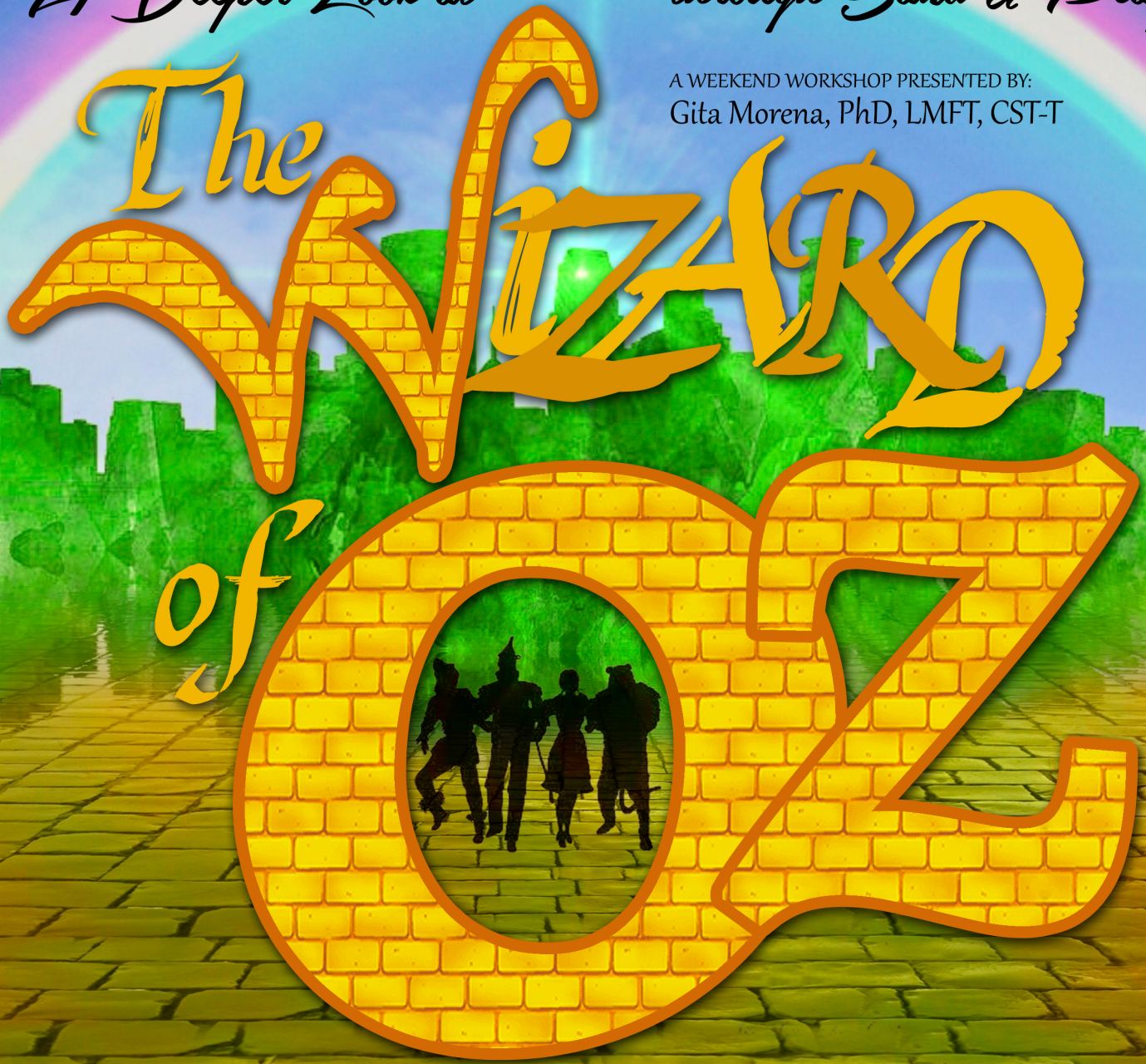


PRESENTING THE WEEKEND WORKSHOP...

A Deeper Look at

through Sand & Play

A WEEKEND WORKSHOP PRESENTED BY:
Gita Morena, PhD, LMFT, CST-T



“The Wizard of Oz: An Archetypal Journey to Wholeness” AND “The Wizard of Oz: Archetypal Themes of Individuation”

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2017
7:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M.
PAUL & SHEILA WELLSTONE CENTER

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2017
10:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.
PAUL & SHEILA WELLSTONE CENTER

This weekend workshop is sponsored by the Minnesota Sandplay Therapy Group and Journeys Toward Healing Counseling Center.

