

Ontario Association of Jungian Analysts

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- ANALYST TRAINING PROGRAMME -

Applications will be accepted from September 1 to the deadline of November 15 for admission to the programme beginning the following year in September.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Since only well-qualified applicants can be considered for admission, a careful screening and selection process is necessary. This will put particular emphasis on life-experience and personal qualities.

PRE-REQUISITES FOR APPLICATION:

1. Analysis: At least 100 hours of personal Jungian analysis with an IAAP member by application date of November 15, with a minimum 25 hours in the past year.
2. Education: A graduate degree or equivalent (contact the Registrar for further information about equivalency).
3. Age: 30 minimum.

REQUIRED APPLICATION MATERIALS:

Applicants must send the following (with 5 copies of all documents) to the Registrar:

- ___ 1. Verification letter of analytic hours from current and past analysts.
- ___ 2. Transcripts of education (1 original, 4 copies) - may be sent directly from institution.
- ___ 3. Three sealed letters of reference (not from personal analyst or member of OAJA).
- ___ 4. Statement of A) life history, and B) applicant's interest in analytical psychology (max. 10 pages, double-spaced).
- ___ 5. Completed Application Form (see below).
- ___ 6. Application fee of \$300.00 (refunds to PCC regulations).

Note: Applicants accepted as candidates will be required to have 150 hours of face-to-face (in person) analysis during Stage One before acceptance to Stage Two. All 150 hours must be with a member of OAJA.

Submit applications from September 1 to the deadline of November 15 for admission to the programme beginning the following year in September, to:

Paul Benedetto, RP OAJA Registrar
18 Colborn St. Guelph, ON N1G 2M5
registrar@oaja.ca

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- OAJA TRAINING APPLICATION FORM -

Submit this 1 page Form in 5 copies with the other required materials listed above, and with application fee of \$300.00 payable to 'The Ontario Association of Jungian Analysts' to:

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18 Colborn St. Guelph, ON N1G 2M5

ADDRESS _____

DATE OF BIRTH _____ CITIZENSHIP _____

TELEPHONE: Home _____ Work: _____

E-MAIL _____

HOURS OF PERSONAL ANALYSIS TO DATE: _____

HOURS OF PERSONAL ANALYSIS IN PAST YEAR _____

NAME(S) OF PERSONAL ANALYST(S), WITH DATES (From - To): _____

HOURS OF PERSONAL ANALYSIS ANTICIPATED BY November 15: _____ (to be confirmed at that time)

GRADUATE DEGREE(S) OR BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF BASIS FOR EQUIVALENCE: _____

REFEREES (sealed letters of reference to be sent directly to the Registrar):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Notice 1. I understand that the training in Jungian analysis offered by OAJA will not, and cannot, automatically confer the legal right to practice as an analyst or psychotherapist. I hereby release OAJA from any responsibility to confer this right. I accept the personal and ethical responsibility to acquire the legal right to practice where such requirements exist. I also agree not to designate myself as a Jungian analyst until I have successfully completed the training programme and have been accepted as a member of the International Association for Analytical Psychology.

Notice 2. The College of Registered Psychotherapists of Ontario opened in April 2015. For OAJA trainees and graduates, registration will be an individual matter with requirements and examinations set by the College. OAJA graduates will be suitably prepared and can meet the College initial qualifying requirements for specific milestones such as supervision hours, direct client hours, classroom hours, etc. The CRPO has 'recognized' the OAJA training program which makes for a simplified registration. The OAJA Training Program has and may continue to make changes to our previously published training regulations and procedures, and graduation requirements.

Notice 3. It is understood that graduation from the OAJA Training Programme does NOT entitle a graduate to practice psychotherapy in Ontario. The graduate must subsequently proceed on to satisfy the requirements of the College of Registered Psychotherapists of Ontario which alone certifies a person to practice as a psychotherapist in Ontario.

Notice 4. It is understood that graduation from the OAJA Training Programme does NOT entitle a graduate to practice psychotherapy in any other Province or Country. It is my responsibility to ensure that I am legal-to-practice in the jurisdiction in which I work.

Notice 5. I accept that my suitability and potential to work as an analyst will be monitored throughout training. I recognize and understand that the training process is not predictable and that graduation, therefore, cannot be guaranteed.

Notice 6. I understand that the OAJA Analyst Training Programme is registered in Ontario as a Private Career College.

I have read the above and agree to these terms if I am accepted as a candidate for training by OAJA.

