Books, Psychotherapy, Community, and Art come together in our new Spitalfields premises.

CONFER-KARNAC
A dedicated space for your book launch event

Confer-Karnac, Strype Street, London, E1 7LQ
ABOUT THE CONFER-KARNAC SPACE

The Confer-Karnac Space on Strype Street, Spitalfields, London, is a destination bookshop specialising in psychoanalysis, psychotherapy, and other related subjects, with an adjoining multifunctional event space with live webcasting facilities.
The bookshop is designed to create a calm, contemplative, and contemporary environment, drawing inspiration from the ancient idea that libraries are the repositories of wisdom.

The Confer-Karnac Space also offers a state-of-the-art webcasting and broadcasting capability developed for our continuous programme of webinars and in-house seminars.
OUR MULTIFUNCTIONAL FACILITIES

The new multi-functional centre was conceived, designed and delivered by award-winning local architectural practice, Chris Dyson Architects (CDA), and opened in 2021. The result is a unique integrated centre, which simultaneously creates a new specialist destination bookshop.
FIND OUR BOOKSHOP IN SPITALFIELDS, LONDON

Less than 5 minutes walk from Liverpool Street, Aldgate, and Shoreditch High Street stations

SEE MAP
KARNAC BOOKS HISTORY

Opened by Harry Karnac in 1950, Karnac Books became an established psychoanalytic bookshop when it started selling Winnicott’s publication “The Ordinary Devoted Mother and Her Baby”. By the 1970s, Karnac Books had become a veritable “mecca” for clinical practitioners from around the world, and the business began to flourish as it became the place for purchasing books on psychoanalysis and psychotherapy.

In 2019, Karnac was acquired by Confer, an independent organisation established by psychotherapists in 1998 to provide innovative, challenging and inspiring continuing educational events for psychotherapists, psychologists and other mental health workers.

Confer is now also housing two imprints, Confer Books and Karnac Books.

Confer Books are for anyone interested in psychotherapeutic ideas, designed to make insights from psychological, relational, and emotional processes accessible to a wide audience of readers.

Karnac Books are designed for mental health professionals, to enrich practice, enhance theoretical understanding and deepen knowledge of the history of psychotherapy and psychoanalysis.

www.confer.uk.com/confer-books.html
THE SPITALFIELDS COMMUNITY

Spitalfields is an area rich in urban heritage, adjacent to the City of London. Centred in this neighbourhood’s strong sense of local community, the Confer-Karnac space lies between the Spitalfields Market — one of London’s oldest and most vibrant marketplaces — as well as Petticoat Lane, Brick Lane, and the historic Columbia Road Flower Market.
LET US TAKE CARE OF YOUR BOOK LAUNCH

ALL YOU NEED TO DO IS:

• Send out your invitations
• Provide us with your guest list
• Arrange for the delivery of your books

WE WILL:

• Host and welcome your guests
• Provide any audio-visual you need to make your event work as well as possible
• Serve your refreshments
• Handle your book sales

PRICES

All prices exclude VAT

SIMPLE HIRE
a 3-hour event with wine and soft drink refreshments but without audio-visual support
£10 per guest
with a minimum hire fee of £200 + VAT

EXTRA HIRE
a 3-hour event with wine and soft drink refreshments, microphones and talk presentation projection
£12.50 per guest
with a minimum hire fee of £400 + VAT

SUPER HIRE
a 3-hour event with wine and soft drink refreshments, microphones and talk presentation projection and live webcasting
£15 per guest
with a minimum hire fee of £800 + VAT

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