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**Faculty of Ethnology and Education
Department of Humanistic Education
and Pedagogy Supporting Sciences
in Cieszyn**

are pleased to invite you to
the International Interdisciplinary Scientific Conference

(Psycho)therapy: art or technology?

28-29 November, 2018 in Cieszyn

The clear and steadily growing popularity of various forms of (psycho)therapy seems to result in a slightly paradoxical situation. On one hand, this popularity raises high hopes for growing effectiveness of therapy, but on the other – it causes or even forces to caution, even reservedness, towards new methods and techniques.

As the organising committee, we would like to invite representatives of all disciplines in any way related to psychotherapy to a broad multidisciplinary discussion on the scientific output in the field of psychotherapy and psychotherapeutic practice. What we expect are motifs appearing at possibly many levels of reflection: the (meta)theoretic, methodological and methodical. Special attention will be paid to the forms, methods and techniques of children psychotherapy.

During the discussion, we hope:

- to make a reconstruction of both the undisputable "hard core" of forms, methods or techniques of psychotherapy and their more flexible "soft peripheries";
- to index major controversies around them;
- to index the major factors responsible for low effectiveness of psychotherapy or even its iatrogenic character.

Both the active and passive form of participation is possible. Depending on this, please send the filled registration form to jjoka@poczta.onet.pl or annapsych@interia.pl and make the bank transfer for conference fee **until 30st September, 2018.**

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For attendants declaring active participation (delivering a paper, report, poster, etc.), the conference fee is 350,00 PLN (for Ph.D. students – 150,00 PLN), for attendants declaring passive participation – 200,00 PLN (for Ph.D. students – 100,00 PLN).

The fee will cover the costs of conference materials and food and drinks.

The information on accommodation available in Cieszyn as well as the next circulars will appear on the conference website:

<http://weinoe.us.edu.pl/miedzynarodowa-konferncja-naukowa-psychotherapia-sztuka-czy-technologie>

Feel warmly invited to Cieszyn and have your share in a constructive discussion in friendly atmosphere.

The Organising Committee

Chairperson: Anna Porczyńska-Ciszewska, Ph.D.

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