

INTERNATIONAL SUMMER INSTITUTE

The 'historic' Tremont Hotel ■ Galveston, Texas USA ■ June 17-21, 2018



An Experiential Learning Community in Postmodern / Social Construction Collaborative-Dialogic Practices across Cultures, Contexts & Disciplines

Register Now

Join us in Galveston: Immerse in exploring postmodern/social construction collaborative-dialogue philosophy and practices. Enjoy warm hospitality and interaction with people from around the world. Learn the heart and spirit of collaborative--dialogic practices--a philosophical stance: see and experience it in *action*. Have ample time for conversations with colleagues with participants from around the world.

History: Beginning in the 70's Harry Goolishian and Harlene Anderson invited a small group of professionals to Galveston for a week to think and work together around emerging collaborative-dialogic ideas and practices. These gatherings evolved into the International Summer Institute: a space for practitioners, researchers, scholars, and students to learn and share ideas and practices. Over the last twenty years the ISI convened in Mexico—as a *bilingual event* hosted by Harlene Anderson and Grupo Campos Eliseos colleagues--and grew in size and relevance within the international collaborative-dialogic community.

Design: The Institute is designed to meet the needs of participants with experience in collaborative practice and those new to it. The *residential-symposium* format allows for full immersion in collaborative-dialogic practices and its translation to a variety of contexts, cultures, and 'client' populations. Format: bilingual didactic presentations, live consultations, experiential exercises, dialogue spaces, conversational clusters and socials. Participants love the time for “pop-up” workshops and other activities the *residential-symposium* provides.

Benefit of attending the ISI:

- Study with Harlene Anderson and Grupo Campos Eliseos colleagues
- Expand your competency and creativity in postmodern / social construction collaborative-dialogue
- Revitalize yourself and your practices
- Network, learn, relax, and explore Galveston Island, all from our Tremont Hotel home.

Schedule: The ISI Begins on Sunday, June 17th and concludes the evening of Thursday, June 21st with a reception and **celebration of the Houston Galveston Institute's 40th anniversary**. Please scroll down.

Language: A bilingual event—English and Spanish with sequential. Over the years, we have tried various language and translation options, and this is the most popular and practical format.

Details/Questions--Contact: (English) harleneanderson@earthlink.net / (Spanish) sylvialondon@yahoo.com



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Transforming Collaborative Relationships and Dialogic Conversations *Postmodernism and Social Constructionism in Action:* A Collaborative Learning Community

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SCHEDULE/PROGRAMA*

Sunday/Domingo

5 pm-7 pm

Workshop: Collaborative-Dialogic Practices Overview
(Sylvia London & Neca Rodriguez)

7 pm-9 pm

Welcome Reception & Opening Cultural Event (Guest invited)

Monday/Lunes

8:45 am-9 am

Coffee & Reflections**

9 am-10:30 am

Invitation to Transforming Relationships & Conversations

10:30 am-11 am

Break

11 am-1pm

Opening Plenary: Harlene Anderson

1 pm-5 pm

Lunch on your own, Leisure, Beach, Networking & Cultural Experiences

5 pm-6:30 pm

Collaborative Practices: The Philosophical Stance

6:30 pm-7:30 pm

Dialogue Spaces: Special Topics/Interests - Organization & Initial Meeting

7:30 pm

Dinner on your own

Tuesday/Martes

8:45 am-9 am

Coffee & Reflections**

9 am-10 am

Plenary: Harlene Anderson

10 am-10:30 am

Break

10:30-1 pm

Collaborative Practices in Action & Discussion: Demonstration

1 pm-5 pm

Lunch on your own, Leisure, Beach & Networking & Cultural Experiences

5 pm-6:30

Discussions, Questions & Reflections

6:30 pm-7:30 pm

Dialogue Spaces: Special Topics/Interests

7:30 pm

Dinner on your own

Wednesday/Miércoles

8:45 am-9 am

Coffee & Reflections**

9 am-10 am

Plenary: Special Guest Ann Cunliffe ([See attached.](#))

