

PHD COURSE IN MUSIC THERAPY RESEARCH

April 23–28, 2023

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RBG = Rendsburggade 14 ([Create](#)), 9000 Aalborg.

(see also AAUMAP: (<http://map.aau.dk/>))

Teaching and presenting at the course will be undertaken by guest professors Anete Strand and Sarah Awad, as well as Daniel Skak Mazhari-Jensen and members from the music therapy research team; Bolette Daniels Beck, Charlotte Lindvang, Inge Nygaard Pedersen, Niels Hannibal, Stine Lindahl Jacobsen, Ulla Holck, and Hanne Mette Ridder. Doctoral researchers participating and presenting research in progress are Hannah Riedl, Julie Ørnholt Bøtke, Lars Rye Bertelsen, Kerry Devlin, and Rut Wallius. Visiting doctoral researchers are Anne Godal, Eva Phan Quoc, Gunn Karoline Fugle, and Marie Falk.

The PhD course is in English. Music therapy students are invited to the lectures marked with ►
The doctoral students' presentations are open only to the group of doctoral researchers, professors and invited guests.

Programme

Sunday April 23

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- Supervision time with individual supervisor
- 16.00 **Hanne Mette Ridder**: Opening meeting for the group of doctoral researchers
- 17.45 A welcome snack at nearby restaurant
- 19.30 End of day (or supervision time)

Monday April 24

AAAU campus Øst + MH-339

- 8.45 **Anete Strand**: Workshop. The PhD research explored through material storytelling with object theater and sandboxing. Address: Thomas Manns Vej 25, 9220
- 12.00 Visit at the IT-support servicedesk
- Lunch
- 13.30 ► **Hanne Mette Ridder**: Reflexivity in doctoral research
- 14.30 Break
- 14.45 **Kerry Devlin**: Reflections on Teacher and Student Experiences in an Undergraduate Music Therapy Academic Course
- 15.45 Break
- 16.00 **Lars Rye Bertelsen**: Switching horses midstream

17.00 Essay'it
17.15 End of day

Tuesday April 25

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09.00 **Ruth Wallius:** Collaborative interview in music therapy research
10.00 Break
10.15 **Hannah Riedl:** Current status of doing a Scoping Review about Music Therapy & Health Economics
11.15 Break
11.30 **Marie Falk:** Researching Micro-Entrainment in Palliative Music Therapy through Reflexive Journal Writing
12.30 Lunch
13.30 **Eva Phan Quoc:** Attachment-based MusicPlayTherapy: A music therapy approach for young children and their caregivers viewed from an attachment theory perspective
14.30 Break
14.45 **Anne Godal:** Change processes in adolescents with psychosomatic disorders receiving Music and Imagery. Using D. Stern's senses of self as a theoretical frame for development
16.00 **Gunn Karoline Fugle:** Music Imagery (MI) as a resource in an interdisciplinary team in Specialist Health Care for Children
17.00 Essay'it
17.15 Visiting our local Aalborgian host for hygge and dinner

Wednesday April 26

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10.00 **Julie Ørnholt Bøtker:** Pre-defence. The experience and understanding of authenticity across music professions. Towards closure and new perspectives.
11.00 Feedback and dialogue with pre-defence discussant **Ulla Holck**
12.00 Lunch
13.00 **Resonant learning in music therapy**
The full programme for the afternoon is available [here](#)
18.00 Dinner

Thursday April 27

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09.00 **Daniel Mazhari-Jensen:** Levels of analyses for investigating subjective phenomena and intervention efficacy. Considerations for music therapy from the perspective of cognitive neuroscience
10.00 Break
10.15 **Lindvang, Holck, & Ridder:** Journal club
11.45 Essay'it
12.00 Lunch
13.30 Supervision time
19.00 Concert in Musikkens Hus: [Nielsen and Sibelius](#). Scandinavian music with international colours

Friday April 28

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9.00 ► **Sarah Awad:** How do life changing events affects our rhythms of living?
10.00 Break
10.15 ► **Stine Lindahl Jacobsen:** Psychometrics: When and why do we need it?
11.15 Break
11.30 ► **Niels Hannibal:** Process-outcome relations in music therapy versus music listening for people with schizophrenia: The role of the therapeutic alliance
12.30 Lunch
13.30 Essay'it

Content of the PhD course

The course will include a rich mixture of course work, and aims to cover the following topics of learning, each counting 1 ECTS:

- a) Reflexive methodology including data administration and data analysis,
- b) Objectivistic methodology including data administration and statistical analysis,
- c) Research Ethics and reflexivity,
- d) Theory of science,
- e) Academic writing and Dissemination.

The working methods for the courses consist of workshops, round table discussions, lectures, presentations of research in progress with feedback from the professors and the peer group.

The newest version of the programme to be found at the website:

<http://www.mt-phd.aau.dk/>

Hanne Mette Ridder & the team, April 20, 2023