



CPR/CEDR Advanced Mediation Skills Training-Leading to CEDR's international accreditation

Course Programme

Day 1		
This day will focus on a refresher of the key skills of an effective mediator		
08:45	Arrival and Registration	
09.00	Welcome and Introductions	
09:20	Participants Introductions, exercise and debrief	
09:35	Introduction to Phases of Mediation	
09:50	Checklist for mediator opening	
10:05	Process Choices: Joint and Private meetings	
10.20	Break	
10:35	Key aspects of Exploration	
11.10	Practice Role Play 1: Chemical Reaction	
12.10	Role Play Debrief	
12.25	Framing and Coaching 1: Information Exchange	
13.00	Lunch	
13.45	Transitioning from Exploration to Bargaining	
13.55	Negotiation Coaching	
	Exercise: Working with offers	
14.35	Practice Session 2: Chemical Reaction	
15.45	Break	
16.00	When the going gets tough: Dealing with deadlock Reality Testing Exercise	
16.50	Practice Session 3: Chemical Reaction	
17:50	Debrief	
18:00	Review of day and Close	





Day 2 This day explores the additional skill set required to effectively mediate an international dispute		
9.10	How far can the mediator go? This session will explore the range of interventions a mediator can make in a dispute and different international approaches and expectations in this respect.	
9.55	Mediating International Disputes 1: Practical Process Considerations This session will identify some of the process considerations important in mediating international cases and participants will work with scenarios in order to practice the process design skills to manage such situations.	
11.00	Break and 1 st Private 1-2-1	
11.30	Debrief	
11.45	Mediating International Disputes 2: Cultural considerations Input will be given on a framework to consider managing culture in an international mediation and participants will identify how culture might manifest itself during mediation and how a mediator might address these issues	
13.00	Lunch and 2 nd and 3rd 1-2-1	
14.10	Mediating International Disputes 3: Mediator Ethics International mediation can present interesting ethical challenges. This session will explore these and how the mediator should respond.	
15.25	Break and 3 rd 1-2-1	
16.00	What Do You Want to Work On This session allows time to work on skills and issues that participants would like to focus on, in preparation for the coaching and assessment days. Possible topics could include active listening, managing different negotiation styles and working with emotions.	
17.40	Set up for Day 3	
17.45	Close and 4 th 1-2-1 feedback	





Day 3		
A coaching day using one case throughout the whole day, with private 1-2-1 feedback		
08.30	Opening and plenary, working with lawyers and using the flipchart	
09.15	Lumitalia spA & Whitworth Electrical Ltd – Session One	
11:05	Refreshment break, [Reading time and feedback to Mediators 1a and b]	
11.45	Lumitalia spA & Whitworth Electrical Ltd – Session Two	
12.45	Lunch feedback to Mediator 2a	
13.45	Lumitalia spA & Whitworth Electrical Ltd – Session Two (Cont.)	
14:35	Refreshment break [Reading and feedback to Mediator 2b]	
15.05	Lumitalia spA & Whitworth Electrical Ltd – Session Three	
16:55	Feedback to Mediators 3a and b and role play debrief	
17.25	Plenary and closing summary	
17.50	Preview of day 4	
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Day 4		
Assessment day, where all participants assessed for CEDR accreditation based on role play. 1-2-1 feedback continues		
08:30	Opening – setting for Lemon Computers	
08.50	Mediation case – Lemon Computers and Kent & Prince	
10.00	Change mediator	
11.10	Personal debrief – 15 minutes per mediator	
From 11.10	Refreshment break - setting Kids off the Street	
11.50	Mediation case – Kids off the Street	
13.00	Personal debrief – mediator A	
13.00	Lunch	
14.00	Mediation case – Kids off the Street continued	
15.10	Personal debrief – mediator B	
From 15.10	Refreshment break - setting Governing Head/ Partner conferences	
15.30	Mediation case study - Governing Head	
16.40	Change mediator	
17.40	Plenary	

Close and feedback Mediator A and B