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The Colorado Assessment Society is pleased to present:

An Introduction to the Wartegg Drawing Completion Test (WDCT) according to the Crisi Wartegg System (CWS)

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Co-Sponsored by the University of Denver, Graduate School of Professional Psychology and the Colorado Psychological Association

Date: Friday, April 7, 2023

Time: 11:30 am - 2:00 pm

*Location: Univ of Denver Ammi Hyde Building - Room TBD
(Participants may also attend via Zoom)*

Room and Zoom link to be provided to participants closer to event



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TOPIC OVERVIEW

Topic overview:

This luncheon will focus on the Crisi Wartegg System (CWS), a methodology for the clinical use of the Wartegg Drawing Completion Test (WDCT). The WDCT, created in 1926 by the German psychologist Ehrig Wartegg (1897-1983), is a projective drawing technique that can be completed in 5-10 minutes and is appropriate for children, adolescents, and adults. The WDCT consists of eight boxes, labeled 1 to 8, displayed in two parallel rows, with each row consisting of four boxes. Each box is delineated by a thick black margin and contains a different graphic stimulus or “mark”. The client is invited to complete each panel by making a meaningful drawing that incorporates the mark in that panel. The resulting drawings are rigorously scored and interpreted according to the CWS (Crisi, 1998).

A recent meta-analysis (Gronnerod & Gronnerod, 2012) attests to its validity in assessing personality and psychopathology. It was also recently recognized as a valid performance-based personality test that can be used for certification in Therapeutic Assessment. Psychologists in Italy, USA, Japan, China, Scandinavia, and South America frequently use it in psychological assessments. Since 2002, it is also a selection tool of the Italian armed forces. In this luncheon, Dr. Alessandro Crisi will discuss WDCT and demonstrate the utility of the test in a case presentation showing several clinical cases.

GOALS & OBJECTIVES

Goals & objectives:

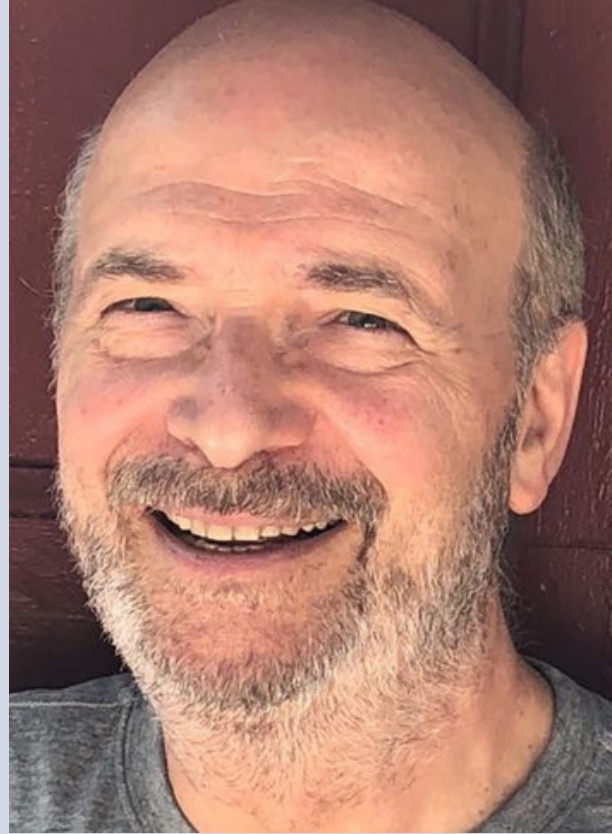
At the end of this training, participants will be able to:

1. Describe personal experience of test completion
2. Discuss the history of the WDCT as a performance-based personality assessment tool
3. Summarize the empirical and conceptual foundations of the CWS and its applications in clinical research and practice
4. Discuss cases of use of the test with some of the main diagnostic tools (Rorschach and MMPI-2)

THE PRESENTER

Alessandro Crisi, Psy.D.

*Alessandro Crisi, Psy.D., SPA Fellow, member of the ISR, is a licensed psychologist and psychotherapist in Rome, Italy. He is the founder and president of the Italian Institute of Wartegg and an Adjunct Professor in 2016 and 2018 in the Graduate School of Professional Psychology of the University of Denver. For 20 years, Dr. Crisi has been an Adjunct Professor at Sapienza University of Rome. He is a consultant to the Rome Institute of Speech Therapy and to the criminal and civil courts in Rome. He also served on the executive committee of the Italian Association for Forensic Psychology. Dr. Crisi is the author of numerous publications on clinical assessment and psychodiagnosis. He frequently makes presentations around the world on psychological assessment and the CWS. Recently (2018), Dr. Crisi published *The Crisi Wartegg System (CWS): Manual for Administration, Scoring, and Interpretation*, Routledge, New York. In 2022, the Japanese translation of the handbook has been published by Japan UNI Agency, Inc., Tokyo.*



WORKSHOP OUTLINE, CONTINUING EDUCATION, AND MORE

Tentative Schedule:

11:00am-11:30am	Take the test (optional)*
11:30am-12:00pm	Lunch (provided by CAS)
12:00pm-1:30pm	Presentation by Dr. Crisi
1:30pm-2:00pm	Questions

**People who would like to have the Wartegg test administered are kindly required to be in their seat at 11:00am.*

Continuing Education

This workshop qualifies for **1.5 hours of CE credits** (pending GSPP approval) for psychologists through our co-sponsor, the University of Denver, Graduate School of Professional Psychology (GSPP). GSPP is approved by the American Psychological Association to sponsor continuing education for psychologists. GSPP maintains responsibility for this program and its content.

Prerequisite Training

This is an introductory seminar, open to psychologists and graduate students in training to be psychologists. Participants need no previous experience with the WDCT, but previous knowledge of other performance-based personality tests will be useful.

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Conflict of Interest

In compliance with continuing education requirements, all presenters must disclose any financial or other associations with companies to which they have a direct link and/or financial relationship related to the topic/content of their presentation.

Special Accommodations:

GSPP is compliant with the American with Disabilities Act.

Colorado Assessment Society:

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