



Life starts all over again when it gets crisp in the fall.  
- F. Scott Fitzgerald

## September 2017

### What Can Psychoanalysis Contribute to the Current Refugee Crisis?

The severe trauma in the context of so-called man-made disasters, violence, and rape, is not only a burden or even destroys the lives of one generation, but the trauma is often transmitted to children and grandchildren. In this article, the question of how psychoanalysts can contribute to this current urgent and complex societal situation is explored.

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### Proposed Ontario Regulations Authorizing Charitable Corporations to Pay Directors in Limited Situations

Currently, for directors of charitable corporations to receive remuneration in a capacity other than as a director, charitable corporations and their directors must obtain a consent order from the PGT under section 13 of the CAA. This process can be time intensive and generally requires the assistance of legal counsel. The Draft Amendments would simplify this process by dispensing with the need for a consent order in prescribed circumstances for charitable corporations.

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### Introducing the 2017 SOV Nominees, Part One

In our last two issues of e-News + Views, we were happy to introduce you to our wonderful 2017 SOV recipients. This month and next, we'd like to introduce this year's SOV nominees who do such amazing and necessary work at our centres.

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## DCO Welcomes New Board Member, Peter Donnelly

One might not immediately imagine a young, retired, IT professional involved in the distress centre movement, but the call of empathy and suicide prevention beckons people from all walks of life. Peter Donnelly, the newest addition to this year's DCO Board of Directors, is one of these people who feels passionate about helping people through mental health issues and suicide ideation.

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## Information and Privacy Commissioner Reports on "Big Data" Raises Privacy Concerns

In May 2017, the Information and Privacy Commissioner of Ontario ("IPC") published its Big Data Guidelines (the "Guidelines"). The Guidelines refer to "big data" in the context of managing "combined data sets of linked information about individuals" that is collected indirectly and used for a different purpose than that for which it was collected - activities that conflict with the most basic principles of privacy protection.



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## Realigning Education and Training with 2017/20 Strategic Directions

Earlier in 2017, DCO reset its Strategic Priorities for the next three years. Realigning the Education and Training opportunities DCO offers to its member organizations and their staff and responders is a priority area that has been the focus of work over the last few months. Along with the establishment of Advisory Councils to inform the potential for growth and change, we anticipate there is significant opportunity to improve the member benefits and services offered. We will need your input and support going forward!



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## DCO Upcoming Events and Schedule of Meetings

### DCO Board of Directors

October 11  
January 23, 2018  
April 13, 2018  
June 13, 2018

### DCO Annual General Meeting

June 23, 2018  
Location TBD

### Spirit of Volunteerism Recognition (SOV)

June 23rd, 2018  
Location: TBD

### Program & Service Recognition Presentation (PSR)

June 23rd, 2018  
Location: TBD

### Upcoming Learning Forums Videos

Diversity  
Aging



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