



**The Balint Society of Australia invites you to a workshop
November 29 2008 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
400 Tooronga Rd., Hawthorn East**

**Our words and their music: a Balint perspective for clinicians
Our guest from the U.K. will be
Herbert Hahn**

Herbert is a psychologist and psychoanalytic psychotherapist. In addition to clinical work, his interests include organizational consultancy, social dreaming facilitation, mentoring, career development coaching, supervision and Balint group leadership. He is a Senior Visiting Fellow at the Centre for Psycho-Social Studies, UWE, Bristol.

He trained at the Cassel Hospital, The Tavistock Clinic, The London Clinic For Psychoanalysis and the British Psychotherapy Association in individual, group and couples work. He was trained by Tom Main (who was trained by Michael Balint) in applying the Balint approach to psycho-sexual medicine and has extensive experience leading Balint groups for psycho-sexual medicine practitioners and training Balint group leaders.

He has published many papers and book chapters about psychotherapy, social dreaming, supervision and group work. His most recent publication is as co-editor with Paul Hoggett and Simon Clarke: *Object Relations and Social Relations* (Karnac, London, in press).

This workshop will be primarily experiential and will be suitable for any interested clinician, including GPs, psychiatrists and psychotherapists, and anyone interested in Balint work. Participants will present and discuss clinical material using the Balint group model.

Morning tea will be provided.

This meeting will be submitted to the RACGP QA & CPD program for Category 2 points for the 2008/2010 triennium. The outcome of this application will be published at a later date.

Admission \$15 or \$10 for Balint Society of Australia members.

RSVP would be appreciated for catering purposes to Ruth Dunn,
<ruthdunn@ozemail.com.au> telephone 94290612 by 25/11/2008.

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