## Registration

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### Type of Registration

Sign me up for:

• Two Days: \$345 early/\$395 late/\$275 repeat I am a repeat attendee: • Yes

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I am: • Adopted Person • Birth parent

- Adoptive parent
   Foster parent
   Social Worker
- M.D. Psychologist Lawyer Educator
- Parent by Alternative Reproduction Technology
- Other:

### Form of Payment

- Check (payable to "PACT (Pre/Post Adoption Consulting and Training")

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Cambridge-based AACT and PCC was begun in March of 2012 but the programs have existed and ARC has been around since 1973. PCC has a New York presence as well. PCC and AACT provides training, education, advocacy, and counseling for individuals and families touched by adoption, foster care, kinship care, guardianship, and all other forms of complex blended families. For more information, please contact kinnect@gmail.com.



# Transitions, Trust, Trauma, and Truth

Post Adoption: What we know and what we need to know to strengthen families and children

# 27th Annual ARCheology Summer Intensives

lune 23-24, 2013

How post adoption services and consciousness have changed and how this change shapes the lives of people who live and work in the world of adoption



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At this year's ARC Summer Intensives, we will take a look at the aspects of adoption that involve the 'meeting of the minds' of many professionals, agencies, countries, and counties.

As ever, ARC will use narrative therapy, digital stories, performance, and movies to discuss the many emotional and psychological elements that can make adoption both a challenge and a joy for all involved and how the hard work of people who have been pioneers and change agents have made a difference for all of the Family of Adoption.

These ARC trainings are called "the intensives" because we work and think very hard about what is needed in families associated with adoption and other complex blended families. They are intense but in a gentle setting!



Session I: Sunday, June 23, 2013: ARC Intensives\*

Session II: Monday June 24,2013: Transitions, Trust, Trauma, and Truth

The following is a draft schedule and as such presenters, films, etc. are subject to some change. Anticipated presenters include: Penny Callan Partridge, Father Tom Brosnan, Ada White, Susan Cox, Patrick Morris, Zara Phillips, Phyllis Lowinger, Sue Harris O'Connor, Nate Bae Kupel, Justin Pasquiarello, April Dinwoodie, Craig Hyman, Patrick McMahon, Michelle Renaud, Jennifer Joyce Pedley, Abby Ruder, Holly Bishop, Melissa St. John, Jennifer Malloy, and Nancy Yen.

## Sunday, June 23, 2013

Setting the scene with film, discussion and panels regarding the importance of dialogue in adoption (For professionals, parents [birth, adoptive, foster, etc], adult adopted people, and extended family)

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8:00-8:30	Registration and Coffee/Light Breakfast
8:30-8:45	Opening Remarks – Dr. Joyce Maguire Pavao (adopted) with Poetry by Penny Callan Partridge (adopted and adoptive parent), Father Tom Brosnan (adopted)
8:45-9:15	Keynote: Transitions, Trust, Trauma and Truth in Adoption and After Adoption - Dr. Joyce Maguire Pavao
9:15-10:45	Movie (TBA)
10:45 -11:00	Break
10:45-11:15	Panel discussion: discuss film
11:15-11:45	Open Discussion: How can we make the lives of little adopted ones better?
11:45-1:30	Lunch on Your Own. Time to discuss, write and journal about the morning presentations (luncheon places very nearby and a grille by the pool!)
1:45-2:15	Keynote: Does it get better?
2:15-2:45	Panel discussion: discuss film (panel to be announced based on content of film)
3:00-4:00	Break outs: How can we make our work produce positive results for children in adoption today and tomorrow?
4:00-4:30	Open Discussion - Dr. Joyce Maguire Pavao
4:30-5:00	Evaluations and Wrap Up

### Monday, June 24, 2013

Presentations by professionals, and people who live in the world of adoption. An occasion to stimulate discussion and world change in post adoption attitudes, outlook, and services.

8:00-8:30	Opening Remarks - Dr. Joyce Maguire Pavao with Poetry by Penny Callan Partridge and Fr. Tom Brosnan
8:30-9:30	Keynote: How many identities does it take to make a true self?
9:30-10:00	Panel: Discussion of Identity Issues and what professionals and parents need to know.
10:00-10:15	Break
10:15-10:45	Panel: Sibling Connections Promoting lasting sibling connections for waiting and adopted children and teens.
10:45-11:15	Birthmother /Birthparent panel where do we stand with openness?
11:15-11:45	Adoptive parent panel: where do we stand with openness?
11:45-1:30	Lunch on Your Own. Time to discuss, write and journal about the morning (sandwiches to go and luncheon places nearby)
1:30-2:30	Case presentation and discussion (incuding approaches and how to see cases in strength-based and systemic way.)

# Workshops: Strategies and Skills that Both Help and Hurt: How to make a difference.

A) Use of Narrative in Adoption
B) Use of Expressive Therapies in Adoption

2:30-3:30	Groups: A & B
3:30-4:30	Groups: A & B
4:30-5:00	Open Discussion/Wrap Up of Session 1 and Evaluations