Welcome to the May 2022 edition of the GANZ Newsletter. As you can see, the newsletter comes in a new format. We are presenting a range of Professional Development (PD) opportunities for GANZ members and an update on the activities of the GANZ Council. We are also asking you a few questions about your GANZ membership and your preferred ways of communication with GANZ. Happy reading and we are looking forward to hearing from you!

#### **NEW GANZ COUNCIL**

We have restructured the GANZ council in order that we have a functioning executive committee. The role of Vice President is now shared by two of the current members Michelle Siers (Professional development Chair) and Karolina Krysinska (Research Chair). The role secretary is now filled by Annie Garrety who has stepped down from the role of president, thus completing a full executive committee of Treasurer, Vice-President and Secretary as per the regulations for incorporated organisations.

## **GANZ FUNDS DISTRIBUTED**

Last year the council decided to offer financial support to the training institutes during the covid crisis. Council decided to provide each Institute with \$2000 in the form of a Grant. These grants have now had their funds distributed for the projects nominated. The funds went to support development for the trainers in online pedagogy for both GTB and TRIA. GTA was granted funds to aid in the development of their Reconciliation Action Plan which they will share with GANZ and the other institutes when it is completed in October 2022.

#### PEER INTER-VISION GROUPS

We are excited to announce that we will provide 90 min group peer inter-vision free of charge to our practitioner members. The group size will be 9-10 intake and members can <u>read more</u>

## GANZ FREE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT FOR MEMBERS ONLY

Michael Craig Clemmens Webinar "Relational Embodiment as Co-Assessment of Process and Direction in Gestalt Therapy" Zoom online interactive presentation June 18 2022 9:00am – 12:00pm In this presentation Michael will read more

# SYDNEY GESTALT INTEREST GROUP

Join us for a GIG meet up hosted by Savvas Leondas – Greek style! As with previous events this is an informal evening. Come along and share your 'most and least <u>read more</u>

# RESEARCH PARTICIPANTS NEEDED

Seeking Gestalt psychotherapists for research exploring Gestalt psychotherapy online My name is Claire Spiller, and I am a PhD student at the Metanoia Institute – a dedicated and specialist training read more

# **GANZ MEMBER SURVEY**

We would like to find out more about your satisfaction with GANZ membership, your interest in GANZ activities and PD opportunities, and your preferred way of receiving communication from GANZ. To take part in the survey click here.

Regards,

The GANZ Council