Join us for an opportunity to study and work in depth with Sandplay, imagery, and your own creative process. Travel to Switzerland, stay in a lovely, countryside conference center surrounded by the Swiss Alps, and live for two weeks with international master teachers and a community of like-minded souls.

This unique, intensive course is designed for professional therapists, psychologists, counselors, and educators who use Sandplay in their work and for those training to do so. Participants have the opportunity to learn from a special group of instructors not easily accessible. Each instructor has many years of training in the Kalffian theory and practice of Sandplay in addition to extensive professional, clinical, and teaching experience.

The two-week format provides the opportunity to study and work in a depth not attainable in short courses. By traveling to Switzerland, we leave behind our everyday responsibilities, and immerse ourselves deeply in Sandplay. Being in a group of colleagues who share this work provides community and stimulation. Learning about Sandplay in the environment where it was developed creates a connection to the source. Switzerland itself is beautiful, magical, and enticing.

The Program
The program includes in-depth case presentations by faculty, soul painting workshops, the opportunity for participants to present their own work for consultation, BodySoul work with dreams, movement, creative expression, and ritual. We will visit the sacred Black Madonna at the nearby cathedral that holds her chapel. An optional trip into the mountains to experience the glory of the Swiss Alps is also offered. The schedule is intensive with sessions every morning and afternoon and some evenings.

Pre-conference Workshop
A pre-conference workshop, In the Footsteps of C.G. Jung—An Introduction to Zurich and Switzerland, will be held before the program, August 3-6, 2011. Here participants have the chance to explore the area where both Dora Kalff and Carl Jung lived and worked, see some of the most interesting sites in Zurich, relax into the natural beauty of the area, and acclimate to the environment before the intensive Sandplay training begins. Details will be sent to those who enroll in Sandplay in Switzerland.

Dates: August 6-20, 2011. The program begins in Einsiedeln, Saturday, August 6, with check in at our conference center in the afternoon. A welcome dinner will be held that evening; first session is Sunday morning, August 7, at 9 am. The program ends in Einsiedeln, Saturday, August 20, after breakfast. Participants are responsible for their own travel arrangements; complete details will be sent to those who enroll.

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Faculty

**MARTIN KALFF, Ph.D.**, is a leading Sandplay therapist, a meditation teacher, and Tibetan Buddhist scholar. In various personal meetings starting in 1969, he has received inspiration and encouragement by the Dalai Lama to continue his innovative work. In 1985, he was one of the 12 founding members of ISST, and in 1991 he founded The Center for Sandplay Therapy, later renamed Pegasus: Center for Sandplay Therapy, Psychology of Religion, and Creative Expression. He is also co-founder of the Buddhist Center in Zollikon, Switzerland. Dr. Kalff has a private practice in Sandplay therapy treating children and adult clients, and teaches Sandplay all over the world. He lives in Switzerland with his wife and son.

**SABINE HAYOZ-KALFF** is a teacher of expression through painting, and an art therapist who works with individuals and groups in her studio in Zollikon. She was trained in expressive art by Arno Stern, founder of the method. Her training in art therapy and psychodrama was through DGKT, the German Association for Art Therapy, and she has been a member of DGKT since 1987. She has engaged in Buddhist studies and practice since 1981 with Tibetan lamas and western Buddhist leaders, and is the manager of the Buddhist Center in Zollikon. She completed 6 years of meditation teachers training with Sylvia Wetzel, one of the leading German teachers, in Berlin. She is a certified meditation teacher, and co-leader of Sylvia Wetzel’s Meditation Network, “Tara libre,” in Germany and Switzerland.

**MARIA KENDLER** is a teaching member of ISST and also serves on the ISST Board. Presently she is the president of the Swiss Society for Sandplay Therapy. She maintains a private practice as a psychologist for both children and adults near Lausanne and works in a therapy center for young adults with psychiatric and addiction problems. She also practices Sandplay Therapy in an International School with adolescents, and regularly experiences Sandplay with developmentally challenged persons. Her first profession was a teacher of German language and literature; she now writes in the editorial group of the German Journal for Sandplay Therapy. She offers Sandplay training and personal process in several European countries. Originally Austrian, she has now lived in the French part of Switzerland for 16 years.

**JUDY ZAPPACOSTA**, MFT, is a Certified Sandplay Teacher in Sandplay Therapists of America (STA) and the International Society for Sandplay Therapy (ISST). She has maintained a private practice in Santa Cruz, California, for over 25 years; the focus of her practice is Jungian psychotherapy, Sandplay, dreams, and the integration of psyche and soma. She consults and supervises therapists using Sandplay, and has taught both nationally and internationally. She presently serves on the board for ISST and is Treasurer and board member for the Marion Woodman Foundation, where she completed the BodySoul Rhythms® Leadership Training Program. She is one of the contributing authors in *Sandplay Supervision*, edited by Rie Mitchell and Harriet Friedman, (Routledge), and *Living the Tides of Uncertainty*, (STA). Judy teaches summer programs abroad for Caring for the Soul Conferences offering two week intensives for Sandplay training in Switzerland and Interior Rhythms, which integrate Sandplay, dreams, and body awareness in relation to inner and outer landscapes.

Program Director

**PATTY FLOWERS** directed continuing education programs in the arts, humanities, health & healing, and psychology at University of California Extension, Santa Cruz, for more than 20 years. She specialized in programs exploring Jungian psychology, including programs held in Switzerland from 1980 through 2001. She worked extensively with Dora Kalff, bringing her to the US to teach Sandplay throughout the 1980s, and taking students to her in the *Sandplay in Switzerland* programs. She was Program Director for the Marion Woodman Foundation for 9 years from its inception through 2010. She worked closely with Marion Woodman in the creation and management of programs offering an experience of Woodman’s groundbreaking BodySoul work; she also completed the BodySoul Rhythms® Leadership Training Program. She now devotes her time to Caring for the Soul Conferences. She has been a life-long student of religions and is currently pursuing research on the Divine Feminine as manifested in the world today.

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Location: Our conference center, Schweitzer Jugend-und-Bildungszentrum (SJBZ) is located in Einsiedeln, Switzerland. The closest airport is Zurich; trains run regularly from the Zurich airport to Einsiedeln (about an hour’s trip). SJBZ is located in a quiet, natural environment, with walking trails in the forest, to a nearby lake, and to the town. Einsiedeln is a pilgrimage center with an interesting history, surrounded by a beautiful, typically Swiss countryside.

Fee:
- Single room with private bath: .......... $5,290.
- Double room with private bath: .......... $4,970.
- Single room with sink (shower and toilet down the hall): .......... $4,840.

Fees include all program costs, lodging for 14 nights, and all meals. Travel to Europe is not included. Enrollment is limited and is by application only.

Credit: This program offers 45 hours of approved continuing education hours for MFTs and Social Workers, and 45 hours toward ISST/STA certification.

To Enroll: Contact us for application and enrollment forms.

A deposit of $500 and a completed application form are required to enroll. Balance is due by June 24, 2011. Contact us to arrange a payment plan that suits your needs. $250 is non-refundable. Detailed refund policy will be sent to enrollees.

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Sandplay in Switzerland

“My personal goals in attending the conference were more than met. I learned a great deal about Sandplay, but most importantly, I learned a lot about myself in the growth process. This will greatly benefit my practice of Sandplay. It was an invaluable experience.”

—past program participant

Caring for the Soul Conferences
—Mailing List
Would you like to be notified about our upcoming programs? We would be pleased to keep you informed. Please send your contact info, both mailing address and email address, to caringforthesoul@earthlink.net. Thank you!

Also of Interest
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August 25-29, 2011
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