

New Directions and Motivational Interviewing

21 years of experience and the future for motivational interviewing

36th Annual NDSAG Conference

Date: Thursday 24th - Sunday 27th May 2012

Venue: Metropole Hotel, Llandrindod Wells, Powys

This conference brings together key figures involved in the genesis of MI and colleagues who have adopted and adapted its concepts and practice to review the impact of this groundbreaking work. The MI component of the conference is led by Professor Stephen Rollnick co-author of 'Motivational Interviewing'. During his keynote presentation Professor Rollnick whose landmark book with Professor Bill Miller was published 21 years ago, will unveil the next developments in Motivational Interviewing in advance of the publication of the latest edition.



As well as the review of motivational interviewing lead by Professor Rollnick our 2012 conference includes our annual symposium showcasing new research funded by Alcohol Research UK (formerly AERC).

Other contemporary issues the conference will address include:

- Compulsory alcohol interventions (USA)
- How alcohol practitioners develop their alcohol knowledge
- To Tweet or not to Tweet—a Twitter tutorial
- SBNT—a comparison with MI
- Equine Assisted Therapy

Also launching for the 2012 conference is the Ron McKechnie Prize. Created in memory of one of NDSAG's founding members, entrants must submit a paper for inclusion in the New Directions Journal. The winner gets a bursary for free attendance at the 2012 conference. For details on how to enter the Ron McKechnie Prize competition email Trevor McCarthy.

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Keep checking our website www.newdirections.org.uk for regular updates on the conference programme or contact Trevor McCarthy (Conference Organiser) by e-mailing trev.mcc@virgin.net. Booking forms are available on our website.

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