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## **BELGIRATE III**

# **Tradition, Creativity and Succession in the Global Group Relations Network**

**5-8 November 2009**

Hotel Villa Carlotta  
Belgirate, Lago Maggiore, Italy

Continuing in the tradition of the 2003 and 2006 Belgirate Conferences, this conference is intended for people who have held directorial, consultative or administrative roles, at least once, in Group Relations Conferences. The task of this conference is to provide opportunities to explore three major themes, **tradition, creativity and succession**, and how these shape and inform the practice and growth of the group relations global network through its principles, methods and applications.

The conference will include keynote presentations and parallel presentations, all focused on the above-noted themes, as well as an exploratory "here and now" event designed to consider the conscious, hidden and sometimes unconscious dynamics and meanings underlying the conference and its themes. The conference will provide opportunities to explore the current state of group relations work internationally and to consider possibilities for future developments in a constantly changing world.

A full brochure will be mailed in the late autumn, 2008. **If you would like to receive a brochure, please send your name, postal address and e-mail address to: [akriceak@aol.com](mailto:akriceak@aol.com)**. Meanwhile, **please save the dates**. Should you have questions about the conference, please contact a member of the Management Team:

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