



13th European Symposium on Suicide and Suicidal Behaviour

Integrating Knowledge for an Interdisciplinary Approach to Suicidology and Suicide Prevention

FROM 1st TO 4th OF SEPTEMBER 2010 IN ROME, ITALY

Dear Colleagues,

We are proud to welcome you to the European Symposium on Suicide and Suicidal Behaviour, ESSSB, which in its 13th edition (ESSSB13) will be hosted in Rome, Italy, a city where Past Ages seem to revive, overlap and melt into Modern Living and Transcultural Exchange, thus constituting the Ideal Ground to make up our Ideas around "Integration".

By keeping the legacy and sharing the common spirit of the previous, successful ESSSB symposia, ESSSB13 is in fact looking forward to novel perspective into the study of Suicidal Behaviour: specific theme of the Conference will be "Integrating Knowledge for an Interdisciplinary Approach to Suicidology and Suicide Prevention".

Basic components of studies on suicide (research, prevention, treatment) have undergone consistent progress, but given the peculiar nature of each one, their mutual dialogue and definitive exchange has proved to be scarce.

Inspiration of the 13th ESSSB is then investigating possible modalities and paths of communication of these instances, favoring aggregation and interplay not only of single minds, but also at a more complex level of structurization of suicidology, with the ultimate scope of harmonizing its articulate development.

We therefore invite you to join us and celebrate the ESSSB13 encounter of suicidologists, psychiatrists, psychologists, physicians and any other person who is interested in Suicide, Science, Care.

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