



The Hague, The Netherlands
April 20-25, 2015

Violence Risk Assessment and Management Workshop

ProActive ReSolutions is pleased to present a 5-Day Violence Risk Assessment & Management Workshop, in partnership with Van der Meer Investigative Psychologists. The Workshop is taking place April 20-25, 2015 in The Hague, The Netherlands.

This Workshop will provide professionals with general risk assessment and management principles, practical skills related to using specific risk assessment tools, and knowledge about implementing violence risk assessment and management procedures.

The topics covered will include foundational principles of violence risk assessment and management and the use of standardized, evidence-based procedures for risk assessment and management, including the HCR-20^{v3}, RSVP, SARA, B-SAFER and SAM.

Thousands of professionals from hundreds of settings across the world have taken part in our Workshops to date and the procedures developed by our Threat Assessment Specialists are among the most widely used in the field. Our Violence Risk Assessment and Management Workshops are the only ones in this field that have been subjected to systematic empirical research and evaluations indicate that the vast majority of participants recommend our Workshops.

WHY ATTEND?

Develop your skills

Build your expertise when making decisions about cases that involve violence risk and develop your skills when communicating with others about these cases.

Implement best practices

Learn about best practices in assessing and managing violence risk by authors of Structured Professional Judgment tools to help you prevent future harm and protect you from liability.

Network with others

Strengthen your relationships with other international professionals with a shared interest in and responsibility for violence risk assessment and management.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

The Workshop accommodates varying levels of experience in risk assessment, from beginner to advanced, and is relevant for professionals from diverse backgrounds, including investigative psychologists and senior police officers working with threat assessment departments, as well as clinical forensic psychiatrists, psychologists, social workers and nurses.

WORKSHOP INSTRUCTORS

Stephen D. Hart, PhD and Kelly A. Watt, PhD are internationally recognized experts, prolific authors, and engaging presenters. They have been involved in developing, implementing, and evaluating threat assessment procedures. They are passionate about providing evidence-based understanding, knowledge and skills about violence risk assessment and management that professionals can apply in practice. They have delivered training for diverse professionals around the world, on every continent except Antarctica.



Workshop Overview

DAY 1

Principles of violence risk assessment and management

- Focuses on the nature of violence and violence risk
- Principles of violence risk assessment, focusing on Structured Professional Judgment (SPJ) approaches
- Principles of violence risk management, focusing on scenario planning approaches

DAY 2

Assessing and managing risk for general violence

- Focuses on general or “typical” violence, including that committed by people with mental health, personality, or substance use problems
- Includes administration of the *Historical-Clinical-Risk Management-20* (HCR-20^{V3})

DAY 3

Assessing and managing risk for sexual violence

- Focuses on diverse forms of sexual violence towards intimate partners, family members, acquaintances and strangers
- Includes administration of the *Risk for Sexual Violence Protocol* (RSVP)

DAY 4

Assessing and managing risk for intimate partner violence

- Focuses on violence against current or former intimate partners, one of the most common and dangerous forms of violence
- Includes administration of the *Spousal Assault Risk Assessment Guide* (SARA) and the *Brief Spousal Assault Form for the Evaluation of Risk* (B-SAFER)

DAY 5

Assessing and managing risk for stalking

- Focuses on unwanted contact and communication, including physical violence, by people who are angry or obsessed
- Includes administration of the *Guidelines for Stalking Assessment and Management* (SAM)

Daily Schedule

The Workshops run from 0930 to 1700 each day, with refreshment breaks in the morning and afternoon and a lunch break from 1230 to 1330. Also included is a 3-course dinner (drinks not included) at the end of each training day.

Registration is from 0900 to 0930 on the first day of the Workshop.

Instructors



Stephen Hart, PhD

Stephen Hart is a Professor in the Department of Psychology at Simon Fraser University, and also a Visiting Professor in the Faculty of Psychology at University of Bergen. He has a doctorate in clinical-forensic psychology. His work focuses on the assessment and management of violence risk and of psychopathic personality disorder. Professor Hart is also a founding Director of ProActive ReSolutions Inc.



Kelly Watt, PhD

Kelly Watt works as a Threat Assessment Specialist at ProActive ReSolutions Inc. and is a member of the Mental Health, Law, and Policy Institute at Simon Fraser University in Canada. Dr. Watt's work focuses on conducting assessments, providing training, and developing strategies for workplaces related to preventing, assessing and managing workplace violence.

Host



Bram Van der Meer

Bram Van der Meer is a investigative psychologist who currently heads his own international consultation and training service, Van der Meer Investigative Psychologists. His work focuses on conducting threat assessment and case management, providing interview and interrogation expertise, developing offender profiles and providing investigative advice when police organizations deal with serious violent offences. He is the former president and a current executive board member of the European Association of Threat Assessment Professionals.

Location

Hotel Den Haag
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Hotel

Participants are responsible for arranging their own accommodation as necessary.

Cost

Early Bird Rate
Up to February 6, 2015 €2250 + tax per participant

Regular Rate
After February 6, 2015 €2500 + tax per participant

Discount

AETAP Discount
Members in good standing 10% member discount

Group Discount
Groups of 5 or more
from the same institution Free admission for every
fifth person

Cost includes all material (HCR-20^{V3}, SARA, B-SAFER and SAM manuals and worksheets). Daily refreshments, snacks, lunch, and a 3-course dinner will be provided. In addition, we invite you to join us for an evening social on April 22, 2015 where refreshments and appetizers will be provided.

Register

Submit your completed registration form to us by:
Fax 00+1+604.669.0145 or
E-mail info@proactive-resolutions.com

FINAL REGISTRATION DEADLINE: March 27, 2015

Questions?

Speak with one of our Client Care Specialists at 00+1+604.482.1750 (local) or e-mail your question to info@proactive-resolutions.com



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Registration

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REGISTRATION FEES

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Early Bird Rate: €2250 + tax per participant (ends February 6, 2015)

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Regular Rate: €2500 + tax per participant (closes March 27, 2015)

participants = _____

PAYMENT TYPE (PLEASE CHECK ONE)

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PARTICIPANT INFORMATION

All fields for each participant are compulsory. If you are registering more than 5 participants, please use another copy of this form.

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Questions? Call ProActive at 00+1+604.482.1750 or e-mail info@proactive-resolutions.com

Cancellation or changes to registration must be received in writing. Full registration fee will be refunded up to and including December 19, 2014. After December 19, 2014, 80% of the registration fee will be refunded.

We reserve the right to cancel the workshop by February 6, 2015 if we fail to reach the minimum paid number of registrants. Participants will receive a full refund in the event of cancellation.



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