



RIVERDALE MEDIATION

BASIC FAMILY NEGOTIATION AND MEDIATION (40 HOURS)

TORONTO: May 3, 4, 7, 8, & 9, 2012

Hilary Linton and Dr. Barbara Fidler and guest speakers T.B.A

A comprehensive five-day workshop designed for family and collaborative lawyers, mental health professionals, paralegals and educators. Features a panel of esteemed experts in the field. Approved by the OAFM and ADRIO for accreditation purposes.

Through lectures, group discussion, video demonstrations, guest speakers, readings, role plays using professional actors and one-on-one coaching, you will learn:

- Conflict and negotiation theory
- Strategies and skills for persuasive negotiation
- Skills for effective mediation
- Different approaches to mediation
- Impact of domestic violence and emotional abuse
- Addressing imbalances
- Understanding cultural differences in negotiation
- Impact of conflict on children
- Effective parenting plans: strategies for moderate + high conflict families
- Drafting settlement documents
- Ethical and liability concerns
- How to become accredited or certified
- Important legal cases
- Building and maintaining your practice

***PRE-REQUISITE: Power Imbalances in Family Law Cases; family law experience or Basic Family Law (30 hours)**



This program has been accredited by the Law Society for 5 Professionalism Hours for experienced members.

WHERE: Centre for Social Innovation
215 Spadina Avenue East Suite 400
Toronto, ON

COST: \$2250 plus HST (\$2542.50)

REGISTRATION POLICY: Registration closes **April 26th, 2012**. Any registrations made and accepted after this date are non-refundable. Full payment of fees is due before registrations are accepted. Refunds of the registration fee less an administrative fee of 15% plus HST will be provided for cancellations made before April 26th, 2012. You must have already taken the **2 day screening for power imbalances course** as well as have **family law experience or training** in order to take this course.

WHAT PAST PARTICIPANTS SAID:

"I would highly recommend this course to professionals...lawyers, social workers, mental health professionals "

"Extraordinary course – thought provoking, thorough, highly organized."

"Will definitely continue and become accredited in mediation. Thank you for the high level of expertise and wisdom."

For more information and to register, please visit:

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