

# Thank you

The family of Denis Masgutov would like to thank all who have sent cards, gifts, well wishes, and donations for the service of PTSD in name of Denis' Fund since his death.

"Just as one candle lights another and can light thousands of other candles, so one heart illuminates another heart and can illuminate thousands of other hearts." – Leo Tolstoy.

And so it was with our beloved Denis. He influenced many people in his life and we will carry him in our hearts forever. Thank you for your kind wishes and heartfelt love at this time.



We thank Wil, from the Netherlands, for choosing these appropriate words of Denis' favorite author – Leo Tolstoy. Thank you to all the MNRI® groups for supporting us, celebrating Denis' life, and praying for his family during workshops and conferences in different countries.

—Svetlana Masgutova and family

### We remember

December 7, 2016 will be six months since our beloved Denis Masgutov was suddenly taken away from his dear family, friends, and colleagues.

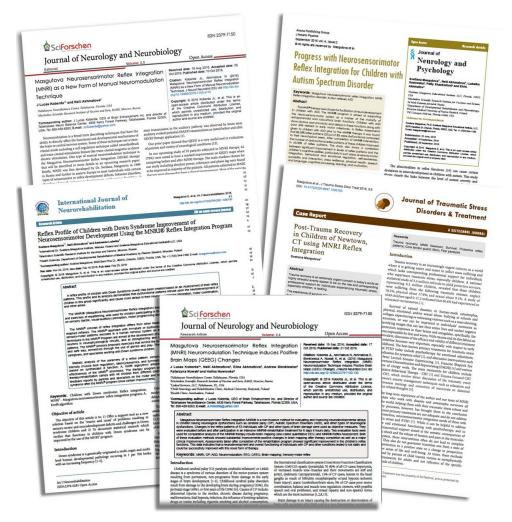
Please join us in a world-wide Vigil on December 7 together with Denis' family and many,



many friends and colleagues. We invite you to light a candle on that day, where ever you are in this world at 7 pm in the Polish time zone (1 pm. CST in the US) and keep it lighted for 3 days. We will honor and remember him for his friendship, enthusiasm, and love.

Let this also appear on your Facebook timeline (if you have one), so we can support each other and connect in this worldwide light at the same time. We will be all in this together!

# Five new journal articles published on MNRI



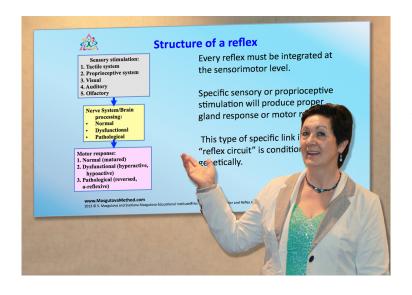
Five new articles have been published in the past few months concerning the efficacy of MNRI®. All are also on our website.

#### They are:

- 1. Masgutova Neurosensorimotor Reflex Integration (MNRI®) as a New Form of Manual Neuromodulation Technique *Journal of Neurology and Neurobiology*
- 2. Progress with Neurosensorimotor Reflex Integration for Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder —Journal of Neurology and Psychology
- 3. Reflex Profile of Children with Down Syndrome Improvement of Neurosensorimotor Development Using MNRI® –International Journal of Neurorehabilitation
- 4. Post-Trauma Recovery in Children from Newtown, CT Using MNRI® Reflex Integration —Journal of Traumatic Stress Disorders and Treatment
- 5. Masgutova Neurosensorimotor Reflex Integration (MNRI®) Neuromodulation Technique induces Positive Brain Maps (QEEG) Changes —Journal of Neurology and Neurobiology

Please know that these articles were created using many resources and dollars from SMEI. The effort was great and these articles provide support for the development of the whole Method, SMEI, and all of us who use or benefit from MNRI®. Your support for our classes, family conferences, and donations to the Masgutova Foundation are therefore important to continuing our efforts. THANK YOU for all your support!

