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Taking up LEADERSHIP  
with ENGAGEMENT and  
ACCOUNTABILITY  
*at Work*  
*in Turbulent Environments*

**a conference for people  
who want to explore work roles  
and put discoveries into practice**

10 – 15 January 2008, Vlodrop (Netherlands)

International working conference:

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Organised annually since 1992 by Group Relations Nederland  
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You are welcome to participate.

The aim of this conference is:

- to examine **assumptions** participants hold about Leadership, Engagement and Accountability, and
  - discover the **consequences** of these assumptions in behaviour,
- in order to
- **try out different ways of working** while engaging with each other in the various groups and events of the conference, and
  - **prepare for future application** in their workplaces and communities.

Participants learn from experience, thereby making the conference a place for exploration and reflection. Together we create a temporary organization where diverse behaviours and cultures can emerge. This enables the here-and-now discovery of roles and relations associated with lived images, emotions and thoughts.

The conference addresses people who are engaged in exploring work roles and want to apply their learning in the workplace. Over the years, participants have come from different countries, representing a variety of professional and cultural backgrounds.

Registration is open to everyone. There is an elaboration sub-conference for people who have participated in a similar conference before.

The conference is staffed by an international group of experienced consultants and directed by Gerard van Reekum and Joan Roma i Vergés.

A detailed conference brochure is available on request. You can also get more information from the person who gave or sent you this flyer.

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