

About the facilitators

Robin Shohet is co-author with Peter Hawkins of 'Supervision in the Helping Professions (2006, 3rd edition, Open University Press)' and editor of 'Passionate Supervision (2007, Jessica Kingsley Publishers)'. Having worked most of his life as a consultant, trainer, supervisor and therapist, he is now devoting himself more to writing.



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Passionate supervision

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Target audience

This day will be of interest to Bereavement Service Managers and others who have substantial experience of providing supervision. The day offers a rare opportunity to experience a master class with Robin Shohet, co-author with Peter Hawkins of Supervision in the Helping Professions and editor of Passionate Supervision. This day will be of particular interest to those who have attended the 3 day supervision course at Sobell House

About this course

This day is for experienced supervisors. Robin writes:

'The words 'Passionate Supervision' do not often go together, yet after more than thirty years as a supervisor, I am still passionate about the value of the reflective space that supervision offers. I think this is partly because I have managed to steer clear of the need to fix and to have answers. I strive to create an environment where it is safe to stay not knowing, to trust intuition, to see what wants to emerge. The vehicle for this alchemical process is the supervisory relationship, built on the foundations of a clear and robust contract. Not knowing is not an excuse for wooliness, but demands alertness, presence and a willingness to question some of our most basic beliefs about helping and caring.'

I cannot tell you what you will gain from this day. There is a place for techniques, theory, guidelines, procedures, but in the last analysis what we have to offer our supervisees is who we are. My intention is to create a learning community, where we can risk showing who we are and share our passions about our work'.

This experiential workshop will be influenced by the needs of the participants. Topics could include, but will not be limited to:

- Core beliefs around supervision and helping
- The supervisory relationship
- Becoming and remaining passionate supervisors
- Developing the capacity to use intuition
- Sharing experiences and learning

Programme

09:00	Registration and coffee
09:30	Welcome and introduction to the day
10:00	Session 1
11:00	Coffee
11:15	Session 2
13:00	Lunch
13:45	Session 3
15:00	Tea
15:15	Session 4
16:30	End

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