

Introduction to Psychological Astrology: Mythology and the Planets With Judith A. Robert, Ph.D.

8 Wednesdays, September 16th through November 25th, 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm

(No classes Wednesdays of September 30th, October 7th and 21st)

Cost \$120 (payment may be made in installments at each class)

"Jung's advice is to 'be what you have always been', and this is the real path to inner integration and to relating with others. One of the greatest assets of the [astrology] chart with its interwoven patterns, especially if taken in conjunction with typology, is that it can provide a richer, more comprehensive picture of what one has always been – which is also what one can potentially be." – Liz Greene

Astrology is an ancient study that began in Mesopotamia as mankind tried to understand the movement of the heavens and sought the reflection of their lives in the planetary cycles. This body of pre-scientific knowledge has continued until today. Now we recognize that the movements of the planets are metaphors for life transitions. The symbolic nature of astrology lends itself to deep psychological reflection.

This course will provide an introduction to a psychological approach to the Horoscope and focus on learning how to use mythology to understand the meaning of the Planets and the Sun and Moon, as well as the Zodiac Signs and Houses. The student will learn to apply mythology in a psychological understanding of the Horoscope. Readings will be from Liz Greene, *The Astrology of Fate*, and handouts from various texts on mythology. This course is appropriate for both beginners as an introduction to psychological astrology, as well as for advanced students interested in a mythological background to astrology. Please email chart data: Birth date, time and place to judith1739@comcast.net no later than three days prior to class.

Location:

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Objectives:

1. Name and identify symbols for the Zodiac Signs, Houses, Planets and Sun and Moon.
2. Describe the mythological stories associated with the Planets and Sun and Moon.
5. Interpret a mythological story from a psychological perspective.

Readings:

1. Charles Boer (1970). *The Homeric Hymns*. Dallas, TX: Spring Publications.
2. Additional handouts of mythological stories.

Judith A. Robert, Ph.D. received her Ph.D. in Counseling Psychology from Northwestern University in 1984 and currently has a practice in Psychological Astrology in South Bend, IN. She received her Diploma from The Centre for Psychological Astrology in London in 2011 where she studied under Liz Greene; and her Diploma as a Jungian Analyst from the C. G. Jung Institute of Chicago in 1995. Dr. Robert has taught courses in Psychological Astrology in South Bend, Chicago, Indianapolis, Pittsburgh and Lithuania.