeyer and Dr Phyllis Kosminsky, will also take place on Monday 13 and Tuesday 14 July 2020.

Masterclass Day 1

Dr Robert Neimeyer Ph.D Monday 13 July 2020

Reconstructing the continuing bond: Transforming meaning and mourning in hereavement

Masterclass Day 2

Dr Phyllis Kosminsky Ph.D, FT Tuesday 14 July 2020

Attachment informed grief therapy: Interventions to create safety, strengthen self-capacities and promote re-engagement

Call for Papers

Submissions to present at the 12th International Conference on Grief and Bereavement in Contemporary Society are now invited. This is a rare opportunity to present to a grief and bereavement-focused international audience in Australia. We encourage submissions from everyone with an interest in this field who would like to share their research findings and practice experience.

Presentation submissions must be made through the online submission process. For further information and to submit your abstract, go to:

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Presentation submission deadline: 30 November 2019 at 5pm AEDT

Venue

Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre
1 Convention Centre PI South Wharf VIC 3006 Australia
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