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Mediation for Lawyers – Part B – Family Law

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FEE (INCL GST)

- \$2100 – NZLS members and NZLS Associate members
 \$2300 – Non-members
 \$105 – I need a copy of the text *Mediation: Principles, Process and Practice*

Total amount due: \$

PAYMENT

- I attach a cheque made payable to the NZLS CLE Ltd
 Please debit my credit card account
- Mastercard Visa Amex

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REGISTRATION INQUIRIES: Freephone 0800-333-111

CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY

- Please Note: minimum and maximum numbers apply.
- Registrations will be accepted on a first-come/first-served basis.
- Registrations close 20 working days before the presentation date (the closing date).
- NZLS CLE reserves the right to cancel any session that does not reach the budgeted minimum number of registrations. This decision will be made on the closing date and a full refund will be made to each registrant of the cancelled session on return of materials in an "as new" condition.
- If you cancel your registration before the closing date, a refund will be made, less a \$150 administration fee. After the closing date, unless we can replace you with another registrant, there will be no refund. If you are replaced there is a cost of \$250.

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The information requested on this registration form is for NZLS and the sponsors only.

- I do not wish the sponsors to receive my name and contact details..

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WORKSHOP

Mediation for Lawyers – Part B – Family Law

2012

- For lawyers who have completed Mediation for Lawyers - Part A (or who have been exempted that) and wish to:
 - become a private family mediator and/or
 - comply with one of the requirements to be on the NZLS/FLS panel of Family Law Mediators and apply to be an EIP mediator
- Places are limited

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Mediation for Lawyers – Part B – Family Law

Mediation as an alternative to litigation is something that clients are increasingly looking for. It is also a good practice development option.

We are offering a specialist family law mediation course for those who wish to practise in this arena. While many mediation skills are fully transferable there are also special features of family mediation that need to be understood and catered for.

This workshop builds on the very well received NZLS CLE workshop Mediation for Lawyers – Part A. That course educated participants about what the significant differences are between being a lawyer and a mediator. It provided opportunities to understand the process of mediation and to learn to think like a mediator – not a lawyer. There was some opportunity to practise skills.

This workshop provides further opportunity to observe a family mediation and to dissect it, and to practise mediation skills – particularly as they relate to family cases involving children. Finally participants will be involved in a moderated assessment exercise – where they will go on learning but also where, in one instance, they will be the mediator whose performance is being assessed. The assessment is carried out by an experienced family mediator and involves feedback on the day and a written report.

FORMAT

This workshop commences on the Friday evening and continues on Saturday and Sunday. For the first two days a range of techniques will be used to demonstrate, discuss and to practise skills for family mediations. The Sunday will be almost entirely taken up with assessment exercises.

Pre-course reading is required of all participants. The reading will be in your folder of materials. If you have been exempt Part A then you will have the course text to read as well as the course materials in your folder. Because of the format and particularly the assessment (where there is an assessor to participant ratio of one to three) **places are strictly limited.**

COURSE MATERIALS

All participants need to be thoroughly conversant with the text *Mediation: Principles, Process and Practice* – Boule, Goldblatt and Green. (2nd ed, 2008). Before the workshop you will be sent the course materials folder which will contain detailed information on the programme and readings that you need to review before the workshop.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Please note the cancellation and refund policy on the other side of the brochure. A transfer request is treated as a cancellation.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This course is for lawyers who have attended the NZLS CLE Mediation for Lawyers – Part A (or who have been exempted that) and who:

- wish to practise as private family mediators and/or,
- wish to apply for places on the MOJ's EIP mediator/Counsel to Assist list.

FEE (INCL GST)

The member fee for the two and a part days' workshop is \$2100. This includes GST, welcoming drinks on the first night and lunch, morning and afternoon teas as well as the folder of materials and the workshop itself.

For those needing the course text (refer above to course materials), one will be sent when you register if you have ticked the box on the registration form.

TIMING

Day One – 6.30 pm – 9.00 pm Day Two – 9.00 am – 5.00 pm

Day Three – 8.00 am – 5.00 pm

PRESENTERS



VIRGINIA GOLDBLATT

Virginia is the Director of the Dispute Resolution Centre at Massey University. She is a Fellow of the Arbitrators' and Mediators' Institute of New Zealand (AMINZ) and has been a practising mediator since 1994. Virginia specialises in the relationship aspects of dispute resolution especially in the areas of employment, management and governance. She has presented regularly at academic and professional conferences in New Zealand and internationally, including Australia, Singapore and the United States.



DENISE EVANS

Denise has practised law for over twenty years, primarily in family and employment law. She was an associate and later a partner in a firm from 1993 to 1998 and then established her own practice in Porirua employing twelve staff until 2006. She is now a sole practitioner operating from Mana, Porirua. Denise completed a post graduate Diploma through Massey University in alternative dispute resolution, has completed a master class in transformative mediation and is recently graduated with a Masters degree in dispute resolution. She currently practices as a mediator in addition to maintaining her interest in employment law and family matters.