



Courageous Creativity

Light Up Your Ideal
Collaborative Practice!

Your Preparatory Exercises



Welcome!

We are looking forward to seeing you at IACP's 2021 Forum. We have so much we want to share with you in the time we will have together!

To get the most from the workshop, we invite you to take a few moments to think about the Preparatory Questions in this workbook.

Your answers to the preparatory questions will be used during the session so we ask that you print a copy and bring it with you.

We look forward to seeing you soon!

Rachel Hernandez, Sandra
Bruckner & Selina Trigg





Get a Head Start...

Let's get our conversation started before Forum!

We invite you to join us in the Facebook group we have created for attendees of this workshop.

The group is a closed, private group. Anyone outside the Group will not see what you share within it.

You can request to join by [clicking here](#) or by searching "Courageous Creativity IACP Forum 2021" in Facebook.

We'll see you on the inside!

Rachel, Sandi & Selina.

Preparatory Questions



What *specifically* about your practice do you hope to transform for the future? What are your aspirations for your practice and your role within it?



When you think about transforming your practice in these ways, what are your fears and concerns? What do you worry about?

I feared my colleagues' derision if I changed the way I worked!- Selina




How will you *feel* about your work and your practice if you can transform it in the ways you hope?

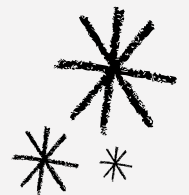
I will feel satisfied in transforming my practice to align with my personal beliefs for families!- Rachel




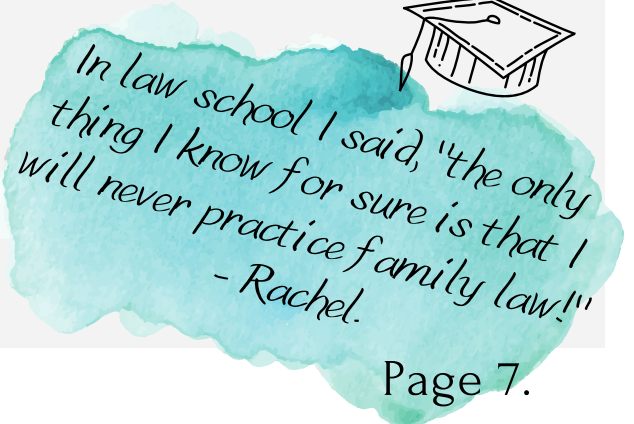
Think of a client you would love to clone and have as a client again and again and again. What characteristics does this client have that make them ideal? Paint a word picture of the client - what are interested in? what do they read or listen to? where do they shop or eat out? What do they care about?



What did you want to be when you grew up? What stopped you?

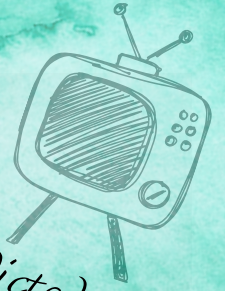


What are three things that colleagues and clients would be surprised to learn about you?



*In law school I said, "the only thing I know for sure is that I will never practice family law!"
- Rachel.*

What are your "guilty pleasures"?



I am addicted to 'The Real Housewives' - Selina

What's the bravest thing you have ever done? the craziest? the thing that makes you proudest?

The bravest thing I have ever done, and also that makes me the proudest, is launching a business in the middle of the pandemic, dedicated to resolving disputes respectfully for people dealing with one of the most stressful times of their lives! - Sandi

When a new client comes to see you for the first time, what are they *expecting* of you? of the legal system/ resolution process?

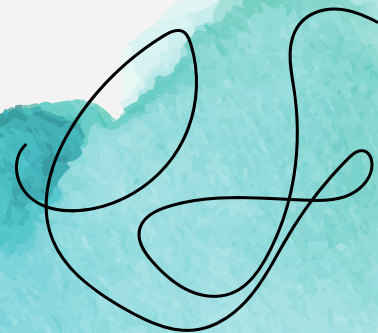


What services do you offer currently?

In what ways do you currently work creatively? What creative solutions or options have you used with your clients in any process?

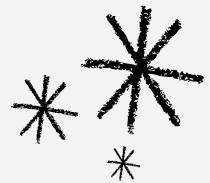


How do you *educate and inform* your clients?





What are the key features of your intake process?

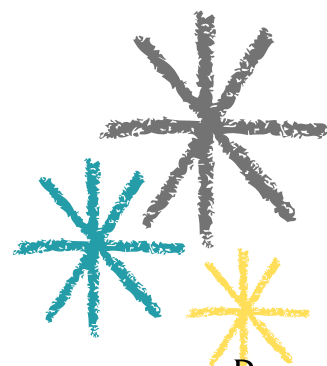
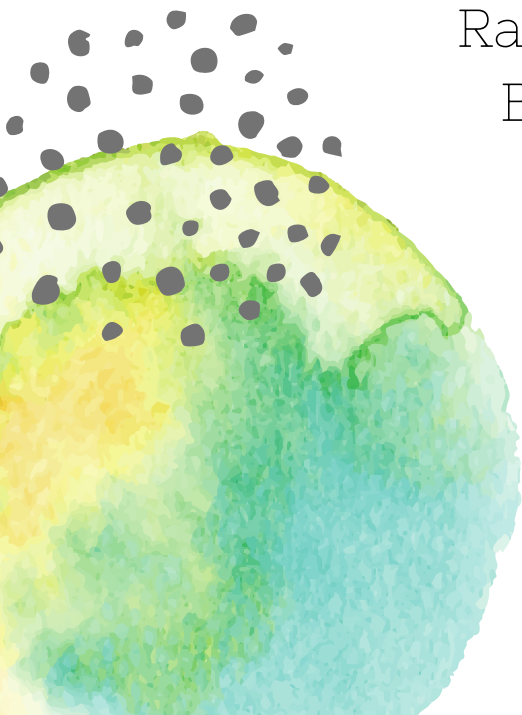


One More Thing

Have you got a case that plays on your mind regularly? Perhaps it was one you completed years ago but it still plays on your mind because you felt it could have been run differently. Maybe it was the case that led you to train as a Collaborative Professional!

Please come to our workshop with this case in mind. If you'd like us to use your case as a case study during our workshop, please share a brief summary of it by emailing us.

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