WEEKEND WORKSHOP OVERVIEW

Join Dr. Gita Morena in *A Deeper Look at the Wizard of Oz through Sand and Play*. In this weekend workshop, Dr. Morena explores the power of *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* fairy tale an archetypal story for psychological healing. The weekend includes a retelling of the tale as it was written by L. Frank Baum, an experiential exploration of the story, and demonstrations of how The Oz theme appears in sandplay and play therapy cases. Please see in depth descriptions for each day of the weekend workshop identified on page three in this brochure.

TARGET AUDIENCE

Counselors, psychologists, social workers, marriage and family therapists, and other mental health professionals within and outside of the United States.

WORKSHOP GOAL

- Earn continuing education credit for licensure, sandplay therapy credentialing purposes and play therapy credentialing purposes.
- Enhance knowledge of sandplay therapy and play therapy, theories, techniques and how sandplay therapy and play therapy improves the therapeutic relationship with children, adults and their families.
- Deepen your clinical and play therapy skills from hearing case presentations and the application of Jungian and Kalfian viewpoints on healing and individuation.
- Incorporate practices of active imagination, movement and mindfulness in the clinical work of sandplay and play therapy.
- Become familiar with the process of sandplay therapy and play therapy and the way it facilitates symbol formation.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Approved for 8 hours

- Association for Play Therapy (APT Approved Provider 17-498)
- Minnesota Licensing Boards' (Approvals Pending)

WORKSHOP SITE/DIRECTIONS

This workshop will be held on the basement/ground floor of the Paul & Sheila Wellstone Center. The Wellstone Center is located on St. Paul's historic West Side. Convenient to most major highways and just minutes from downtown hotels, shopping and dining. Features free parking and 24-hour security.

ADDRESS: Paul & Sheila Wellstone Center,
179 Robie St E, St Paul, MN 55107

REGISTRATION

Payment for workshop registration can be completed by check or credit card. Credit card registrations can be completed securely online at www.minnesotasandplay.org. If paying by check, please send the registration form and check payable to Minnesota Sandplay Therapy Group, c/o Leanne Ravey, 9255 Amsden Way, Eden Prairie, MN 55347.

WORKSHOP REGISTRATION

Non-MSTG Members

Friday ONLY	\$30.00
Saturday ONLY	\$150.00
Friday & Saturday	\$180.00

MSTG and IL Sandplay Members

Friday ONLY	\$30.00
Saturday ONLY	\$140.00
Friday & Saturday	\$170.00

CANCELLATION POLICY

Requests for cancellation must be made in writing to MSTG. Refunds will be given on requests received prior to October 1, 2017, less a \$50.00 administrative fee per registration. Registrants can transfer their registration to another person if MSTG is notified.

WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

Friday, November 3, 2017

6:30pm-7:00pm	Registration opens
7:00pm-9:00pm	Workshop begins
9:00pm	Workshop concludes, CE's awarded

Saturday, November 4, 2017

9:30am-10:00am	Registration opens
10:00am-12:00pm	Workshop begins
12:00pm-1:30pm	Lunch break (On your own)
1:30pm-2:30pm	Workshop resumes
2:30pm-2:45pm	Break
2:45pm- 4:30pm	Workshop resumes
4:30pm-4:45pm	Break
4:45pm-6:00pm	Workshop resumes
6:00pm	Workshop concludes, CE's awarded
6:30pm	Networking dinner (Optional)



WEEKEND WORKSHOP OVERVIEW

THE WIZARD OF OZ: AN ARCHETYPAL JOURNEY TO WHOLENESS

Gita Morena, PhD, LMFT, CST-T
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2017
7PM - 9PM

DESCRIPTION

Drawing insight from L. Frank Baum's quintessential American fairy tale, *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*, Dr. Morena explores Dorothy's journey into this magical land as a metaphor for Joseph Campbell's hero's Journey, Carl Jung's individuation process and the honoring of feminine values. Using sandplay and play therapy theory, techniques and applications, Dorothy, her companions and their experiences in Oz will be explored as symbolic aspects of the psyche that need to be identified, healed, and integrated into wholeness.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. To identify archetypal themes and symbolism in *The Wizard of Oz* through use of sandplay and play therapy theory, techniques and applications
2. To develop the ability to use *The Wizard of Oz* metaphorically, as part of play therapy and sandplay interventions.

