

Barcelona, December 26th 2012

Dear Colleagues and Delegates,

I am writing to you regarding a new EGATIN survey, which is being done in order to update and complete the previous survey. You might know that there have been a number of previous surveys, one in 1986-87 done by IGA Athens on behalf of the IWG (the working group responsible for founding EGATIN), another done by Werner Knauss and Rudi Olivieri in the 1990's, and a third more recent survey done in 2008 by Kristian Valbak, Bettina Fink and Paula Carvalho.

The EGATIN committee decided that the best option for a new survey would be to base it on the last one with some modifications. Consequently, this new questionnaire is the revised version completed by the Committee in Moscow at our recent Intermediate meeting.

This new version has four parts. The first, **PART I**, is about **your Institute** and consists of some general questions about your Institute and the different training programs you run.

The second, **Part II**, is about the characteristics of each of the courses you run. You need to complete a form separately **for each of the courses** your Institute organizes. This part contains different subsections with questions about **General information, therapy, theory, and supervision**.

Part III is about the **evaluation** of your training courses, and **part IV** allows room for any **comments** you may want to add or aspects we have neglected, because you have more and better knowledge of your Institute.

All this information will serve to describe the similarities and differences of group analysis in the various training programs and institutes. When all the completed questionnaires will have been collected, the committee will organize the information and compile a résumé. If there are difficulties in collecting all the data, or if there is need for clarification, this task may not be completed by the AGM. In any case, we are planning that the final report will be made available to all institutes as soon as possible. Following that, arrangements will be made for publication of the surveys.

Please fill in the questionnaire, using all the space you need. It may well be useful to have more general information that you may add to the questionnaire. Remember that the second part must be completed separately for each of the different programs or courses your Institute runs in this academic year. Please confirm to us that you have received this mail. When you have completed the questionnaire, please send it to José Miguel Sunyer at institutogrupoanalis.omis@gmail.com, and at egatincommittee@gmail.com who is responsible to collect all this information.

One last point, the deadline is the 31th January 2013.

I hope to hear from you soon

Best wishes,

José Miguel Sunyer Martín