

Contributors



DR PETER MILNES (CTA)

Peter is Certified Transactional Analyst who currently works with his wife, Dr Genevieve Milnes, at Psychology Australia Mount Lawley. Peter performs many roles – clinician, supervisor, consultant, researcher and teacher and lives in the small country town of Kendenup.



PROFESSOR ANDREW SIMS

Andrew has been practising psychiatry for 50 years. For more than twenty years, Andrew Sims was Professor of Psychiatry in the University of Leeds. He was consecutively Dean (1987-1990), President (1990-93) and the first Director of Continuing Professional Development (1993-97) of the Royal College of Psychiatrists and ultimately Emeritus Professor. Professor Sims edited *Advances in Psychiatric Treatment* from its inception in 1993 until 2003, was founder editor of *Developing Mental Health* (2002-5), chaired the Spirituality and Psychiatry Special Interest Group of the Royal College of Psychiatrists and served on the General Medical Council. Professor Sims is the author of 12 books and over 200 papers and has published and spoken widely on the interface between religious faith and mental illness.



MR GASTON ANTEZANA

Gaston is a Psychologist who trained overseas and is a registered Counsellor and Supervisor in Australia with PACFA and CCAA and has worked as a clinician in a wide variety of settings. Presently Gaston is completing his PhD and currently works full-time at Murdoch University. Gaston sees clients privately at Psychology Australia Mt Lawley, Western Australia.



SHANNON HOOD

Shannon lives in Canberra, Australia with his wife, Jo, 4 children, and Pepper the Labrador. Shannon is a Lecturer and Research Fellow at the University of Divinity through Stirling Theological College. Prior to joining Stirling Shannon was the Academic Manager for the Australian Institute of Family Counselling (AIFC). Shannon works as a Professional Counsellor and Clinical Supervisor in his own private practice. He holds Degrees in Engineering, Commerce, Education, and Theology and a Graduate Diploma in Counselling and Psychotherapy. Shannon is completing his PhD investigating the use of Spiritual and Religious Interventions in Professional Counselling. He is a Level 4 Counsellor and Registered Supervisor with the Australian Counselling Association.



MS KIRSTEN HAMPSON

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JOHN ANDERSEN

John is a graduate of Fuller Theological Seminary in theology and marriage and family therapy as well as a graduate of the Australian Catholic University. John was the former head of the counselling school at Tabor College Victoria and is presently in private practice as a psychologist. John is also the President of the Christian Counsellors Association of Australia.



MS DOMINIE NELSON

Clinical counsellor. Goodwood, SA. Past Editor of *Counselling Connections Across Australia*. Dominie is a clinical counsellor in private practice and works from Life Design Counselling in Goodwood, South Australia. To balance her professional life, Dominie lectures in Adolescent Wellbeing at Tabor Adelaide where she also supervises counsellors in the Post Graduate program. She also lectures in Trauma, Grief and Loss in the postgraduate program (also at Tabor Adelaide). In her personal life Dominie enjoys travel, bushwalking, family and friendships



MS WENDY HAYES

Wendy is a Christian counsellor with 20 years experience in Church leadership. She has founded and facilitated numerous prayer ministries within a local church context along with running her private counselling practice. In recent years she has been working primarily with Christian women who have suffered various forms of abuse. Wendy has authored a book on intimacy with God and has a passion to see Christians walking in the freedom that comes through knowing their identity as sons and daughters of God. She is currently involved in leadership at her local church and resides in Melbourne with her husband of 25 years