



Virtual 2020 Conference

Awaken Your Story. Awaken Your Potential.

October 8th and 9th

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Thursday, October 8, 2020

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11:00 – 12:00 pm

Opening Session: Financial Therapy – Past, Present, and Future
Bruce Ross, PhD & Sarah Swantner, MS, NCC, CFP

12:10 – 1:00 pm

First Breakout Session:

Session 1: Advanced Clinical Model: The Four Love Languages and Restoring Your Clients Financial Life

Ed Coombs

Session 2: Using Emotion in Financial Therapy: Application of Emotionally-Focused Therapy Theory to Financial Therapy

Nathan Astle, Kirsten Cadden, Gayle Rodriguez & Megan McCoy, PhD

Session 3: The Rider & The Elephant: A visual Metaphor to help clients tap into their best financial decision-making mode

Cherie Stueve, PhD Candidate, MBA CPA(Inactive) AFC® & David Allen Ammerman, PhD

1:00 – 1:20 pm

Lunch Break

1:20 – 2:50 pm

Lunch Keynote Speaker: Helping Financial Service Professionals Develop Financial Empathy through Financial Therapy

Michael Thomas, PhD

3:00 – 3:50 pm

Second Breakout Session:

Session 1: Tools from The Trenches That Will Awaken Your Client's Money Story

Richard S Kahler, MS, CFP®, CFT-I™, CeFT®

Session 2: How Being You Impacts Your Work: A Live Demonstration of Person of the Therapist Genogram Exploration

Megan McCoy, PhD, Ingrid Ponciano, Kristy Archuleta, PhD

4:00 – 4:50 pm

Third Breakout Session:

Session 1: Money Mistresses and Financial Betrayal: Exploring Monetized Rage and Financial Control in Relationship

Debra L Kaplan

Session 2: Using Scaffolding Learning Theory as a Framework to Enhance Financial Education with Financial Planning Clients

Elizabeth Sterbenz, Megan McCoy, Raylee Melton, Dylan L. Ross, & Jed C. Smith

Session 3: The Cost of Cancer: The Association of Financial and Cancer-Related Stress on Maladaptive Coping Styles in Families with a Cancer Diagnosis

Emily Johnson, M.S. & Bruce Ross, PhD

5:00- 6:00 pm

Poster Session: Lightning Round Poster Presentations

Application of trans-theoretical model of change with Financial Social Work Model in financial counselling

Ruby Yip Yuk Ying

The Intersection of Money and Milkshakes

Wendy Wright, LMFT, CEDS, CFRC, CIEC

Effectiveness of Financial Therapy as an Intervention on Financial and Behavioral Health, a Modified Systematic Review

Jeffrey Anvari-Clark, MA, MSW

The Hidden Psychological Effects of Money on Black Women

Anita R Johnson

Chopping Budget: Financial Tips for Future Growth

Dion Lucas & Elizabeth Richardson

6:10 – 7:00 pm

Happy Hour & Social: Poster Round Tables- Chance to speak with Poster Presenters and Attendees

Friday, October 9, 2020

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- 9:30 – 10:30 am Conference FTA Board Meeting
- 11:00 – 12:30 pm **Morning Keynote Speaker:** Awakening the Money Story for People with Disabilities
Micahel Rousch, MA, AFC & Nanette Goodman
- 12:40 – 1:30 pm **First Breakout Session:**
Session 1: Spending and Saving Congruency: A Key to Understanding Marital and Financial Satisfaction
Jamie Lynn Byram, PhD & John E. Grable, PhD
Session 2: The Evolution of a Story: Updating Narrative Financial Therapy to new CFP Board Steps with Experiential Practice Opportunities
Megan McCoy, Bruce Ross, & Dylan Ross
Session 3: The Factors Related to the Use and Trust of Investment Advice: The Impact of Money Scripts
Travis Sholin & HanNa Lim
- 1:30 – 2:00 pm **Lunch Break**
- 2:00 – 3:00 pm **Lunch Keynote Speaker:** The Psychology of Money
Morgan Housel
- 3:10 – 4:00 pm **Second Breakout Session:**
Session 1: This Grief Isn't Brief: How Financial Therapists Can Recognize, Cope, & Help with COVID-19 Grief
Susan Zimmerman, ChFC, LMFT, CMC-1
Session 2: Neutral is Not an Option: The diversity of silence and neutrality
George M. Blount, DBA
Session 3: Measuring Perceived Partner Financial Behavior in Relationships: The Development of a Spender-Saver Perception Scale
Michelle Kruger & John E. Grable, PhD
- 4:10 – 5:00 pm **Third Breakout Session:**
Session 1: Helping Clients Become Happier, Better Versions of Themselves
Derek Hagen
Session 2: Financially True Boundaries
Dave Jetson, MS, LPC-MH, LCPC
- 5:10 – 6:00 pm **Concluding Remarks with Happy Hour & Social**