

Pornography Addiction: Fact or Myth? Clinical Implications for Treatment Providers and Interveners

Wednesday, April 9, 2014 | 9 am – 5 pm
Ramada Crystal Palace Hotel, Dieppe, NB

With the widespread availability of free pornographic material, clinicians and interveners are reporting a rise in the number of clients presenting with problematic pornography usage, affecting their relationships and their quality of life. Some have gone as far as to label this problematic use as **Pornography Addiction**.



SAGE Inc. is pleased to offer a one-day workshop to address this emerging clinical issue. Dr. Lisa Dawn Hamilton, Sex Educator and Assistant Professor of Psychology at Mount Allison University will present participants with ground-breaking information and research in this relatively new field of study.

After taking part in this unique and timely professional development opportunity, participants will:

- have increased knowledge about current research on pornography;
- identify their values and biases about pornography;
- be able to conduct assessments with clients to determine if their usage is problematic;
- identify appropriate treatment and intervention options for problematic pornography usage.

This workshop will be of interest to those in helping roles such as: **psychiatrists, psychologists, social workers, counsellors, youth care workers, mental health professionals, correctional personnel, educators, and clergy**. As this issue is also known to be impacting employee performance in the workplace, this workshop will also be of interest to **those in the field of human resources**.

Presenter

Dr. Lisa Dawn Hamilton is a sex educator and an Assistant Professor in the Psychology Department at Mount Allison University in Sackville, NB, where she teaches Biopsychology, Human Sexuality, and the Psychology of Gender.

She completed her B.A. (Hons) in Psychology at Simon Fraser University in Vancouver, BC, followed by an M.A. and Ph.D. in Psychology (Behavioral Neuroscience) from the University of Texas at Austin, with a focus on women's sexuality. She currently runs the Mount Allison Sexual Health Lab (MASHLab).

Dr. Hamilton's research includes topics such as the role of pornography in the lives of men and women, as well as the positive and negative effects of pornography as sex education. Her research on sexual behavior has been published in several academic journals including the Journal of Sex Research, Journal of Sexual Medicine, and Hormones and Behavior.

Register now for the early bird rate of \$179.00. Space is limited!!

For further information contact:

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Accommodations

For those attendees seeking accommodations in Greater Moncton while attending this workshop, we have secured a limited number of rooms at the venue, the Ramada Plaza Palais Crystal Palace. The conference room rate is \$129.95, plus applicable taxes.

This rate is not available for online bookings. **In order to receive the discounted conference rate, you must contact the hotel directly at 1-800-561-7108 to make your reservation. Please quote the name "SAGE Inc. Conference" when booking your room.**





Workshop Registration Form

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Complete this form and fax, mail or email it with your registration fee.
Please PRINT clearly. Fax: 506.857.2012, Attn: Karen Geldart
kgeldart@sageinc.ca

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

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Address: _____

Street

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Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Special requirements (e.g. meals, accessibility): _____

Payment

Early Bird & Student Rate (for payments received prior to March 7, 2014) \$179.00 + HST

Full Rate (for payments received after March 7, 2014) \$229.00 + HST

Late Registration Rate (for payments received after March 31, 2014) \$259.00 + HST

Note: The registration fee includes participant handouts, materials, and lunch.

Please make cheques payable to SAGE Inc., and mail to:

SAGE Inc.
70 King Street
Moncton, NB E1C 4M6

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