

## **Presents**

## **Divorce Through the Developmental Lens**

## With Lisa Herrick, PhD and Kate Scharff, MSW

September 17, 2018 -10:00am-1:00pm Union Jacks, Columbia, MD

Building on the concepts in their new book *Mastering Crucial Moments in Separation and Divorce*, and using a blend of didactic presentation, demonstration, and shared group experiences, Lisa and Kate will explore the helpfulness of viewing our clients' divorce challenges within the context of ordinary human development. They will present the five primary tasks involved in early human emotional development and will translate our understanding of those tasks into how they look when clients face the tough challenges associated with divorce. They will answer such questions as, "How can we tell if a client has not mastered basic trust?", "How can we be most effective in our work with such clients?", "When clients have not developed healthy individuation or the capacity for empathy in early childhood, what might they experience as they go through a divorce process with a Collaborative team?" Learners will come away from this event with an enhanced understanding of their clients, their teammates, and themselves, and with new techniques for helping when the going gets rough.

Continuing Education Credits [Details TDB]

## Limited Seating, RSVP on First-Come Basis! \$40/Non-Members, \$20/HCCP Members

Program from 10 am − 1 pm, Lunch 1-2:30 pm (includes continental breakfast and lunch)

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