

## BRITISH OBJECT RELATIONS

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### **Class #1 Sept. 18, 2009**

#### **Transference: Mentalized and Unmentalized**

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### **Class #2 Sept. 25, 2009** (Guest Instructor, James Gooch, M.D., by conf. phone)

#### **Somatopsychic Roots of Development, Primitive Trauma**

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### **Class #3 Oct. 2, 2009** (Guest Instructor, James Gooch, M.D., by conf. phone)

#### **The Klein-Bion extension of Freud's model of the mind**

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### **Class #4 Oct. 9, 2009** (Guest Instructor, Robert Oelsner, M.D.)

#### **Projective Identification**

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### **Class #5 Oct. 16, 2009** (Guest Instructor, Robert Oelsner, M.D.)

#### **Containment**

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### **Class #6 Oct. 23, 2009**

#### **Early Psychic Development**

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**Class #7 Nov. 6, 2009** (Guest Instructor, Sue Radant, Ph.D.)

**Winnicott**

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**Class #8 Nov. 13, 2009**

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**Class #9 Nov. 20, 2009** (Guest Instructor, James Grotstein, M.D., by conf. phone)

**Bion**

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**Class #10 Dec. 4, 2009** (Guest Instructor, James Grotstein, M.D., by conf. phone)

**Britton**

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**Class #11 Dec. 11, 2009**

**Construction and Reconstruction**

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