SIGNATURE: _____

DATE: _____

- CONDENSED 2023 OAJA TRAINING REGULATIONS -

Candidates should consult the current Regulation Manual for full regulations

The OAJA Analyst Training Programme is a “Recognized Education and Training Program” by The College of Registered Psychotherapists of Ontario (CRPO). The OAJA Analyst Training Programme is registered as a Private Career College by the Ontario Ministry of Colleges and Universities. Sorry, but OSAP is not available.

Tuition

OAJA uses a ‘Standard Tuition Fee with Unlimited Attendance’. The ‘Standard Tuition Fee with Unlimited Attendance’ is payable every semester a candidate is enrolled in the OAJA training programme. Leaves of Absence are considered “exceptional” and bear a fee of \$650/670 per semester. Refunds will be in accord with PCC regulations. All fees are subject to change.

Domestic Students

At this time, the cost of the ‘Standard Tuition Fee with Unlimited Attendance’ for domestic students is \$4,022 per semester (e-transfer, cheque, or money order) or \$4,145 (PayPal/credit card), payable mid-August for Fall semester 2023 and mid-November for Winter semester 2024.

International Students

Pre-payment of the full year’s (2 semesters) tuition in advance is required for international students by the Ministry of Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) in order to facilitate applications for a student visa/study permit. The annual ‘Standard Tuition Fee with Unlimited Attendance’ for international students is \$8,168 Canadian dollars (\$4,022 x 2 semesters + \$120 administrative fee), payable by wire transfer. This fee is payable early May for the Fall 2023/Winter 2024 academic year, in order to allow adequate time to apply for a student visa/work permit [1]. Please note: any international applicant who pre-pays tuition and who is refused a student visa/study permit shall be refunded their full tuition pre-payment minus the \$120 administration fee.

Communication

Candidates maintain their own formal record sheets of classroom hours, supervision, etc. Candidates report annually on their progress through the training programme on a Candidate Record Form. Candidates meet with their Selection Committee members once per year for a discussion. Candidates may make appointments with any member of their Selection Committee, at any time, if they wish to build an ongoing relationship with them for mentoring. OAJA has an established Candidate Complaint Process. OAJA has an annual Candidate and Analysts meeting. Candidates select representatives for Stages 1 and 2. Candidates are also encouraged to reflect on the teaching quality of the seminars and courses by filling out a feedback form after each experience. OAJA’s Code of Ethics and Practice and our Complaints Procedure Code apply to Analysts, Analysands, and Training Candidates. The Director of Training is always available to answer candidates’ emails or phone calls with questions about the training programme regulations and procedures. The Director of Training leads a mandatory orientation meeting at the beginning of Stages 1 and 2. Candidates have access online to all Regulation Manuals, forms, and course information. Candidates write an annual self-reflection report.

Programme Structure: Stage One

The first stage of training, leading to the Stage One exams, will last a minimum of four semesters, during which candidates must have completed 150 hours of face-to-face (in person) analysis. All 150 hours must be with a member of OAJA. The counting of hours of the training analysis begins from September 1 of the first semester of enrolment. Throughout training, all candidates are required to have at least 25 hours of analysis per calendar year.

Instruction and Examinations

In general, lectures, seminars and workshops will be offered by Jungian analysts and others once per month over a long weekend (typically Thursday to Sunday), during two semesters: September to December and January to May. In addition, some coursework may be offered on other weekends. Such instruction will not be tied to specific Stage One exam subjects (see below) but rather will be designed to provide an overall appreciation of the scope, theory and application of analytical psychology. A recommended reading list will be provided. Exams will be scheduled in October – December and April - June. One paper on the interpretation of symbolic material will be required.

Studies in Psychopathology/Psychiatric Observation Internship

Nature of Studies in Psychopathology

Studies in Psychopathology is a three year, six semester course, taught by psychiatrists. Studies in Psychopathology is to be implemented in September 2016 as part of the training programme structure and will include classes on major psychiatric conditions and, where possible, will include audio-visual components of patients suffering from such psychiatric conditions.

OR

Nature of the Psychiatric Observation Internship Experience

The Psychiatric Observation internship experience allows candidates to observe people suffering from severe forms of mental illness, to the degree that they have to be hospitalized, are in-patients in a clinic or are seen regularly by a psychiatrist in a clinical setting. This gives candidates a chance to observe the signs and symptoms of an ego that has been severely destabilized, and a chance to observe their own responses throughout this experience. It is expected that the Psychiatric Observation Internship experience will be arranged to allow for some degree of continuous contact with the patients, and that discussion with the supervisors and resident clinicians will help students deepen their own set of diagnostic skills. Clinical settings can include rehab centres that deal with addictions.

