

Envisioning Vision

Die Augen und das Sehen verbessern mit der Feldenkrais Methode_

Workshop mit Carl Ginsburg und David Webber_
Freitag, 15. Mai – Sonntag, 17. Mai 2009 in Wien

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Carl Ginsburg, Ph.D., Feldenkrais Trainer, studierte Naturwissenschaften und später die Feldenkrais Methode bei Moshé Feldenkrais im ersten nordamerikanischen Feldenkrais Training 1975 in San Francisco. Auf Bitten von M. Feldenkrais gab er dessen Workshop in der Mann Ranch als Buch unter dem Titel *The Master Moves* heraus. Er hat umfassend über die Feldenkrais Methode im *Feldenkrais Journal*, im *Journal of Consciousness Studies* und im *Journal of Humanistic Psychology* publiziert.

David Webber, Feldenkrais Practitioner, ist plötzlich mit 43 Jahren (1996) durch eine schwere Augenerkrankung erblindet. Durch Anwendung der Feldenkrais Methode ist es ihm gelungen, einen Großteil seines Sehvermögens zurückzuerlangen. Aufgrund dieser Erfahrungen begann er, die von ihm entwickelten Seeing Clearly© Workshops in Europa und USA, u.a. bei diversen internationalen Konferenzen, zu präsentieren. Gemeinsam mit Carl Ginsburg unterrichtet David sowohl öffentliche Workshops als auch Advanced Trainings für Feldenkrais Lehrer.

Termin

Datum: Fr, 15. Mai – So, 17. Mai 2009
Zeit: Fr 15.00 – 19.00 und Sa/So 10.00 – 17.00 Uhr
Ort: Tanz Atelier Wien, Neustiftgasse 38, 1070 Wien
Preis: € 330,- (inkl. 20% MwSt.); Ermäßigt (zb. StudentInnen): € 270,-
Unterrichtssprache: Englisch; Begrenzte TeilnehmerInnenzahl!

Anmeldung

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Seminargebühr

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Carl Ginsburg, Ph.D., began early in his long career as a Feldenkrais Practitioner and later Trainer to explore the functioning of the eyes as way of helping people when other processes didn't work. Starting with himself and then clients he evolved processes to soften vision, coordinate the two eyes better, and affect the entire self image through the eyes. He has shared these discoveries with many students in public workshops and Feldenkrais trainings.

David Webber, Feldenkrais Practitioner, lost his eyesight suddenly in 1996, at the age of 43, due to a severe eye disease and was declared legally blind. He regained much of his vision by working with the practical principles of the Feldenkrais Method. Based on his own healing experience, he has been teaching Seeing Clearly© workshops in North America and Europe for the last five years including presenting at numerous international conferences. Together with Carl Ginsburg David has taught both public workshops and Advanced Trainings for Feldenkrais Practitioners.

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Price: € 330,- (incl. 20% VAT/MwSt.); Reduction (e.g. students): € 270,-

Teaching language: English; limited number of participants!

Registration

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