Guidelines:

Accreditation of Logotherapy Institutes & Initiatives

Through accreditation, your institute becomes a recognized member of the International Association of Logotherapy and Existential Analysis at the VFI Vienna with affiliated members in around 150 accredited institutes in over 40 countries worldwide. Accredited member institutes are independent and self-responsible initiatives that offer logotherapy training and/or logotherapeutic counselling or psychotherapy, or are otherwise active in the dissemination or research in the field of logotherapy.

The institutes are listed in a publicly accessible directory, which can be found on the website of the Viktor Frankl Institute (www.viktorfrankl.org).

The directory is also available as a separate brochure containing a short introduction into logotherapy and existential analysis.

The accreditation process is simple and manageable and consists of the following steps:

Step 1: Application

First of all, we kindly ask you to fill in the accreditation form available on our website and attach the documents listed there to your request and send them to us by email or post:

alexander.batthyany@viktorfrankl.org

or

Prof. Alexander Batthyány, PhD
Prinz Eugen-Strasse 18/12
A 1040 Vienna

Step 2: Review of documents

After receiving your documents, we will review them for their completeness and fulfillment of the formal minimum criteria. Based on this review, the board will come to a decision.
**Step 3: Guarantors (applies exclusively to training institutes!)**

As much as we strive to live up to our responsibilities, even after careful review, the documents provided by candidates are at times not sufficient to allow for a judgement on the qualification and suitability of conducting a course in logotherapy. Against this background, we ask for the nomination of two guarantors. These guarantors should be either course leaders of accredited institutes and/or former teachers of the director of studies of the respective Institute.

**Step 4: Accreditation**

If the requirements for accreditation are met, an accreditation certificate will be prepared for your institute, which shows that your institute for a period of two years is accredited by the Viktor Frankl Institute in Vienna and a member institution of the International Association for Logotherapy and Existential Analysis.

**Step 5: Fees**

The fees for the accreditation of institutes are EUR 300 per two-year period (i.e. EUR 150 per year).

Upon receipt of the fees, your institute will be accepted as an accredited member of the International Association of Logotherapy and Existential Analysis at the Viktor Frankl Institute.

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