

Child and Family Therapy Research (CaFTR) Special Interest Group

Chair: Nick Midgley (UK)

Steering committee: Claudia Capella (Chile), Geoff Goodman (USA), Adriana Lis (Italy), Marc Noom (Netherlands), Orya Tishby (Israel), Katharina Weitkamp (Germany)





- Support and promote research in the field of child and family therapy
- including parent-infant research, developmental research, and research examining the processes and outcomes of a wide range of child and family therapies



What have we been up to?



- Organizing panels at SPR meetings
- CaFTR e-forum to provide an online space for discussion and exchange of ideas, encourage collaborations and research news (caftr@psychotherapyresarch.org)
- We plan to offer webinars via SPR with researchers working in child and family therapy

What have we been up to?



- Special issue of Psychotherapy Research edited by Nick Midgley with support from the CaFTR steering group
- Will be published in the Autumn of 2017
- Four highly respected child/family researchers publish their view on research in the field and their experiences with their specific research
- Claudia Capella and Adriana Lis edited a special issue of the Italian SPR journal Research in Psychotherapy
- Has recently been published

What have we been up to?



- Succession planning: Nick Midgley will be stepping down as Chair in September 2017
- New Chair will be Geoff Goodman with Katharina Weitkamp as Vice Chair



 Current discussions: including new members to the steering group or developing national representatives (if anybody is interested – please get in touch with us)