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Hands-on skill development in divorce practice for mediators

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Divorce Mediation Training

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This 3 day course is designed for mediators who are interested in the practice of divorce mediation. The training integrates substantive information with practice through interactive role play experience. **Prerequisite:** 30-hour Basic Mediation Training.

Friday, May 4, 2018 • 9:30am – 5:00pm

Faculty: Jeanne Cleary, Rachel Goldman,
Joyce Kauffman

I. Overview of Divorce & Parenting Issues

The complexity of divorce: legal and psychological aspects. Co-parenting plans and their impact on the children. Relevant Massachusetts law. Framework for unmarried couples.

Thursday, May 10, 2018 • 9:30am – 5:00pm

Faculty: Robert Smith, Justin Kelsey, Michael Leshin

II. Financial Issues: Child Support, Alimony & Property Division

Focus on child support guidelines and financial issues including spousal support/alimony, equitable division of the marital estate. Introducing and managing these topics in the mediation session.

Friday, May 11, 2018 • 9:30am – 5:00pm

Faculty: Brad Honoroff, Jane Honoroff, Jeff Fraser
Hon. Maureen Monks*

III. Reaching Closure

Drafting final product. Challenging issues. Ethical and practice dilemmas.

*A Judge's View from the Bench

Where: CDSC's offices, 60 Gore Street, East Cambridge
(near Lechmere T, Galleria, courthouses)

Cost: \$695 (\$675 if registration received by April 1st)
\$595 for Volunteers with other Community Mediation Centers
\$400 for CDSC Volunteers

Enrollment: Limited to 24. Enroll early!
Registrants who cancel before April 18th will receive a full refund.
Later cancellations will be refunded only if space is filled.

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About the Distinguished Faculty:

Jeanne Cleary is a psychotherapist and mediator in private practice with over 30 years of clinical and court-based experience with families in the process of divorce.

Rachel Goldman, an attorney and partner at Grindle Robinson, LLP, specializing in mediation, collaborative law, and out-of-court settlement negotiation.

Brad Honoroff is an attorney and mediator, with extensive experience mediating, teaching and consulting in the ADR field and a principal in The Mediation Group.

Jane Honoroff, a psychotherapist and a mediator, with over 30 years of clinical social work experience, heads up the family mediation unit at The Mediation Group, where she is a principal.

Jeff Fraser, a lawyer and partner with Fraser and Galanopoulos, has over thirty years of experience in the arena of divorce, wills, probate.

Joyce Kauffman, a lawyer and mediator at Kauffman Law & Mediation, specializes in issues impacting LGBTQ families and was involved in the landmark court cases of *Adoption of Tammy* and *Partanen v. Gallagher*.

Justin L. Kelsey is a collaborative divorce attorney and mediator at Skylark Law & Mediation, P.C.

Michael Leshin is a partner with the law firm of Ginsburg & Leshin, LLC where he specializes in family law and mediation.

Hon. Maureen Monks is an Associate Justice in the Middlesex County Probate and Family Court, where she has been on the Bench since 2008.

Robert Smith, a professor at Suffolk University Law School, has taught mediation courses at Suffolk and Boston College Law Schools for over 25 years, and is an active family mediator.

Registration form

Please attach a brief paragraph about your background and interest in divorce mediation. Thank you.

Name: _____
Address: _____
Telephone: day _____ eve. _____
E-mail: _____
Professional Affiliation: _____
Prior Mediation/Training Experience: _____
Amount Enclosed: \$ _____ Payment by credit card: _____ MC _____ Visa _____
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