# Dr. Masgutova gives public lecture in Netherlands



Over the last two and a half years Dutch MNRI® students have been helping children with Reflex Integration. As a result, some diagnoses have been removed from some children by their doctors, neurologists, and therapists. These medical professionals became curious about

MNRI® and really wanted to have more information from Dr. Masgutova herself. So our Dutch MNRI® students invited these medical professionals to come to a lecture by Dr. Masgutova, while she was in The Netherlands. Dr. Masgutova gave a public lecture on *MNRI®* for Neurodevelopment and Learning for the medical community of Honselersdijk in The Netherlands on Nov. 7. There were 70 medical professionals: family doctors, surgeon, physiotherapists, osteopaths, child and youth therapists, speech and language therapists, occupational therapists, etc. in attendance.

The medical professionals went home surprised and satisfied with new information and additional knowledge. Working closer together with MNRI® Students and Cores in Training will become more and more of a serious option.

Wil van Kessel

# New poster available



A new MNRI® Archetype Movements poster is now available in our MNRI® Store weblink. It is a colorful graphic display of all 8 archetype movements as shown as in the Archetype DVD. It is 24" x 36" and looks great on any wall.

# **New Core Specialists**

**Colleen-Maree Bates** of Australia says, "I have had 20 years of working with young people with challenges, varying from adults with brain injury, homeless youth, children with autism, and all ages with learning difficulties.

Finding Dr. Masgutova 4 years ago was a huge turning point in my life and now for the lives of my clients. I live in a small country town on the southern coast of Western Australia 300 miles from the nearest city



which means last year I traveled for work 40% of the time, working with families throughout Australia and soon will be working in Singapore for one week a month."

Marc-André Charpentier of Canada says, "It is with pride and great honor that I have become an MNRI® Core Specialist, associated with the name of Dr. Svetlana Masgutova. I will use this knowledge acquired in recent years to serve people with challenges and needs related to their development and well-being. Thank you, Dr. Masgutova, for your generosity and knowledge."



Rebekah Meyers and Trina Deiss of Minnesota, US say, "We are both truly grateful and honored to be a part of the MNRI® family. It has enriched us in our capacity to serve the population that we work with. We are overwhelmed by all the love, support, and wisdom that





comes from this beautiful work!" Together Trina and Rebekah are Co-founders of United1Front and are registered nurses. They are passionate about helping others on their journey to freedom.

## So Harlen can have a full life

About a year ago, Harlen's (my son) occupational therapist told me about conferences the Masgutova Institute offered. I took a risk and packed us up, making a seven hour drive to Baton Rouge for a four day conference. After that first event I saw more improvement in speech in 4 DAYS vs 5 YEARS of speech therapy. Additional improvements were immediately noted by friends and family. Harlen recognized people and talked to people – actually had conversations when such memory and interactions had not been the norm. His teachers were amazed at the changes and asked what exercises they could do to help continue his growth.



This is Harlen now. We're at our third Family Conference. Each one gives us new goals and marked improvements so he can live a full life. Yes – we're going to keep this going!

- Sandra

If you have a story and photo to share, send it to saverkamp@sbcglobal.net.

## Holiday sale

Our two most popular books are on sale for the holiday season.
Both the Parents' Guide to MNRI® and the Reflexes: Portal to Neurodeveloment and Learning will be only \$40 (a 10% discount) throughout December.
Now is the time to get these books as gifts for



your friends and loved ones as motivation to do the integrating exercises!

The Parents' Guide describes the steps for 28 reflexes and is conveniently organized to enable one to specifically address the hands, feet, core, trauma recovery, emotional stability, oral-facial & visual-auditory, or cognitive ability. It is 60 pages of color.

The *Reflexes: Portal* book was a huge effort! It shows the science, scope, benefits, and people behind MNRI®. It is 120 articles by 60 authors who are scientists, therapists, parents, and even the individual who benefited from MNRI®. This book is very helpful to those who are trying to understand how MNRI® can be used, what difficulties can be improved, the science behind MNRI®, different ways of using MNRI®, and the speed at which changes can be expected. It is a big book full of science, hope, and lots of success! 564 pages of color. It is also available as an e-book.

