



The International Attachment Network

FAMILIES IN CONTEXT OF WAR AND SOCIAL CONFLICT

Through the Lens of Attachment

11 DAY SEMINAR SERIES

October 2025- August 2026

**ONE SPEAKER A DAY
&
A FACILITATED DISCUSSION
GROUP**



**For information about IAN:
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THE INTERNATIONAL ATTACHMENT NETWORK
ARE PROUD TO SHARE WITH YOU AN 11 DAY
SEMINAR SERIES ON:

Families in Context of War and Social Conflict

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**A Transformational Seminar Series for Therapists,
Mental Health Professionals & Humanitarian Workers**

- **Learn trauma-informed, attachment-based frameworks**
- **Build culturally sensitive tools for working in high stress environments**
- **Understand the impact of displacement, violence & instability on family dynamics**
- **Equip yourself to support resilience and connection in the face of crisis**

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**HOSTED BY IAN UK &
IAN INDIA IN
COLLABORATION WITH
IAN ESPAÑA (SPAIN)**

11 DAY SERIES

11:00AM-1:00 PM (UK)

25 October 2025, 15 November 2025, 6 December 2025,
17 January 2026, 21 February 2026, 14 March 2026, 18 April 2026,
16 May 2026, 13 June 2026, 11 July 2026, 1 August 2026

Course fees:

UK: £50 session (€58); £499 entire course (€580).

Reduction: 10% early application, 20% IAN members, SEAS members & Sponsoring Organisations [Centre for Family Therapy (Barcelona), the Interfamily Therapy Centre (Elche), Romanian Society for Jungian Analysis]

India and neighbouring countries: Early bird INR 7500, IAN members INR 7000, non-members INR 9500.
2 scholarship seats at reduced fees of INR 2000 (based on application)

Early bird and scholarship application ends 25th September 2025

*SEAS: Society for Emotions & Attachment Studies

*changes may occur due to the current global economic situation

*attendance free for residents in war zones



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SEMINARS

DAY ONE

25 October 2025

Bowlby, the Robertsons, War and the Birth of Attachment Theory by:

Mario Marrone (UK) and Nicola Diamond (UK)

Facilitated by: Javier Sempere & Claudio Fuenzalida (Spain)

DAY TWO

15 November 2025

Child and Adult Attachment under Threat

by:

Marian Bakermans-Kranenburg (Portugal)

Facilitated by: Haline Schendan (UK)

DAY THREE

6 December 2025

Experiences of Youth in War-Stricken Ukraine and Other Countries by:

Kirsi Peltonen (Finland)

Facilitated by: Apphia D'Souza (India)

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DAY FOUR

17 January 2026

Attachment Research in India and Its
Socio-Political Implications by:

Ritesh Kumar (India)

Facilitated by: Princy Jain (India)

DAY FIVE

21 February 2026

Attachment, Societal Frictions and Social Justice
by:

Shanmukh Kamble (India)

Facilitated by: Roxana Parra (UK)

DAY SIX

14 March 2026

Holding on through Chaos: Attachment and Trauma
in Ukrainian Families in War-Time by:

Dmytro Martsenkovskyi (Ukraine)

Facilitated by: Lavinia Tanculescu (Romania)

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DAY SEVEN

18 April 2026

Attachment, Trauma and Psychological Support for Youth and their Parents Impacted by War: The Example of Ukrainian Forcibly Displaced Families by: Iryna Frankova (Ukraine)

Facilitated by: Iulia Feordeanu (Romania)

DAY EIGHT

16 May 2026

Attachment and Trauma in Israeli Families by: Efrat Sher Censor and Rinat Feniger-Schaal (Israel)

Facilitated by: Beatriz Folch (UK)

DAY NINE

13 June 2026

Attachment and Trauma in Palestinian Families by:

Raija-Leena Punamäki-Gitai (Finland), Safwat Y. Diab, and Samir R. Qouta (Gaza)

Facilitated by: Marinus van IJzendoorn (Holland)

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DAY TEN

11 July 2026

Toward Safe, Stable and Shared Family-Based
Care during War and Peace by:
Marinus Van IJzendoorn (The Netherlands)
Facilitated by: Beatriz Folch (UK)

DAY ELEVEN

1 August 2026

Summary and Discussion of Attachment during
Social Conflict and War by:
Nicola Diamond (UK) and Nicolas Lorenzini
(Germany)
Facilitated by: Kate Brown (UK)

*Subtitles in Spanish

SCHEDULE

11 AM -11.45 AM (UK Time) Lecture

15 minute break

12 PM -1 PM Facilitated discussion group

REGISTRATION & ENQUIRY

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