# **Special Issue**

# Creative Methods, Images and Dreams in Psychotherapy: Methods, Processes and Results

# Message from the Guest Editor

We welcome submissions to this Special Issue, either in the form of theoretical articles and empirical studies, or as review and meta-analyses which (a) develop theoretical process models of how creative methods, images and dreams support the process of change in psychotherapy; (b) investigate empirically processes of change in psychotherapies, making use of creative methods, images and dreams; (c) investigate empirically the efficacy and/or effectiveness of the use of creative methods, images and dreams in psychotherapies. Keywords:

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- dreams in psychotherapy/dream interpretation
- images and imagination in psychotherapy
- process models
- efficacy/effectiveness studies

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