10 am-10:30 am

Break

10:30 am-1 pm

Collaborative Practices in Action & Discussion: Demonstration

1 pm-5 pm

Lunch on your own, Leisure, Beach, Networking & Surprise

5 pm-7 pm

Experiential Clinical/Learning Exercise

7 pm-8 pm

Dialogue Spaces: Special Topics/Interests

8 pm

Dinner on your own

Thursday/Jueves

8:45 am-9 am

Coffee & Reflections**

9 am-10:30 am

Plenary: Sylvia London

10:30 am-11:00 am

Break

10:30 am-11:30

Voices of Experience Conversations

11:30-1 pm

Comparisons & Contrasts or Dialogical Spaces

1 pm-4 pm

Lunch on your own, Leisure, Beach, Networking & Cultural Experiences

4 pm-6:00 pm

Experiential Learning Exercise and Closing

7:00 pm-9:00 pm

**Reception and Celebration of Houston Galveston Institute 40th
Anniversary** (Accompanying guests invited)

Please join us: Learn and leisure on the historic Island of Galveston, Texas

* Schedule may change/Programa flexible ■ ** Each morning we will collect "reflection pages" at 8:45 am.

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ISI Registration ■ Payment ■ Hotel Reservation

Step 1: ISI Registration: [Please click here to register for the ISI.](#)

Step 2: Payment

Fee:

Early registration fee prior to May 5th \$795, students \$595

Registration after May 5th \$895, students \$695

If you live in a Spanish speaking country, contact [Sylvia London](#)

Payment Methods:

You may pay by cash onsite, check, credit card, PayPal, bank wire transfer.

- Check: please mail to: Harlene Anderson, 1421 Milford, Houston, TX 77006 USA
- Credit card: please send name on credit card, number & amount to [Harlene Anderson](#)
- PayPal: Paypal selection on the bottom of the website registration page: <http://harleneanderson.org/>
- Bank wire transfer: contact [Harlene Anderson](#)

Step 3: Hotel Registration:

Hotel Registration:

Please register directly with the hotel. ■ Ask for the “International Summer Institute” block.

You may register by phone, fax, or online. Once you have registered, you will receive a confirmation.

Hotel Rates:

Single or double room \$139 (plus tax): arriving June 17th - departing June 22nd.

Note: if you arrive a day earlier or stay a day later, ISI hotel seasonal rates apply for these nights.

Hotel Registration Information and Deadline:

Please register early. The cut-off date and time for ISI special rates is May 26, 2018, 12:01 am. Afterwards, hotel seasonal rates for the ISI are available. **Please register by cut-off date.**

Register by Phone: 409-515-2154

Register by Fax: 409-763-1539

Register online: [Tremont Hotel Registration with ISI Rates](#)

General Hotel Information: The ISI takes place at the [Tremont Hotel](#) in Galveston's historic Strand District. The Tremont is a charming boutique-style hotel near a variety of selections of restaurants, shops, entertainment, and museums. The [Galveston Trolley](#) runs frequently and takes visitors to the highlights of Galveston, including the Tremont's sister-hotel—the Galvez--on the beach and with a beautiful pool area—which is open to our ISI guests. The Tremont has courtesy shuttle service to/from the Galvez Hotel. The hotel is an affiliate of the Wyndham Worldwide Hotel Group: Register for Wyndham rewards and you will earn 10 Wyndham points for every \$1.

Tremont Hotel Address:

2300 Ship's Mechanic Row
Galveston, Texas 77550

Transportation to Houston, Texas: Fly to Bush Intercontinental Airport (IAH) or Hobby Airport.

Shuttle Transportation from Houston IAH and Hobby airports to Galveston:

Please check these web sites for information.

[Galveston Express Shuttle](#)

[Galveston Limousine Service](#)

UberX provides service from both airports into Galveston but not out of Galveston: \$42-56 one-way.

Galveston Attractions and Things to Do: Something for everyone's taste and pleasure.

[Top Things to do](#)

[Ten Top Things to do](#)

[Twenty-five Best Things to do](#)

Take a cruise before or after the International Summer Institute:

Cruises leave from Galveston Port (just behind the hotel): [Royal Caribbean Cruises](#) and [Carnival Cruises](#)

