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Date: Monday 5 June 2017

Location: SELCS Common Room (G24), Foster Court, Malet Place, University College
London

Speaker: Dr Ernst Falzeder (UCL)

Seminar title: How Jung became the first President of the International Psychoanalytical
Association

Abstract: It shocked Freud's closest followers at the time that he wanted, in 1910, a Swiss
gentile to become lifetime president of a new international organisation of psychoanalysts. This
talk sketches the background and repercussions of this 'coup'.