

Journal of Contemporary Narrative Therapy

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About This Release

We are excited to announce the next release of *The Journal of Contemporary Narrative Therapy*. This release includes three previously given addresses, two by David Espton and one by marcel polanco.

The keynote addresses were given by David Epston in 2015 and 2021 respectively. Both of these addresses highlight David's most recent thinking regarding the concepts of moral character and moral agency as possible genres of representation of persons in narrative therapy.

The address by marcela polanco is a transcript of a popular TedTalk she gave called "Did we get it all wrong?" In this TedTalk marcela talks about the ways that thinking in diagnostic categories can obscure the political contexts (i.e., racism) where many so-called problems are created and maintained. She also addresses the ways in which such thinking severely limits our imaginations as therapists.

We hope that you enjoy these thought provoking papers and look forward to hearing about the ways that you have taken up the ideas shared by David and marcela in your everyday work as therapists.



