

Master of Arts in Integrative Child And Adolescent Psychotherapy

October 2019

INTRODUCTION

Child and Adolescent Psychotherapy is a specialised area of practice. This Master's programme will equip learners with the necessary knowledge, skills and competencies to meet the therapeutic needs of children and adolescents.

COURSE STRUCTURE

This part-time programme consists of ten modules over 2.5 years. It is a taught Master's with a strong research component. The programme utilises a continuous assessment strategy and learners accumulate credits through a variety of assessments over the duration of the programme.

STUDENT BENEFITS

We hold that it is not enough to simply teach the skills of counselling and psychotherapy. Learners are given the space to learn, practice and be supported as they extend the scope of their practice to work with children and adolescents.

WHO SHOULD APPLY?

This 2.5-year programme will be of interest to practising therapists who wish to extend their existing qualification in counselling and psychotherapy to Master's level and work with children and adolescents. Please see entry routes for further detail.

OUR ETHOS

With a strong focus on excellence in clinical practice, learners are fully supported in making the transition from work with adults to work with children and adolescents. A safe, nurturing environment is fostered through established links with an on-site placement centre.

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ENTRY ROUTES:

- An honours degree, Level 8 on The National Framework of Qualifications (NFQ), in counselling and psychotherapy, or equivalent.

OR

- An honours degree, Level 8 on the NFQ, plus a professional diploma in counselling and psychotherapy that meets with IACP/IAHIP course recognition standards (or equivalent). The diploma must have counselling and psychotherapy at its core.
- Learners will be invited to an interview with faculty as part

VALIDATION OF AWARD:

This master's is a major award validated by QQI at Level 9 on the NFQ.

CREDITS:

90 ECTS

PROGRAMME CONTENT:

The programme contains ten mandatory modules over the duration of 2.5 years. Learners attend 3-5 days on each of the modules which are delivered in block format (Friday-Sunday) on a monthly basis.

First Year Modules:

1. *The Sequentially Planned Integrative Counselling for Children (SPICC) Model*
2. *Cognitive Behavioural Therapy with Children and Adolescents*
3. *Child and Adolescent Development*
4. *Play, Creative Media and Expressive Arts*
5. *Clinical Skills for Working with Children and Adolescents*

Second Year Modules:

Second Year spans three semesters (1.5 Years).

6. *Advanced Research Methods*
7. *Solution Focused Brief Therapy with Children and Adolescents*
8. *Theory and Practice of Child and Adolescent Therapy*
9. *Clinical Practice and Development*
10. *Research Portfolio*

ASSESSMENT:

Learners are assessed through a continuous assessment strategy, which includes a variety of media such as individual and group projects, skills training assessments, case studies and process recordings, written assignments, essays and a research portfolio.

PROTECTION FOR ENROLLED LEARNERS:

This programme is covered by arrangements under section 65 (4) of the Qualifications and Quality Assurance (Education and Training) Act 2012 whereby, in the event of IICP College ceasing to provide the programme for any reason, enrolled learners may transfer to a similar programme at another provider, or, in the event that this is not practicable, the fees most recently paid will be refunded.

PROGRAMME FACULTY:

- Professor Rolf Sundet
- Dr. Marcella Finnerty
- Dr. Maria Quinlan
- Dr. Marguerite Woods
- Dr. Linda Finnegan
- Ms. Gayle Kearney
- Ms. Dorothy Ingram

DATES:

Starts October 2019. Please refer to website for full breakdown of dates.

COST:

Application Fee: €60

First Year Fees: €3,850

Second Year Fees: €3,850

Final Semester Fees: €1,250

Inclusive of QQI registration fee of €200. Following successful interview, a deposit of €1,155 is required to secure your place. Flexible payment plans available.

VENUE:

IICP College, Killinarden Enterprise Park, Tallaght, Dublin 24.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

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TO APPLY:

Visit us online:
www.iicp.ie/icamaster/

OR

Complete and return attached application form.

Application Form

Please note, in order to process your application, all fields need to be completed.

PLEASE USE BLOCK CAPITALS

SECTION 1: PERSONAL DETAILS

First Name:	Surname:
Address:	
Mobile No.:	E-Mail Address:
Date of Birth:	
Occupation:	

How did you find out about this Course? Please tick the appropriate box below:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Activelink | <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper Advertisement | <input type="checkbox"/> Professional Body |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Google/Internet Search | <input type="checkbox"/> Online Course Directory | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Media |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IICP Mailing List | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Recommendation | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

If other (please specify):

SECTION 2: EXISTING QUALIFICATIONS

	Title of Programme	Awarding Body	Award	Year
Qualification 1				
Qualification 2				
Qualification 3				

Please provide evidence of existing qualification, including copies of awards and transcript of results

SECTION 3: CLINICAL EXPERIENCE

Employer/Self-Employed	Role	Dates of Employment/Placement

Professional Membership(s). Please tick all that are relevant:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> IACP | <input type="checkbox"/> PSI |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IAHIP | <input type="checkbox"/> IGC |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ACI | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

Other (please specify):

1. Please supply evidence of membership status with selected professional bodies.
2. Please submit copies of your relevant awards and transcripts with your application.

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SECTION 4: PERSONAL STATEMENT

Please state your reasons for wanting to embark on this programme:

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Please give the names of two referees who can vouch for your suitability for this programme and who can comment on your competence as a practicing therapist.

Name:	Name:
Nature of Relationship & Occupation:	Nature of Relationship & Occupation:
Contact Details:	Contact Details:

CHECKLIST:

Please ensure that all items below are attached as we cannot consider incomplete applications.

- Application Fee of €60.00 (Non-refundable)
- Evidence of Professional Body Membership
- Copies of Awards and Transcripts

I wish to apply for the Master of Arts in Integrative Child and Adolescent Psychotherapy:

Signed:	Dated:
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- All programmes are run subject to sufficient demand and the formation of a viable class cohort (which shall be determined in the sole discretion of IICP College). A refund of any fees paid less the application fee will be given to applicants in the event that the programme does not proceed. Fees are not refundable in any other circumstances.
- IICP College would like permission to retain your contact details including your mobile number and email address which may be used to keep you informed about our future courses, events, offers and news. To receive such information, please tick the box. You can unsubscribe at any time.
- Completed forms can be emailed to Triona@iicp.ie or posted to Triona Kearns, Director of Registry and Operations, IICP College, Killinarden Enterprise Park, Killinarden, Dublin 24. Alternatively, completed forms may be dropped into the IICP College office in person.