**Gibson Konsult AB**

**Christopher Gibson**, Fellow of the British Psychoanalytical Society, (Leg. Psykoterapeut) **offers 10 monthly seminars 2017**

**in Borås**

Melanie Klein and the Post Kleinians

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 Kleinian ideas offer an understanding of everyday life and therapeutic practice that can help us to maintain our ability to think in spite of stress and anxiety.

Seminarierna kommer att hållas på engelska med möjlighet för frågor och diskussion på svenska.

The group size will be limited to 8 - 12 members.

The total cost of the 10 meetings will be 5,500 kr, plus moms

Place: **Viskan Psykoterapi, Borås**

**Fredagar 1200 - 1330,** **start January 2017**

Starting with Freud’s “Mourning and Melancholia”, The seminar group will study the Kleinian concepts of; Introjection, Projection and Projective Identification,

Unconscious Phantasy and The Internal Object World,

Transference and Countertransference,

The Death Instinct and Envy,

The Paranoid Schizoid and Depressive positions,

Projective Identification,

Early anxiety and primitive defence mechanisms,

Borderline states of mind.

Christopher Gibson is a Fellow of the British Psychoanalytical Society. He is qualified as an adult, child and adolescent psychoanalyst.

He has worked as a therapist in the student services of Kings College London University until he was invited to join the staff of Brent Adolescent Centre.  There he worked with among others, Moses and Egle Laufer. In addition to a private practice in London he saw patients at the Anna Freud Centre.

Since moving to Sweden in 1998 he has worked in private practice and as a superviser to a number of organisations, including ‘Ungdomsmottagningar’, ‘Beroendekliniker’, Kriminalvården, Skyddsvärnet, BUP.

The ’**Klein and the Post Kleinians’**seminar series started in 2003, and continues with several groups in Göteborg, there have been groups in Norrköping, Lund and there is a group in Halmstad.

The object of the series is to give professionals working with ‘samtal’ a forum for a continuation of their professional development. The knowledge offered in the meetings is intended as a complement to the participants already hard won experience and learning.

Each month a chapter of a book or a paper will be offered for reading during the month. In the seminar there will be a presentation of the content of the paper and associated links and history. Group members are not expected to do homework. They may wish to read the paper beforehand and/or watch a recommended film or Shakespeare Play which may be used as an example.

The seminar is intended to be a relaxing way of gaining information. Christopher brings his teaching experience to bear on the sometimes difficult areas of kleinian theory.

Christopher is also available for ‘handledning’ and consultations during the friday afternoons. (In Swedish)