

# Gestalt Coaching Information Session

## Becoming a Coach: Skills and Certification

Dates	<b>Saturday, April 28, 2018</b>
CE hours	<b>2 - ICF Core Competency</b>
Faculty	<b>Stuart Simon, LICSW, MCC (Co-Director) &amp; Mary Ann Walk, MS, MBA, MCC (Co-Director)</b>
Location	<b>2 ICF Core Competency Hours</b>

Want to learn what coaching is about, what it takes to become a credentialed coach, or how coaching skills can add to an existing career? Join us for this experiential morning session, which will include coaching instruction and practice, as well as a panel discussion with GISC's coaching faculty and graduates. Learn about our powerful approach and see if GISC's ICF-accredited coach training program is right for you.

This is a morning-long introductory session, held in the Boston area, for our Competency Development Program for Coach Certification: Skills for High-Impact Coaching offered each year on Cape Cod.

The content portion of the interactive presentation will focus on coaching applications of the Cape Cod Model©, a unique approach which produces rapid and enduring growth and change. We will learn about working with clients' Well Developed and Less Developed© skills in supporting their move towards change. We will also explore the concept of Polarities and its use in removing resistance to change. These coaching techniques are embedded in our coach certification program along with other theories and practices that support the coaching process.

This introduction – and GISC's initial coach training program – is designed for those considering a move into the practice of coaching as well as for those currently working as a coach and seeking certification. Successful completion of the Competency Development Program for Coach Certification results in a GISC Certified Coach credential and the opportunity to pursue credentialing by the International Coach Federation (ICF).

The final hour of the morning will be devoted to a panel discussion and question-and-answer session with some of our Competency Development Program for Coach Certification graduates. They will be available to discuss their experience of the program and how they have used their skills and certification in existing roles and new coaching practices.

There will also be an informal opportunity to mingle with faculty and graduates and enjoy some light refreshments before and after the structured presentations.

### Benefits

Participants in the session will:

- Learn to use the competency perspective and structured feedback
- techniques of the Cape Cod Model© as powerful coaching tools
- Experience the didactic and a demonstration of the process
- Discuss and have an opportunity to practice the process
- Develop insight and innovative approaches to current work situations and coaching client challenges
- Have an opportunity to ask faculty and GISC Certified Coaches about coach training and certification, GISC's approach, and what it takes to enter the field of coaching

### Participants

This program is for coaches and for anyone considering the practice of coaching, as well as those seeking to gain coaching skills or an understanding of the benefits and requirements of GISC's ICF Accredited Coach Training Program.

[ICF has certified this course for 2 core competency hours.](#)



# Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Male:  Female:

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Mailing Address - Work  / Home : \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Province/Postal Code/Country: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Profession (please check all that apply):

Coach  Consultant/OD  Psychotherapist  Leader/Executive  Nonprofit  Educator  Other  \_\_\_\_\_

Professional Affiliations/Associations:

ICF (Int'l Coach Federation)  OD Network  APA  Other (please specify)  \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about this program? \_\_\_\_\_

If by referral, from whom? \_\_\_\_\_

**Please register me for:**

Program Title	Date	Fee
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I am a GISC Member:  I would like to join GISC:  \$125/year

**Total:** \_\_\_\_\_

Invoice my organization:  \_\_\_\_\_

I have enclosed a check or money order payable to GISC (US funds only):

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Name as it appears on card: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Cancellation Policy:** Refunds are available up to 21 days prior to a program, less a \$35 administration fee. When cancellation is made with a notice of 20 days or less, tuition will not be refunded, but may be applied to a future program within the next calendar year.

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