Finding Solutions Through Alternative Dispute Resolution

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Learn about the nuances of being a successful mediator while gathering in Charlotte with dispute resolution leaders from across North Carolina. This program is designed to enhance knowledge in the areas of employment mediation, the psychology of settlement, strategies for overcoming stumbling blocks in dispute resolutions, international arbitrations and the rules governing mediators.

A presentation from the Executive Director of the North Carolina Dispute Resolution Commission provides an opportunity to refresh on old rules and learn how to avoid the pitfalls of being a mediator.

This program includes two hours of CME credit.

WHAT PEOPLE ARE SAYING...

“This was an excellent program and provided lots of practical information.”

“Nice mix of session interests.”

“Well done!”

— Attendees, Communication Skills (2018 Dispute Resolution Section Annual Meeting)
FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 2019 | 8:15 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

8:15  Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:55  Welcome and Introductions

9:00  Mediating Employment Matters: The Importance of Knowing What You Don’t Know
      Cline
      Explore the special knowledge and nuances of mediating employment matters.

10:00 The Psychology of Settlement
       Teagarden
       Review the psychology of settlement, including the dynamics, biases and process of settlement.

11:00 Break
       Sponsored by LawPay

11:15 Overcoming Stumbling Blocks#
       Anderson, Owens and Smith
       Listen to a panel discussion of difficult encounters and roadblocks in mediation, and learn how to overcome those stumbling blocks.

12:15 Networking Lunch

       Dispute Resolution Section
       Annual Meeting
       Nancy Black Norelli, Norelli Savage Law PLLC, Charlotte, 2018-2019 Section Chair, presiding

       Presentation of the Peace Award

1:15  Issues and Rules**
       Kozlowski
       Hear a discussion of issues and rules with focus on current issues and ethical considerations.

2:15  Break

2:30  History of International Arbitration and Drafting International Arbitration Clauses
       Arrowood and Graham
       Learn about the history of international arbitration and the practical aspects of drafting international arbitration clauses.

3:30  Road Map for the “PSAP”: Navigating Pro Se Litigants Through Early Mediation
       Judge Metcalf, Murphy and Osborn
       This lively discussion explores the challenges of mediations involving pro se parties and highlights the U.S. District Court for the Western District of North Carolina’s innovative provision of volunteer attorneys for early mediations through its Pro Se Settlement Assistance Program. Presenters discuss (and get your input) opportunities for applying similar principles and procedures in other types of courts or practice areas where pro se representation is common.

4:30  Adjourn

* Indicates session providing Ethics/Professional Responsibility credit

# Indicates session providing Certified Mediator Education credit
PROGRAM DETAILS

SPEAKERS

• Judge W. Carleton Metcalf, U.S. District Court for the Western District of North Carolina, Asheville
• M. Ann Anderson, Attorney at Law, Pilot Mountain
• Catharine B. Arrowood, Parker Poe Adams & Bernstein LLP, Raleigh
• Denise S. Cline, Law Offices of Denise Smith Cline PLLC, Raleigh
• Katherine H. Graham, Parker Poe Adams & Bernstein LLP, Charlotte
• Tara L. Kozlowski, NC Dispute Resolution Commission, Raleigh
• Kevin P. Murphy, Herrmann & Murphy PLLC, Charlotte
• D. Christopher Osborn, Osborn Conflict Resolution and ReelTime Creative Learning Experiences, Charlotte
• Raymond E. Owens Jr., Higgins and Owens PLLC, Charlotte
• John B. “Jack” Smith, Smith Law Firm PC, Charlotte
• Elizabeth Teagarden, Ph.D., The Teagarden Group, Charlotte

EARLY ARRIVALS RECEPTION

Thursday, March 21, 2019
5:00 – 6:30 p.m.
CJ’s at Sheraton Charlotte Hotel
555 South McDowell Street
Charlotte, NC 28204

HOTEL INFORMATION

Contact hotel directly for reservations at the special NCBA room rate. Rates are based on availability and rooms may sell out.

Le Méridien Hotel Charlotte/Sheraton Charlotte Hotel
555 South McDowell Street, Charlotte

• Nightly Rate: $179 single/double
• Reservations: 877.822.3224
• Cutoff date: February 19, 2019

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PLANNERS

• William A. Oden III, Ward and Smith PA, Wilmington
• Donna P. Savage, Norelli Savage Law PLLC, Charlotte

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