

Registration Form

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Neimeyer 2010

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SELECT YOUR WORKSHOP:

Adelaide – Wednesday 21 July 2010

Melbourne – Saturday 24 July 2010

Perth – Monday 26 July 2010

Brisbane – Saturday 31 July 2010

Sydney – Monday 2 August 2010

PAYMENT

Cheque/money order payable to CPM

Amount being paid: \$297 (includes \$27 GST)

Credit Card

Mastercard Visa

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**POST: CPM Training & Counselling
PO Box 188
HEIDELBERG VIC 3084**

FAX: (03) 9497 1762 *[Please DO NOT fax cover sheets]*

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Workshop Details

Venue Details

Adelaide

Stamford Plaza
150 North Terrace, Adelaide

Melbourne

Bayview Eden Hotel,
6 Queens Road, Melbourne

Perth

Boulevard Centre
99 The Boulevard, Floreat

Brisbane

Chifley at Lennons
66-76 Queen Street, Brisbane

Sydney

Waterview Convention Centre
Bicentennial Drive, Olympic Park, Sydney

Workshop Duration

Each workshop will run from 9.00am to 5.00pm (including AM/PM refreshments and lunch) each day.

Included in Registration

Your workshop fee includes AM/PM refreshments and lunch each workshop, plus notes.

Registration Fee

\$297.00 (incl \$27.00 GST)

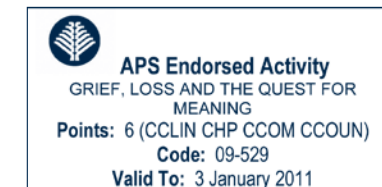
Cancellation Policy

If you cancel more than thirty (30) days prior to a workshop, you will receive a refund, LESS \$50 administration fee.

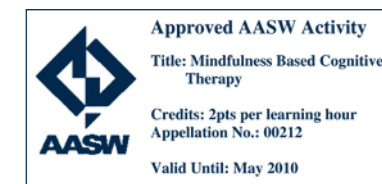
If you cancel less than thirty (30) days prior to a workshop, NO REFUND is payable. We appreciate that medical conditions or other emergencies can occur, but CPM cannot accept responsibility for these. Registrations can be transferred to another person.

Professional Recognition

Australian Psychological Society



Australian Association of Social Workers



Certificates of Attendance, showing number of hours, are provided to all registrants.

Important Notes

Catering Requirements

If you require special catering, email: cpmserv@tpg.com.au NOW. Special catering CANNOT be provided without prior notice.

**Please allow 3 weeks
for processing of registrations**

WORKSHOP HOTLINE

Registrants may call 0429 529 343 up to 72 hours prior to confirm that your workshop is on schedule.

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Visit our website for more details and a PDF of this brochure. Information about our other workshops in 2010 is also available.

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*Grief, loss and the quest
for meaning*

A 1-day training workshop with

Robert A. Neimeyer PhD

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Robert A. Neimeyer PhD

Robert Neimeyer is a Professor in the Department of Psychology, University of Memphis. He is an internationally-renowned author and speaker on death, grief, loss, bereavement & suicide prevention. Bob has written 20 books & over 300 articles, including *Meaning Reconstruction* and *the Experience of Loss*; and *Lessons of Loss: A Guide to Coping*.

Bob is Editor of *Death Studies* and *Journal of Constructivist Psychology* and has served as President of the Association for Death Education & Counseling. He is a Fellow of the Clinical Psychology Division of the American Psychological Association. Bob has received numerous awards for his work in death, loss and grief studies, including the Robert Fulton Founder's Award for Outstanding Teaching, Research and Service by the Center for Death Education and Bioethics. He was an appointee to the APA's Task Force on End-of-Life Issues, where he helped implement a research and practice agenda for psychology in this critical area

Bob has provided quality training in multiple aspects of grief and bereavement and has an outstanding international reputation as a trainer and presenter, having conducted training in the US, South America, Europe, Asia and Australasia. He is a distinguished speaker, who presents with commitment, clarity and enthusiasm. This is your opportunity to work with a foremost clinician and trainer in grief and loss.

Workshop Description

Long after the immediate emotional impact of a loss has faded, the death of someone close to us can disrupt the assumptions that allow us to find meaning and purpose in life. This workshop will present new evidence about the variety of pathways that people follow through bereavement, some of which lead to resilience or recovery, and others which lead to chronic grief and depression.

This workshop is based upon the premise that the central process in healing after loss entails the reconstruction of meaning of the world and self of the bereaved or traumatised person. By conceptualising the ways in which bereaved persons' basic life narratives are disrupted by loss, participants will learn methods that will enable them to listen beneath the stories that clients tell themselves and others about their loss, and reveal clients' resources to find the seeds for their restoration of stability and future growth.

The workshop is formatted with a blend of systematic instruction, demonstration and therapeutic video, and hands-on practice with new concepts and methods in grief work.

Participants will learn several practical methods for diagnosing and treating grief-related difficulties, with clinical process interventions and self-help strategies. Our ultimate goal will be to explore a range of ways to help clients adapt constructively to bereavement by finding meaning in loss, while also charting a path forward in a transformed world.

Workshop Outline

Session One:	Trajectories through bereavement
Session Two:	Loss and the disruption of self-narratives
Session Three:	Complicated grief: Conceptualisation and diagnosis
Session Four:	Grief therapy and the reconstruction of meaning

Workshop Objectives

Participants will:

- chart pathways through grief that lead to both resilience and complication;
- describe the role of self narratives in promoting adaptation to life transitions;
- identify signs of traumatic disruption in the meaning system of a client;
- select appropriate narrative strategies for facilitating adaptation to bereavement;
- use the outline of a meaning reconstruction interview for fostering growth through grief; and
- identify therapeutic strategies compatible with a meaning-making framework.

Workshop Designed for

Psychologists, social workers, counsellors, nurses, chaplains, physician, allied health professionals and others working in the fields of trauma and loss.

Testimonials

“This has been one of the most valuable workshops I have attended. Dr Neimeyer is an extraordinary teacher.”

“I have been in this field for many, many years (but) this workshop was refreshing, informative and challenging. Thanks!”

“Dr Neimeyer could be scheduled for a week and it would still not be sufficient! What an extraordinary man, researcher, educator, practitioner, poet and gentleman!”

“We need more presentations with this kind of demonstration of research and clinical issues.”

“This was powerfully relevant to me in my work and ministry as bereavement coordinator for a hospice setting.”

“I had already enjoyed reading Dr Neimeyer's works and I enjoyed his workshop. He is so knowledgeable and gifted.”