

Solutions without Borders: Transnational Mediation and Arbitration

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Room NT01, American University Washington College of Law 4300 Nebraska Ave NW,
Washington, DC, 20016

- 1:30 – 2:00 p.m. *Registration*
- 2:00 – 2:10 p.m. *Welcome and Presentation*
- Horacio Grigera Naón**, Director, Washington College of Law Center on
International Commercial Arbitration
- 2:10 – 2:15 p.m. *Introduction of Keynote Speaker*
- Hernando Otero**, Fellow, Washington College of Law Center on
International Commercial Arbitration
- 2:15 – 2:45 p.m. *Keynote Presentation*
 “Risen from the Ashes: Mediating Argentina’s Default Crisis”
- Daniel Pollack**, McCarter & English LLP
- 2:45 – 3:55 p.m. *Panel 1*
 The Current State of Mediation of Cross Border Disputes: What’s
 Working and What’s Missing?
- David H. Burt**, CPR Executive Consultant, former Corporate Counsel to
DuPont Co. (Introductions)
Jonathan Marks, MarksADR (Moderator)
Theresa Coetzee, Vice President, Assistant General Counsel, Marriott
International
Jonathan L. Greenblatt, Shearman & Sterling LLP
Carlos Jose Valderrama, Sidley Austin LLP
- 3:55 – 4:10 p.m. *Coffee Break*

- 4:10 – 4:25 p.m.** *Update: Singapore Convention and Corresponding Model Law*
- Tim Schnabel**, Plausify, Lead U.S. negotiator, Singapore Convention on Mediation
- 4:25 – 4:45 p.m.** *A Conversation about Cross-Border Mediation under CPR Rules and Protocols*
- Helena Tavares Erickson**, CPR Senior Vice President, Dispute Resolution Services
Elliot E. Polebaum, Independent Arbitrator
- 4:45 – 5:50 p.m.** *Panel 2*
How to Encourage Greater Transnational Use of Mediation, and Future of the Practice
- Mark A. Cymrot**, Baker and Hostetler LLP (moderator)
John J. Buckley, Williams & Connolly LLP
Mark Kantor, Independent Arbitrator
John M. Townsend, Hughes Hubbard & Reed LLP
Noah J. Hanft, President and CEO, CPR Institute
- 5:50 – 6:00 p.m.** *Closing*
- Noah J. Hanft**, President and CEO, CPR Institute
- 6:00 – 7:00 p.m.** *Reception*