



What's New

Our president Hilary Linton has been named the 2014 recipient of the **OBA Award for Excellence in ADR**. The Award dinner and reception will be taking place on September 30th. Tickets are available on the **OBA website**.

Associates Elizabeth Hyde and Christine Kim will be speaking at the **APFM conference** in San Diego, October 16-19. For details and the conference brochure, click <u>here</u>.

Hilary will be crossing the Atlantic twice this fall: first to **England** to speak at the **Dispute Resolution Conference** and **Ireland** to train mediators, and then to **Sweden** for **Gothenburg's Mediation Day**.

Both Hilary and Elizabeth are co-chairs of the Inaugural Walsh Family Law Negotiation Competition, taking place March 14, 2015. They are working with a great group of family law judges and lawyers to organize this competition for law students. Sponsors are needed: Please contact Hilary Linton, Elizabeth Hyde, or Tami Moscoe for more information.

Upcoming Courses

 Screening for Family Violence, Abuse, and Power Imbalances:

October 7-9

 Advanced Family Mediation & Negotiation: Theory & Skills: November 5-7

Register online

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From Our Blog

New Student Start-Up
Addresses Access to
Legal Information

The Role of Lawyers in
"The Perfect Mediation"

In San Diego this
October: The Riverdale
Mediation Team!

6-Part Workshop Series

Best Practices for Family Lawyers, Mediators, Paralegals, Parenting Coordinators, and Arbitrators

Oct. 23 - 4:00-6:30:
Part I: Update on Best
Practices for Screening
Interviews

Nov. 19 - 4:00-6:30:
Part II: Best Practices for
Managing Power Imbalances
in Mediation

Click <u>here</u> for details and the rest of the series.