



The Center for
Alternative
DISPUTE RESOLUTION

2024 Annual Conference

RECONNECTING

June 27-28, 2024

Martin's Crosswinds
Greenbelt, MD

This conference provides public and private sector dispute professionals with the latest information on alternative dispute resolution skills, concepts and strategies. It features a diversified faculty of industry, government and academic experts and affords attendees the opportunity to participate in smaller sessions.

Conference Schedule

Thursday, June 27, 2024

8:00 a.m. – 8:55 a.m. **Registration**

9:05 a.m. **Opening and Welcome**

Lynn Sylvester
Marvin E. Johnson

Concurrent Workshops 1

9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

1.1 Human Connection Through In-Person Mediation

Tracee Ford
Allie Matheu

1.2 Take two sessions and call us next time: how might our prescriptions for conflict engagement miss the mark?

Heather V. Fogg
Kendra Ogunshina

1.3 How Inherent Conduct Influences the Mediation Process

Harald Ritz Au
Ivar-Christian Timm

Concurrent Workshops 2

11:15 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.

2.1 Here's to Your Health: Leveraging Your Mediation Skills for You and Your Loved Ones

Waheba Zeidan, J.D.
Lyla Zeidan, J.D.

2.2 What All Mediators Should Know About Domestic Violence

Melanie Shapiro

Luncheon

1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Concurrent Workshops 3

2:45 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

3.1 Is there a role for conflict resolvers in addressing current conflicts?

Maria E. Volpe, Ph.D.

3.2 Ethical Strength Training: Reps and Sets for Everyday Mediator Ethics

Heather V. Fogg
James Boyle

3.3 I'm Sorry!

Lynn Sylvester, Esq.

Friday, June 28, 2024

Concurrent Workshops 4

8:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

4.1 They Didn't Settle Today – Now What?

Jeff Jury, Esq.

4.2 Caucus - When to, How to, Why to, and Should we?

Jonathan Rosenthal
Michele Ennis

4.3 Trans Visions: In Search of Inclusive, Gender-Affirming Communities, Workplaces, and Conflict Resolution Processes

Geo McCandlish
Lou Gieszl

Concurrent Workshops 5

10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

5.1 Managing the Negotiation Within: Using the Internal Systems Model to Understand What Makes People Tick

David A. Hoffman, Esq

5.2 Monumental Justice: Navigating Neutrality and Equity to Address Problematic Spaces

E. Franklin Dukes, Ph.D.

5.3 Mastering Emotional Intelligence: The Key to Neutrality and Impartiality in Mediation and ADR

Nikki Watkins

Luncheon and Plenary

12:15 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.

The Fruits of Labor: A Discussion with
Herbert Fishgold

Concurrent Workshops 6

2:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

6.1 Hot Topics in Employment Mediation: Pregnancy, Non-Compete, and Disability (Mental and Physical)

Joyce A. G. Mitchell, Esq.

6.2 Safety 2.0: A More Bias-Resistant Approach to Physical Site Safety Planning for Conflict Resolution Practitioners and Programs

Stephen Kotev

6.3 So, You Think Your Mediation Is Unsuccessful? How to Salvage the Seemingly Unsalvageable.

Paul F. Monicatti

General Session – “Values and Choices”

3:40 p.m. – 4:40 p.m.

Marvin E. Johnson

Gregory Sobel Reception

5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

(MUST RSVP when registering for the conference. If you do not RSVP, you will be charged a fee at the door.)

*Don't miss the
opportunity to expand
your ADR Library!*

*ADR BOOK SALE
June 27-28, 2024*

Registration Information

*Conference (2-days):

Registration after May 22	\$395
Registration on-site after June 24	\$425

**The conference sessions may qualify for MPME improvement activities and may meet continuing alternative dispute resolution credit hours.*

For **special group rates**, please contact the Center.