2 HOURS CE, APT CREDIT APPROVED (APT Approved Provider 17-498)



THE WIZARD OF OZ: ARCHETYPAL THEMES OF INDIVIDUATION

Gita Morena, PhD, LMFT, CST-T
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2017
10AM - 6PM

DESCRIPTION

Dr. Morena explores the power of fairy tale and imagery from Oz as a way to stimulate the imagination and activate emotional healing. She includes the author's history and original inspiration, and retells the story as it was written with images from a variety of different illustrators. She demonstrates how Dorothy's experiences in this magical land resemble the struggles inherent in Carl Jung's individuation process, and shows how her journey can be seen as a metaphor for Joseph Campbell's hero's journey and the honoring of feminine values. Examples from sandplay and play therapy case material, techniques, application and an experiential process to engage personally with the story are included to show how Oz imagery expresses issues that emerge during the journey home to wholeness.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. Participants will increase their understanding of symbolic language and how it is used therapeutically both through sandplay and play therapy.
2. Participants will develop skills to use the metaphor of *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz* as it applies to the hero's journey and the individuation process in play therapy and sandplay.
3. Participants will be able to identify feminine values in *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*, and show how this influences psychological development and healing through a sandplay and play therapy lens.

6 HOURS CE, APT CREDIT APPROVED (APT Approved Provider 17-498)

OVERVIEW of SATURDAY WORKSHOP

Morning Session

1. The origins of the Wizard of Oz story
2. The Hero's Return: Life after Oz
3. Retelling the tale as it was written
4. Experiential process to explore personal insights from story

Afternoon Session

5. The Symbolic imagery of Oz
6. Oz imagery found in sandplay and play therapy material
7. Discussion, Questions, Closure

ABOUT THE PRESENTER

Dr. Gita Dorothy Morena, is a Teaching Member of STA/ISST, an international seminar leader, and a licensed psychotherapist in private practice for over 40 years. She is the great grand-daughter of L. Frank Baum who created *The Wonderful Wizard of Oz*, and brings the legacy of this



universally beloved fairy tale into many aspects of her work. Dr. Morena is the author of *The Wisdom of Oz: Reflections of a Jungian Sandplay Psychotherapist*, and numerous articles about the clinical applications of sandplay therapy. As a Buddhist practitioner she focuses on bringing spiritual practice into everyday life through sandplay and meditation.

NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES!

Get ready to socialize and network with others that share a passion for sandplay and play therapy.

“Join Me!” Networking Dinner – Saturday night

Looking to meet and network with other sandplay and play therapists? Sign up and attend the “Join Me!” networking dinner. An MSTG member will lead the group to a local restaurant (within walking distance). Everyone is invited to join, as we go and explore the local Saint Paul, Minnesota way of life!

Consultation with Gita Morena – Sunday morning

Looking for individual and/or group sandplay consultation? Contact Jacque Wiersma (jkwiersma@msn.com) to sign up for consultation opportunities with Gita Morena Sunday, November 5, 2017.



ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The MSTG Board of Directors and the 2017 Conference Committee are pleased to invite you to join us for **A Deeper Look at the Wizard of Oz through Sand and Play** with presenter Dr. Gita Dorothy Morena.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE:

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- Registrants understand and agree that any photograph, video or audio recording of themselves may be used to further promote MSTG and other training opportunities.
- The workshop, *A Deeper Look at the Wizard of Oz through Sand and Play*, is sponsored by MSTG and Journeys Toward Healing Counseling Center for educational purposes only. Journeys Toward Healing Counseling Center is recognized by the Association for Play Therapy as an Approved Provider for Play Therapy Education.
- The material presented is not intended to represent the only or best approaches to the topics being discussed and participants waive any claim they may have against MSTG or Journeys Toward Healing Counseling Center for assurance on information presented.
- Due to the confidentiality and nature of topics presented, children (of any age) will not be permitted to attend any of the conference/workshops.
- Play therapy credit will not be awarded to non-mental health professionals.

WEEKEND WORKSHOP

A DEEPER LOOK AT THE WIZARD OF OZ THROUGH SAND AND PLAY

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Name: _____

Primary Discipline/Degree: _____

Employer/Position: _____

Address: _____

City/State/ZIP: _____

Emailed Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

MSTG MEMBERSHIP

- Join MSTG (Additional \$35.00)
- Already an MSTG Member
- Not interested in joining MSTG

WORKSHOP(S) ATTENDING *(Please mark one or both of the workshops you plan to attend)*

- Friday, November 3, 2017 (7pm-9pm)
- Saturday, November 4, 2017 (10am-6pm)

PAYMENT METHOD

- Check Enclosed (Amount and Check Number): _____
- Paid online (Amount and Date paid online): _____

ATTESTATION

- I have read and agreed to abide by the printed cancellation policy and all other organizational policies in this brochure
- I have a disability as defined by ADA/504 for which I will need special accommodation. If checked, registration must be received by October 1, 2017.