

## **Completion of Training Colloquium 2 in the Subject-Specific Course PA**

### **SFU students and PA curriculum Innsbruck**

After fulfilling the PSI training guidelines as well as the legally regulated requirements contained therein, the applicant is admitted to the final colloquium.

The SFU requirement for this is generally the completed master's thesis.

### ***Colloquium 2***

The basis of the colloquium is a psychoanalytic, casuistic final thesis documenting the course of a longer (at least 100) hours of therapy.

With this case report, the candidate presents his/her psychoanalytic-therapeutic professionalism, psychoanalytic self-understanding as well as his/her acquired psychoanalytic competence, including scientific publications. The thesis should be between 50 and 70 pages long.

### **Preparation of the case report:**

- The candidate has experience as a training candidate under supervision.
- The therapy has been continuously supervised and is at an advanced stage.
- The candidate is looking for a promoter (supervisor) of the case report.
- The case report should be completed in 6 months from the start of supervision.
- The promoter discusses the selection of the case and supervises the work in terms of content, presentation and theory.
- The thesis is written in close consultation with the promoter.
- When the thesis has been deemed complete by the promoter, at least one second colleague is consulted for review.
- After all corrections have been completed, the thesis is released, and the candidate can be admitted to the oral final colloquium.
- The candidate must send 3 copies of the written paper to the PSI examiners.
- In a final oral examination, the candidate demonstrates his/her psychoanalytical understanding as well as his/her professionalism.

### **Colloquium 2 in conjunction with a master's thesis**

1. 1 The PSI checks whether the master's thesis is relevant to K2.
2. If the master's thesis is recognized as relevant for the completion of the PA training, a small case presentation of 20-25 pages must be integrated. This small case presentation corresponds to a condensed version of a psychoanalytic treatment, i.e., psychoanalytic theory and practical experience provide information about the psychoanalytic competences of the candidate.

**Costs**

The processing fee for Colloquium 2 is 450€ plus the cost of the final interview of 170€.

A candidate who has successfully completed the training at PSI may apply for admission as a full member of the Psychoanalytic Seminar.

**Registration in the Austrian list of psychotherapists:**

After successful completion of the specialized training, the candidate can apply to the Federal Ministry for registration in the Austrian list of psychotherapists as a psychoanalyst, psychoanalytic psychotherapist.