



ANTHROPOSOPHIC PSYCHOTHERAPY

A three-year, post-graduate course in psychotherapy, psychopathology & psychosomatics

Starting 1st Nov 2023

Entry Requirements & Application Information

General Entry requirements

As Emerson College is an adult college the minimum age at time of enrolment is 18. A basic command of the English language is required. The final decision for acceptance on the course is at the discretion of the course Faculty.

Course entry requirements

This is a post-qualifying course. So applicants must have a qualification in counselling or psychotherapy which meets the training standards for accreditation with the BACP or UKCP (or the equivalent in other psychological therapy professions; primarily psychiatry, clinical psychology and counselling psychology). Applicants should also provide evidence of experience of working with clients under supervision. You should therefore provide:

1. If your principal previous therapy training was a mainstream course it is necessary to provide evidence that it is either an accredited BACP course, an approved UKCP course, an HCPC approved clinical psychology or counselling psychology training, or a BMC approved training or the equivalent in the case of non-UK applicants, or If your principal previous therapy training was an anthroposophical course, it is necessary to provide evidence that the course is approved by the School of Spiritual Science at the Goetheanum.
2. You should provide evidence that you have been in practice for at least two years after qualifying and have at least 100 hours of clinical practice (under supervision where required).
3. All criminal offences and professional conduct investigations should be declared on application to the course. The Faculty will then assess your suitability for the course. If the Faculty become aware of an offence or an investigation but no declaration has been made, then the student will be excluded from the course.

How To Apply

To apply, please click on the 'APPLY NOW' button at the top of the page, fill out the online application form and upload the documents listed above in the 'Supporting Documents' section.

If you have any questions please contact Chiara Carones – registrar@emerson.org.uk

Full training

For the full training you will need to fill out the online application form and submit the following documents

- CV
- A 500-word statement explaining why you wish to train as an anthroposophic psychotherapist.

Your application will be examined by the course Faculty. If your previous training and qualification meet the course entry requirements, you will be invited to an individual interview.

If you successfully complete the admissions process, you will be sent a letter of acceptance via email. To secure your place on the course we require a non-refundable deposit of £500 to be paid within 14 days from receiving the official acceptance on the course, with the remainder of the fees due 2 months before the start of the training.

You are not fully confirmed on the course until this deposit is received.

Missed modules cannot be refunded.

November seminar only

For the November Seminar you will need to fill out the online application form and submit the following documents

- CV
- The fee, payment details below.

Your application will be examined by the course Faculty. If your previous training and qualification meet the standards described above and in the course entry requirements, you will be sent a letter of acceptance via email. To secure your place on the course we require the seminar fee £500 to be paid within 14 days from receiving the official acceptance on the November Seminar.

Acceptance on this seminar does not give you an automatic route onto the full course.

For the full course you will additionally have to:

- state your intention to take the full course,
- submit a 500-word statement explaining why you wish to train as an anthroposophic psychotherapist.

You will then be invited to attend an individual interview and, if successful will have to pay the balance of the full course fee as agreed with the course registrar.

Accommodation and meal booking

Once your application has been accepted you should apply for accommodation and meal booking for this course if required. Emerson College is a friendly, informal community and welcomes people of different ages and backgrounds from all over the world. Single rooms are available and are equipped with a single bed, desk, lamp, chair and linens. Bathrooms and showers are shared.

Accommodation can be booked through the Emerson website via the [Booking Calendar](#).