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## **Subjective Dimension of Law-Violating in Adolescents**

Presented by:

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TIME AND LOCATION

**Saturday, November 23, 2019**

**10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.**

**Toronto Lawn Tennis Club**

**44 Price Street, Toronto, Ontario**

*Parking - Green P on Price St, across from Terroni's on Yonge St.*

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### **ABOUT THIS PRESENTATION**

This presentation aims to discuss the subjective dimension of the adolescent law-violating through a Freudo-Lacanian approach. Considering the mainstream status, mainly related to psychiatric and legal considerations about adolescents in conflict with the law, an alternative and psychoanalytically grounded point of view is offered.

The inherently problematic relationship between adolescence and transgression results fundamental to think about the young individual's status towards the Law of the cultural Other. Making a distinction between the law, in its legal form, and the cultural Law, the symbolic ground of the first, allows us to decode, transcribe and to give meaning to the adolescent's law infraction. Clinical categories, such as the act and the metaphor, are significant to describe different ways the aggression is manifested at this age period. Furthermore, the interventions should include the relationship towards two significant Others: the parents, family, peers and the State.



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## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

1. To describe the importance of the cultural Law with regards to transgression and psychic development in adolescence.
2. To define legal law and symbolic Law and their inherent relationship.
3. Act and metaphor as ways of thinking adolescent infraction.
4. Intervention and the role of the Other: parents, family, peers and State.

## ABOUT THE PRESENTER

**Felipe Ramirez Hinrichsen** is a psychoanalytic psychotherapist (CAPCT and CAPT) and a Licensed Psychologist in the province of New Brunswick. He is a graduate of a six-year psychology program and is a licensed psychologist in Chile, his country of birth. In addition he holds a Master's degree in psychoanalytic psychotherapy for children and adolescents.

In his private practice, at Psyché Services in Moncton, NB, Felipe works with children, adolescents and adults -anglophone, francophone and first nations- suffering from attachment issues, trauma and personality disorders. He also carries out psychoeducational and cognitive assessments.

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