SEMINAR AUTISM & ABA

Dr Kimberly Maich and Dr Carmen Hall

Peer-mediated social skill strategies: An evidence based practice for Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder

Saturday and Sunday March 30th – 31st 2019

This seminar is designed for parents, professionals, teachers and caregivers of individuals with autism

Seminar in English with simultaneous French translation

Dr. Kimberly Maich, PhD, OCT, BCBA-D is an Associate Professor in the Faculty of Education at Memorial University of Newfoundland in Canada, a special education specialist, a certified teacher, and the first and only Board Certified Behaviour Analyst in the province of Newfoundland & Labrador, Canada. Prior to working in the university setting, she worked in school, health care, and college settings. She is an experienced teacher, researcher, speaker, trainer, supervisor, and resource developer with a strong collaborative style focused on knowledge mobilization. Her primary interests lie in disabilities and special education, with a focus on autism spectrum disorders in inclusive school environments. She also researches, presents and publishes in the areas of emotional/behavioural disorders, problem behaviour, applied behaviour analysis, assistive technology, inclusive school leadership, and the early years. Her book Applied Behaviour Analysis: 50 Case Studies in Home, School, and Community Settings was co-authored with Carmen Hall and won the International Book Prize Award from Exceptionality Education International.

Dr. Carmen Hall, PhD, BCBA-D is the coordinator and professor in the Autism & Behavioural Science Graduate Certificate Program at Fanshawe College in London, Ontario, Canada. Her work has focused on social skill research, including peer-mediated social skills in childcare, schools, and camp settings, technology integration in education, and early intervention. In the past number of years Carmen’s research has also focused on teaching independent life skills to adults with intellectual disabilities. Through this work she has extensive experience with the VB-MAPP and other social skill assessments to assist in designing programming, tracking progress, and maintaining skills. In 2013, she was named an Apple Distinguished Educator, in 2014 she received the College Sector Educator Award, and in 2015 received the President’s Distinguished Achievement Award for teaching.

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<td>With a current emphasis on children with disabilities being supported in inclusive environments, teaching social skills strategies to support all students are essential for classroom and community settings. In the field of Applied Behaviour Analysis, peer-mediated social skills strategies are evidence-based intervention for children with Autism Spectrum Disorder. Peer-mediated social skills supports a range of social needs in inclusive classrooms to teach social skills and include peers in school, community settings from young learners in preschool and Kindergarten to adolescent-aged students. The presentation will include an intro. to 3 manualized programs: Stay, Play, and Talk; PEER Pals; and Camps on TRACKS. It will also introduce results from varied research projects that evaluated its success in these inclusive settings.</td>
<td>At the conclusion of the workshop, participants will be able: - To identify the importance of peer-mediated social skills - To describe program structures - To understand a range of strategies to deliver peer-mediated social skills and assess changes in social skills. During the workshop, participants will engage in simulation activities to demonstrate peer-mediated strategies, watch videos of the strategies in action, and be provided with case studies of successful intervention. Participants will also be introduced to a various informal and standardized assessments for social skills.</td>
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Seminar - March 30th & 31st, 2019

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Salle Communale
38 Grand’Rue
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Professionnels, enseignants, parents (hors OVA Suisse) 260 CHF 226 €
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Cancellation conditions: No reimbursement will be possible for cancellation after March 1st, 2019

The organizer reserves the right to cancel the seminar in case of insufficient participation. In case of cancellation, only the cost of the seminar will be reimbursed.

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