Stage One Exams

Candidates may take the Stage One exams after successful completion of the above requirements. They will be examined orally by an examiner in the presence of an observer. The examiner for each subject may be chosen by the candidate from a list provided by the Exam Committee, who will appoint a member of OAJA as observer.

Evaluation will be based on:

- 1) theoretical knowledge
- 2) the ability to relate to and work with psychic material
- 3) the capacity to handle the examination encounter.

Candidates will be examined in the following subjects:

Fundamentals of Analytical Psychology (typology, complex theory, etc.) - 45 minutes

Interpretation of Dreams - 30 minutes

Interpretation of Fairy Tales and Mythology - 30 minutes

Cultural Anthropology - 30 minutes

Comparative Religion - 30 minutes

Psychopathology - 30 minutes

Comparative Theories of Neurosis - 30 minutes

There is a Stage One Exams Application fee of \$520.00 (e-transfer, cheque, or money order) or \$535.00 (PayPal/credit card). Successful completion of Stage One exams in all subjects will be required before the candidate may apply to advance to Stage Two. Candidates who fail three or more

exams will have to apply to their Selection Committee for permission to re-take them. Acceptance to Stage Two will depend on the recommendation of the candidate's Selection Committee following three individual interviews.

Programme Structure: Stage Two

The second stage of training, which leads to the Stage Two exams, will last a minimum of four semesters, during which an additional 150 hours of face-to-face analysis with an IAAP member (not necessarily an OAJA analyst) is required. Throughout training, all candidates are required to have at least 25 hours of analysis per calendar year. In Stage 2, candidates are called "Advanced Candidates."

Association Experiment

Advanced Candidates will be required to perform an association experiment on a subject-person of their choice. A written paper on the results must be submitted to the Seminar Leader for approval.

Instruction

Ancillary lectures, seminars, and workshops will be offered as for candidates in Stage One, in a similar time frame. Again, one paper on the interpretation of symbolic material will be required.

Client Work

Before Stage Two exams, advanced candidates must accumulate a minimum of 300 hours with clients of their own, involving at least five analysands: one case of 80 hours minimum, one case of 50 hours minimum, and three cases of 20 hours minimum each. Written reports on each case must be submitted. All client hours must be completed with clients 18 years or older. Candidates are required to have liability insurance in Stage Two while they work with clients under supervision.

Supervision

Advanced candidates must complete a minimum of 100 hours of individual supervision with an IAAP analyst with at least 5 years' experience since graduation. From April 1, 2016 all Ontario supervisors must be registered with the College of Registered Psychotherapists of Ontario or registered with another Ontario College granting access to the controlled act of psychotherapy. At least 50 supervision hours must be with a member of OAJA. The choice of a non-OAJA supervisor will require the approval of the Director of Training. It is required that candidates work with both male and female analysts in supervision. Fees for supervision will be the responsibility of the candidate. The required frequency of supervision of a case is a minimum of one hour of supervision for every four hours of analytic work. All advanced candidates must have continuous supervision of all of their on-going training cases until graduation is confirmed.

Group Supervision

Candidates will be required to participate in at least 90 hours of group discussions of cases before graduation. Group Supervision is chaired by a Senior Analyst. Five presentations by candidates of their own case material will be required.

Thesis

Before graduation, candidates must submit a substantial thesis demonstrating their understanding of the theory and application of analytical psychology. Thesis topics must be approved by the Director of Training. Candidates will choose an advisor and two readers, all to be members of OAJA.

Stage Two Exams

Candidates will be permitted to take the Stage Two exams only after successful completion of all requirements, and with the approval of their Selection Committee after three individual interviews. There is a Stage Two Exams Application fee of \$1000 (e-transfer, cheque, or money order) or \$1030

(PayPal/credit card). Written case reports must be submitted to the Director of Training who will assign a reader.

Advanced Candidates will be examined in the following subjects:

Interpretation of Fairy tales and Mythology - 45 minutes (OR 6-hour written)

Interpretation of Dreams - 45 minutes (OR 6-hour written)

Case Studies - 90 minutes; three examiners

Psychiatry - 45 minutes

The Process of Individuation - 45 minutes

Expressive Arts in the Analytic Process - 45 minutes

Thesis discussion - 60 minutes; advisor and two readers

In general, examiners will be members of OAJA chosen by the candidate, and observers (or readers) will be appointed by the Director of Training or Exam Committee.

Graduation

Upon successful completion of the programme, a Diploma in Analytical Psychology will be awarded, certifying that the recipient is deemed capable of working as a Jungian analyst. After the graduate has submitted an application for membership to the Ontario Association of Jungian Analysts and it has been approved, membership in the International Association for Analytical Psychology is conferred.

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