## Results from Dr. Koberda

TOTAL	109	141	77%
Orlando, FL October, 2016	QEEG Improvement 14 subjects	Total-16 subjects	87.5%
Washington, DC October 2016	QEEG Improvement 11 subjects	Total -11 subjects	100%
July 2016	15 subjects		1,3,0
Orlando	QEEG Improvement	Total-19 subjects	79%
August 2016	14 subjects		0070
San Francisco	QEEG Improvement	Total-21 subjects	66%
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Minnesota-	QEEG Improvement	Total-21 subjects	62%
April 2016	4 subjects		10070
Orlando	QEEG Improvement	Total 4 subjects	100%
-April 2016	9 subjects		82%
Washington, DC	QEEG Improvement	Total 11 subjects	020/
Orlando Jan-2016	QEEG Improvement 12 subjects	Total 15 subjects	80%
San Diego Ian-2016	QEEG Improvement 17 subjects	Total -23 subjects	74%

This is a summary table from the nine MNRI® conferences in which I participated in 2016. Most of subjects were from the Autistic Spectrum, cerebral palsy, or ADHD with only a few with traumatic brain injuries and other neurological conditions. I think these results speak for themselves.

J. Lucas Koberda, M.D., Ph.D.,

## Two new classes offered

Two new classes will be offered in 2017 at the Orlando Center with Dr. Svetlana Masgutova.

MNRI® Reflex Integration and Immunology –
 February 15-16, 2017

Dr. Masgutova has created a new course that will explore a new approach to strengthening the nerve and immune system; stress and the immune system resilience; and neuroplasticity, neurodevelopment and enhancement of the learning process.

Prerequisite: MNRI® Level 3 and MNRI®: Stress

Hormones Regulation Through Reflex Integration. (Note: Stress Hormones will be taught in January)

2. MNRI® Reflex Integration and Dyslexia – February 18-19, 2017

Dr. Masgutova will explore the reasons for different challenges in learning based on 'rigidity' of intellectual and cognitive processes. This program will shift the focus from 'cortical' strategies to subcortical approaches to create emotional and motivational support and provide the foundational basis for language and abstract thinking development while creating behavioral-cognitive anchors.

Prerequisite: Current training level required: Level 2

The 2017 Conference line up

#### U.S. Family Conferences, 2017

San Diego, CA – 8 Day – Jan 12-21, 2017

Orlando, FL – 8 Day – Jan 30-Feb 8, 2017

Washington, DC – 5 Day – Apr 8-12, 2017

Orlando, FL – 5 Day – Chronic Stress, Anxiety & PTSD – Apr 22-27, 2017

Bloomington, MN – 8 Day – Jun 22-Jul 1, 2017

Orlando, Florida – 8 Day – Jul 10-19, 2017

San Francisco, CA – 8 Day – Aug 4-13, 2017

Madison, WI – 5 Day – Aug, 17-21, 2017

New Jersey – 5 Day – Oct 11-16, 2017 date pending

Orlando, FL – 8 Day – Oct 21-30, 2017

Washington, DC – 5 Day – Nov 6-11, 2017 date pending

#### **International Family Conferences, 2017**

Mielno, Poland – 13 Day Family Polish Camp – Mar 19-Apr 1, 2017

Mielno, Poland – 13 Day Family Polish Camp – Sep 17-30, 2017

The Netherlands – 5 Day Family Dutch Camp – Oct 4-8, 2017

Jakarta, Indionesia – 11 Day Family Camp – Dec 9-17, 2017

# **Upcoming events**

For further information about any of these events, see this link:

Class Dec 9-12, 2016: MNRI® Neuro-Structural Reflex Integration

Chemin Sainte-Foy Québec | Christine Poulin

Class Dec 9-10, 2016 : MNRI® Tactile Integration

Minneapolis, MN | Suzanne Amanor-Wilks

Class Jan 6-8, 2017: MNRI® Stress Hormones and Reflex Integration Course

Orlando, FL | Dr. Svetlana Masgutova

Class Jan 7-9, 2017: MNRI® Archetype Movement Integration

Orlando, FL | Pamela Curlee

Jan 12-21, 2017: 8 Day MNRI® Family Conference-San Diego, CA

San Diego, CA | Dr. Svetlana Masgutova

Class Jan 14-15, 2017: MNRI® Reflex Integration: Maximizing Brain Potential

Noblesville, IN | Dr. Patty Shackleford

Class Jan 26-29, 2017 : MNRI® IPET Neuro-Structural Reflex Integration

Orlando, FL | Dr. Nelli Akhmatova & Teresa Busz

**Class** Jan 26-29, 2017 : MNRI® Dynamic Postural Reflex Pattern Integration (French)

Lévis (secteur Saint-Nicolas), QC, Canada | Christine Poulin

Class Jan 28-29, 2017 : MNRI® Tactile Integration Monroe, LA | Dr. Patty Shackleford

