



Social justice & Feminist informed work with men who use violence

Presented by Vikki Reynolds, PhD RCC

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#401 – 1638 East Broadway, Vancouver BC

SPARK II: In-house training opportunity for FSGV staff only

VIKKI REYNOLDS PhD RCC is an activist/therapist and Adjunct Professor bridging the worlds of social justice activism and therapy. Vikki is a white-settler heterosexual woman with cisgender privilege. Her experience includes supervision and therapy with refugees and survivors of torture, sexualized violence counsellors, mental health and substance misuse counsellors, shelter workers, activists and gender and sexually diverse communities. She has published and presented internationally on resistance to 'trauma', ally work, justice-doing, a supervision of solidarity, ethics, and innovative group work.

Vikki's writing and talks are available for free on her website: www.vikkireynolds.ca

Vikki Reynolds returns to FSGV with another valuable training for FSGV staff!

In this experiential workshop Vikki will address work with men who have used violence. This approach comes from a justice-doing and decolonizing frame, and is informed by an intersectional feminism. We will:

1. Address the structural oppressions that create the conditions for this on-going oppression, which includes looking at rape culture inside a wider culture of violence, and consider creative responses in therapeutic work with men who commit these assaults.
2. Discuss ethical stances for this work that hold people who have suffered assault at the centre, alongside a call to account, responsibility and compassionate responses to men who enact violence.
3. Look closely at the language that is used to disguise the violence of sexualized assault, and the liberatory ways we can use language accountably and effectively.

This workshop may count towards the ethics requirement for CPD activities for staff who are in the process of updating their RSW.

Registration Information

Please register online using your FSGV email handle. Priority registration to staff who are required to renew their RSW. General registration is first come, first served.

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