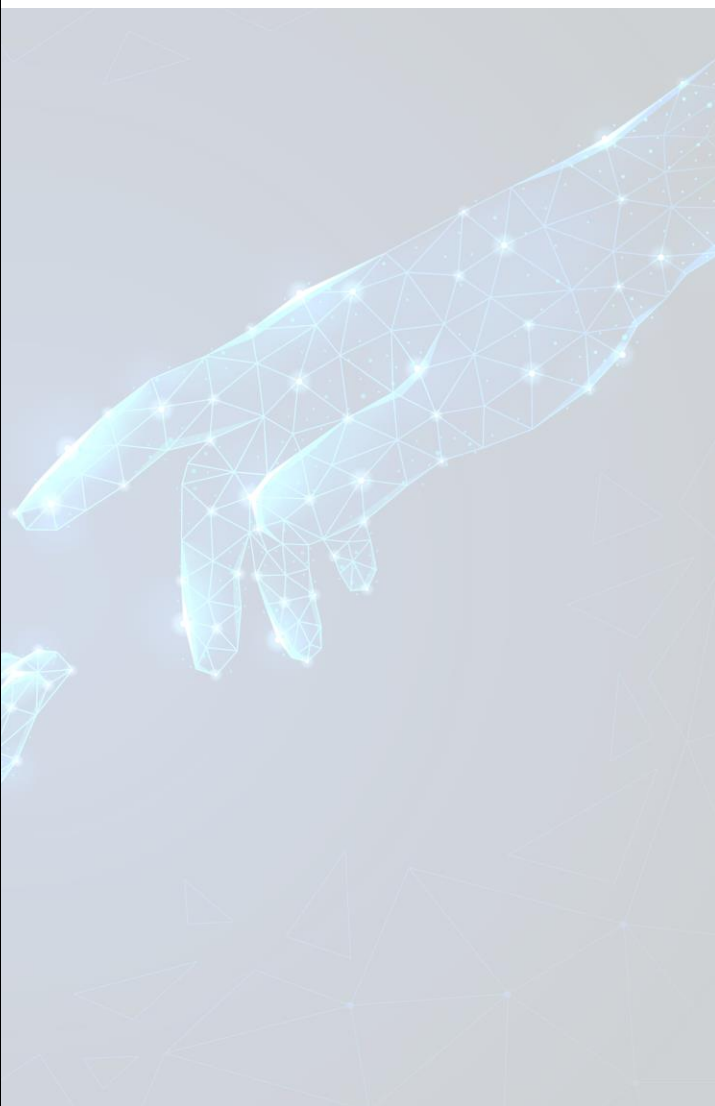
Registration: After **June 24, 2024**, registrations will **not be accepted** by email or mail. You **must register on-site**. There will be a **\$25 processing fee** for all training/purchase orders. A letter providing additional information and registration confirmation will follow receipt of written registration and payment. If you have submitted your registration and have not received a confirmation within three (3) days, please contact the Center.

Cancellation Policy: Written notice of cancellation (by email or mail—see above) must be received by **June 3, 2024**, 5:00 p.m. ET in order to receive a refund less a \$50 administrative fee. No refunds will be granted to registrants who do not attend and who have not canceled by the cancellation date. However, substitutions for registered participants are accepted at any time without charge.

Accommodations: The Holiday Inn Greenbelt, 7200 Hanover Drive, is holding a block of rooms for conference attendees at the rate of \$129.00 per night plus taxes. For reservations, call the Holiday Inn Greenbelt, MD at 1-888-465-4329 or 301-982-7000 **by June 10, 2024**. State that you will be attending the Center for Alternative Dispute Resolution Conference.

Questions: Contact the Center at (301) 313-0800 or by email (centerforadr@earthlink.net).

NOTES



The Center for ADR's 2024 Annual Conference
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Registration Form

Please type or print your conference registration information below.

Name _____ Title _____

Organization _____

Address (Street Number and Name) _____

City/State/Zip _____

Telephone Number _____ Cell Number _____ E-mail _____

We will be printing a networking list of conference attendees, which will include the name, city, state and email address. If you prefer not to share your information with other attendees, please indicate by checking this box .

Registration Fees

(Please select the rate that applies in the right-hand column.)

CONFERENCE (June 27-28)*

Early Registration by May 22	\$330	\$
Late Registration after May 22	\$395	\$
Registration on-site June 27	\$425	\$
SUBTOTAL		\$
If paying by Purchase /Training Order - ADD processing fee. (This fee does not apply to credit card processing or checks.)	\$25	\$
TOTAL		\$

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For group conference registrations rates, contact the Center.

Gregory Sobel Annual Reception (June 28)

Ticketed event (advanced registration required) – There is no additional cost to attend, but you **MUST RSVP when registering** for the conference. **If you do not RSVP, you will be charged a fee at the door.**

- will attend will not attend

Please indicate your preference for a **Vegan entree** for lunch on: Thursday (June 27) Friday (June 28)

Do you have **food allergies**? If yes, please state:

Payment Information

Amount Enclosed: \$ _____

Check (payable to Center for ADR)

Credit Card: Visa MC Discover

Name on card: _____

Account #: _____

Exp. Date: _____ CV#: _____

Billing Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Signature: _____

Send your completed conference registration form with payment by mail or email.

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