Jan 30 - Feb 8, 2017 : 8 Day MNRI® **Family Conference** - Orlando, Florida Orlando, FL | Dr. Svetlana Masgutova

Class Feb 9-12, 2017 : MNRI® Dynamic and Postural Reflex Pattern Integration Noblesville, IN | Suzanne Amanor Wilks

Class Feb 10-12, 2017 : MNRI Breathing Reflexes: Restoration and Integration Orlando, FL | Dr. Svetlana Masgutova

Class Feb 11-14, 2017 : MNRI® IPET Archetype Movement Integration Metz, France | Christine Poulin

Class Feb 15-16, 2017 : MNRI® Reflex Integration & Immunology Orlando, FL | Dr. Svetlana Masgutova

Class Feb 16-19, 2017 : MNRI® Dynamic and Postural Reflex Pattern Integration Paris, France | Christine Poulin

Class Feb 17-20, 2017 : MNRI® Dynamic and Postural Reflex Pattern Integration San Ramon, CA | Diane Whiteside

Class Feb 18-19, 2017 : MNRI® Reflex Integration & Dyslexia Orlando, FL | Dr. Svetlana Masgutova

Class Feb 20-21, 2017 : MNRI® Tactile Integration Paris, France | Christine Poulin

Class Feb 23-26, 2017 : MNRI® Dynamic and Postural Reflex Pattern Integration Blue Bell, PA | Suzanne Amanor Wilks

Class Mar 2-5, 2017 : MNRI® Dynamic and Postural Reflex Pattern Integration Orlando, FL | Dr. Svetlana Masgutova

Class Mar 3-5, 2017 : MNRI® Reflex Integration and PTSD Recovery (French) Lévis (secteur Saint-Nicolas), QC, Canada | Christine Poulin

Class Mar 9-12, 2017 : MNRI® Lifelong Reflex Integration Orlando, FL | Pamela Curlee

Class Mar 11-12, 2017 : MNRI® Tactile Integration Hollywood, FL | Dr. Patty Shackleford

Mar 19 - Apr 1, 2017 : Svetlana Masgutova **POLISH Camp** Mielno Poland

Class Mar 24-27, 2017 : MNRI® Lifelong Reflex Integration Eden Prairie, MN | Christine Poulin

Class Mar 31 - Apr 3, 2017 : MNRI® Dynamic and Postural Reflex Pattern Integration
Baltimore/DC area | Mary Rentschler

Class Apr 22-27, 2017: MNRI® Chronic Stress, Anxiety and PTSD Family Conference
Orlando, FL | Dr. Svetlana Masgutova

Class May 5-7, 2017 : MNRI® Archetype Movement Integration Grayslake IL | Sharon Heller

Class May 18-21, 2017 : MNRI® Lifelong Reflex Integration Grand Rapids, MI | Christine Poulin

Class May 26-29, 2017 : MNRI® Dynamic and Postural Reflex Pattern Integration
Charlotte, NC | Mary Rentschler

Class May 27-28, 2017 : MNRI® Tactile Integration (French) Lévis (secteur Saint-Nicolas), QC, Canada | Christine Poulin

Class Jun 16-18, 2017 : MNRI® Archetype Movement Integration Québec, (QC) Canada | Christine Poulin

**Class** Jun 18-21, 2017 : MNRI® IPET Tactile Integration Bloomington, MN | Pamela Curlee

Jun 22 - Jul 1, 2017 : 8 Day MNRI® **Family Conference** - Bloomington, MN Bloomington, MN | Dr. Svetlana Masgutova

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