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| **40-HOUR BASIC MEDIATION WORKSHOP**  **Mediation Matters**[**www.mediationmatters.com**](https://gcc01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.mcdr.org%2FEmailTracker%2FLinkTracker.ashx%3FlinkAndRecipientCode%3DZcJTcyz0SD9qs1IVnIl0u5D01MHMvo2PvR9If1FUn1N6Fjf6BERBaiEqg5j8Y0KCat%252bjKG%252b3uK36aFq3WM4320quSj75sUEnqOQaGtX3fi8%253d&data=02%7C01%7Cmacro%40mdcourts.gov%7C82546c382736451583a008d7a97d53db%7C2be0e635355c4ebda05f937800f269e9%7C1%7C0%7C637164228054029733&sdata=EpNdJt%2BJRtCuXqAvRvZkbaStBFA9mA0isRTYlEX9ckY%3D&reserved=0)  **March 5 - 9**  **Rockville,  MD.**  **What does this workshop  include?**  This 40-hour interactive training offers participants a clear framework and hands-on training to enable participants to work effectively with parties involved in disputes who need help.  Using **a six-stage model** for structuring the mediation process, the workshop employs a wide range of formats including role play, discussions, simulations, and story.  Included are components on -the core paradigms when dealing with conflict -the emotional process of divorce and its interface with mediation -styles of mediation & identifying yours -screening for domestic violence -mediation and the  law: their relationship -confidentiality & its limits -using caucus: should you? how? -the added value of co-mediating -mediator ethics: the codes that apply to you -starting your practice & marketing  -writing competent memoranda; avoiding UPL  -certification and much more.   A distinctive feature of this training is **extensive use of videotapes**, including tapes of actual mediations. **Small group role-playing** sessions allow participants to practice the skills of mediation with one-on-one feedback from an experienced mediator/coach. Each participant will receive **a 400-page Manual** and **the forms we use  with clients.**  ***“Exceeded my expectations; the best money I’ve ever spent on an educational program. I wish I’d taken (it) earlier in my career…Trainers care about your development…Highly recommended!”***  **Aaron Fray, attorney, Newark, Delaware**  **Does this course qualify me to be a mediator?**  This training has been approved by the Association for Conflict Resolution (ACR), the national professional association in this field, as a 40-hour comprehensive mediation program. This program fulfills the training requirements for Practitioner Member status of ACR, as well as the Practitioner Mediator Member status of the Academy of Professional Family Mediators (APFM).  It also meets the 40-hour requirement for basic mediation training under Rule**17 of the Court of Appeals** in Maryland for those wishing to qualify as court mediators.  The workshop is also approved for **Category 1 SW CEUs for Maryland social workers and for Category A CEUs by the Maryland Board of Professional Counselors and Therapists.**    **Who are the faculty for  the course?**  **Carl D. Schneider, Ph.D.**Over the past thirty-six years, Carl has trained several thousand family mediators. The Director of Mediation Matters in Rockville, Maryland, Carl is a licensed clinical Marriage and Family Therapist (Maryland), a Certified Mediator with the Maryland Council on Dispute Resolution (MCDR), and with the Supreme Court of Virginia, an Advanced Practitioner Member of the Association for Conflict Resolution (ACR), and an Advanced Mediator Member of the Academy of Professional Family Mediators (APFM). He is also one of four mediators in Maryland certified by the International Mediation Institute (IMI).  Carl has been on the Board of Directors of the national Academy of Family Mediators, a licensed clinical psychologist (IL.), and has served on the editorial board of Mediation Quarterly. He holds his Ph.D. from Harvard University.    ***“Carl is an excellent instructor with a wealth of knowledge.”***  **Anne Marie Jackson, attorney, Bethesda**  **Audrey M. Yowell, Ph.D., M.S.S.S.** Audrey co-mediates and coaches for workshops with Mediation Matters. She brings to mediation her passion for working with children and families. She has worked in Head Start and in treatment settings for adolescents. Audrey has trained for government and private organizations, including as Vice-President of the Technical Assistance and Training Corporation. She has served as Field Instructor for graduate schools of social work. A member of the Maryland Council for Dispute Resolution (MCDR) and the Academy of Professional Family Mediators (APFM), Audrey received her M.S.S.S. from the Boston University School of Social Work, and her Ph.D. from the Heller School, Brandeis University.  **Coaches:** Experienced mediator coaches will give hands-on individual feedback in small group role plays.    ***“…very apparent Carl cares deeply about the field of mediation, his clients, and helping new colleagues be successful in       mediation.”***  **Dr. Emily Cook, licensed clinical marriage & family therapist, Bethesda**   **Cost:**  Early registration total cost is $1385.  Registration fee is $175.    For more information**, please contact**[**carl@mediationmatters.com**](mailto:carl@mediationmatters.com)**, call 301/581-0330,  and visit**[**www.mediationmatters.com**](https://gcc01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=http%3A%2F%2Fwww.mcdr.org%2FEmailTracker%2FLinkTracker.ashx%3FlinkAndRecipientCode%3DZcJTcyz0SD9qs1IVnIl0u5D01MHMvo2PvR9If1FUn1N6Fjf6BERBaiEqg5j8Y0KCat%252bjKG%252b3uK36aFq3WM4320quSj75sUEnqOQaGtX3fi8%253d&data=02%7C01%7Cmacro%40mdcourts.gov%7C82546c382736451583a008d7a97d53db%7C2be0e635355c4ebda05f937800f269e9%7C1%7C0%7C637164228054039695&sdata=zDSkgScKxKHrxHO3Cj6glol4Jyks3eb9nYK025R0avE%3D&reserved=0)**. \_**    ***“Far exceeded my expectations! It was a wonderful, comprehensive introduction to everything I wanted                 to know….The teaching abilities of Carl & Audrey (were) amazing.”***  **J.J. Rauf,  attorney, Rockville** |

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