

Theory & Techniques for the Advocate and Mediator

October 21-November 6, 2024

TRAINING AGENDA

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21 DAY 1. (GENERAL) 5.5 HOURS

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| 9:00 – 9:30 a.m. | Welcome & Introductions: What to Expect in A
Mediation Training
Judge Karen Thomas, Rtd. |
| 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. | Mediation Basic Concepts, Introduction to Conflict: Conflict
Theories and Styles – Professor Lou Manchise |
| 10:30 - 10:45 a.m. | Break |
| 10:45 -11:45 a.m. | Live Simulated Mediation (civil case) -
Judge Annie Haynie, Rtd. |
| 11:45 - 12:15 p.m. | Break |
| 12:15 – 1:15 p.m. | Introduction to Mediation and Mediation Models –
Professor Lou Manchise |
| 1:15 to 2:15 p.m. | Simulation with Feedback – Lou Manchise |
| 2:15 – 2:30 p.m. | Break |
| 2:30 – 3:00 p.m. | Mediation Rules in Kentucky and Ohio – Professor Kathy
Carnes |
| 3:00 – 3:30 p.m. | Feedback, Questions, and reflection on today’s
sessions. |

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22
DAY 2 (GENERAL) 3.5 HOURS

12:30 – 1:30. p.m.	Implicit Bias in Conflict Situations – Pastor Edward Palmer
1:30 - 1:45 p.m.	Break
1:45 - 2:45 p.m.	Implicit Bias in Family Mediation – Pastor Edward Palmer
2:45 - 3:00 p.m.	Break
3:00 - 4:30 p.m.	Simulation & Feedback – Implicit Bias Issues - Pastor Edward Palmer and Judge Karen Thomas, Rtd.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23
DAY 3 (5.5 HOURS – INCLUDES 1.5 HOURS OF FAMILY)

9:00 - 10:30 a.m.	Beginning Steps - Opening Statements in Mediations - Professor Amy Holbrook
10:30 - 10:45 a.m.	Break
10:45 -11:45 a.m.	Simulations – Civil case - Professor Amy Holbrook
11:45 - 12:15 p.m.	Break
12:15 - 1:45 p.m.	BRATNA and Other Mediation Concepts- Professor Amy Holbrook
1:45 - 2:00 p.m.	Break
2:00 - 3:30 p.m.	Simulations. – Family case – Professor Amy Holbrook

MONDAY, OCTOBER 28
DAY 4 (FAMILY) – 5.5 HOURS

9:00 - 10:30 a.m.	Insight From Three Judges: A Wish List for Family Mediation by Judge William Leech, District Judge 23 rd Judicial District and Family Mediation from a New
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Mediator's Perspective - Judge John McCarty, Rtd. and Judge Diane Wheeler, Rtd.

- 10:30 - 10:45 a.m. Break
- 10:45 -11:45 a.m. Introduction to Family Mediation - Laurie Dowell, Esq.
- 11:45 - 12:15 p.m. Break
- 12:15 - 1:45 p.m. Ethics and Mediation Role of the Mediator in Ethical Situations: Neutrality, Confidentiality, and Conflicts of Interests (1.5 ethics/professional conduct CLE) - John Gray
- 1:45 - 2:00 p.m. Break
- 2:00 – 3:30 p.m. Simulation Ethics and Family Mediation Exercise: Ethical Principles Hypothetical Questions (1.5 ethics/professional conduct CLE) - John Gray

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30
DAY 5 (FAMILY 5.5 HOURS)

- 9:00 - 10:30 a.m. Communicating Through Conflict: Getting to Yes Interest of the Parties: Difficult Conversations – Professor Andrea Lambert -
- 10:30 - 10:45 a.m. Break
- 10:45 -11:45 a.m. Communications Exercise – Professor Andrea Lambert
- 11:45 - 12:15 p.m. Break
- 12:15 - 1:45 p.m. Simulation - Conflict and Communication Issues – Professor Kathy Carnes and Judge Karen Thomas, Rtd.
- 1:45 - 2:00 p.m. Break
- 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. Power Imbalance: Abuse, Threats, Aggressive Behavior Dealing with Difficult Behaviors and High Emotion -

Professor Andrea Lambert

3:00 to 3:30 p.m. Feedback, Questions, and reflection on today's sessions - Professor Andrea Lambert and Judge Karen Thomas, Rtd.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1
DAY 6 (FAMILY) 5.5 HOURS

9:00 - 10:30 a.m. ABC's Of Family Law - Timesharing, Custody, and Visitation issues - Judge Lucinda Masterton

10:30 - 10:45 a.m. Break

10:45 -11:45 a.m. Simulation Family Mediation – Judge Lucinda Masterton

11:45 - 12:15 p.m. Break

12:15 - 1:45 p.m. Relocation, Division of Property & Debt and Child support- Judge Lucinda Masterton

1:45 - 2:00 p.m. Break

2:00 - 3:30 p.m. Simulation Continued & Feedback – Family Mediation - Judge Lucinda Masterton

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4
DAY 7 (FAMILY) 5.5 HOURS

9:00 - 10:30 a.m. 10 Things to Remember When Mediating Family Law Cases - Keith Gambrell, Esq.

10:30 - 10:45 a.m. Break

10:45 -11:45 a.m. Simulation - Family Court Case – Keith Gambrell, Esq.

11:45 - 12:15 p.m. Break

12:15 - 1:45 p.m. Family Mediation Financial Issues - James Kruer, Esq.

1:45 - 2:00 p.m. Break

2:00 - 3:30 p.m. Simulation and feedback – Family Court Case – James Kruer, Esq.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6
DAY 8 (GENERAL) 3.5 HOURS

9:00 - 10:45 a.m. Felony Mediation Basics - Judge Anthony Frohlich

10:45 – 11:00 a.m. Break

11:00 -12:15 p.m. Simulation – Criminal case – Judge Anthony Frohlich

12:15 - 12:45 p.m. Wrap up, feedback, and Certification – Professor Kathy Carnes and Judge Karen Thomas, Rtd.