

## 1st MEETING of ISPS GERMANY (OFFIZIELLE GRÜNDUNGSTAGUNG)

ISPS Germany was founded in the ZSP Salzwedel (4 – 5 May 2011).

ISPS Germany bases upon a 37-year-old study group on group psychotherapy and psychotherapy for the schizophrenias and severe personality disorders ("Arbeitskreis für Gruppenpsychotherapie und Psychotherapie bei Schizophrenen und Frühgestörten"). This working team was established by Prof. Dr. med. Werner Greve at the DAGG congress in Graz 1974. Later Prof. Dr. med. Wielant Machleidt, followed by Prof. Dr. med. Klaus Hoffmann, headed the group and its annual meetings. We had been planning to start a German ISPS group for a while, also during our meetings in Friedberg. Our roots lie in psychoanalytically oriented (group) psychotherapy with an emphasis on community psychiatry. But traditionally we have been open to other psychotherapeutic approaches and various professions. Our 1<sup>st</sup> meeting in Salzwedel, chaired by Dr. med. Nicolas Nowack and Prof. Dr. med. Klaus Hoffmann, had many announcements and reports in scientific as well as popular press. We enjoyed great talks and inspiring discussions.



During the 1st meeting in the Zentrum für Soziale Psychiatrie (ZSP) Salzwedel  
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## Gründungske...

Von Holger Thiel

Salzwedel. Das Sozialministerium in Magdeburg schickte eine Grußbotschaft, Vize-Landrat Eckhardt Gnodtke kam vorbei, ebenso Oberbürgermeisterin Sabine Danicke, und weltweit kann im Internet nachgelesen werden: Die deutsche Abteilung der Internationalen Gesellschaft für die psychologische Behandlung von Schizophrenen und anderen Psychosen, kurz ISPS, ist in Salzwedel gegründet worden. Im Rahmen eines zweitägigen Fachkongresses, der gestern im Salzwedeler Zentrum für Soziale Psychiatrie endete.

**Next year ´s meeting of ISPS Germany will be organised by Prof. Dr. med. Klaus Hoffmann and Dipl. Psych. Tilman Kluttig. It will take place in the ZfP Reichenau (probably 6 – 8 June 2012). – Please contact us if you are interested to attend the congress or to join our group.**