

Valuable Strategies for Mediating Multi-Party Disputes

Alternative Dispute Resolution and Construction & Infrastructure Law Sections



In-Person



Webcast

Date: Tuesday, October 30, 2018 | 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Location: Twenty Toronto Street Conferences and Events
20 Toronto Street, 2nd Floor, Toronto

Program Chairs: **Megan Keenberg**, Van Kralingen & Keenberg LLP
David Outerbridge, Torsys LLP



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Dealing with multiple parties around the mediation table can create unique challenges and hurdles for both mediators and counsel. With the commonality of multi-party disputes, particularly in the areas of commercial and estates litigation, restructuring, construction, insurance and personal injury law, it is essential to consider and implement the mediation strategies that are most effective for resolving these difficult cases.

Take your expertise to the next level with this unique program as you gather essential guidance on how to excel at mediation of multi-party disputes. Our expert faculty will provide the insights you need to navigate this unique mediation setting with confidence. Register now to secure your spot!

8:30 am Registration and Coffee

9:00 am Welcome and Opening Remarks

9:10 am **Counsel Perspectives: How to Best Represent Your Clients**

John Burnes, Brown & Burnes

Carol Craig, Nelligan O'Brien Payne LLP

Lisa Munro, Lerner LLP

Sharon Vogel, Singleton Urquhart Reynolds Vogel LLP

Moderator: David Outerbridge, Torsys LLP

- Essential preparation advice
- Creating your strategy: how to approach multi-party disputes
- When should you look to create a coalition with other parties?
- Dealing with the uncooperative co-defendant
- Understanding the insurer's perspective

10:20 am Networking Break

10:35 am **Critical Advice for Mediators Navigating Multi-Party Disputes**

The Honourable Douglas Cunningham, Arbitration Place

Jennifer Egsgard, Egsgard Mediation & Sills Egsgard LLP

Stanley Naftolin, Q.C., Goldman, Sloan, Nash, Haber LLP

Linda Rothstein, Paliare Roland Rosenberg Rothstein LLP

Moderator: Megan Keenberg, Van Kralingen & Keenberg LLP

- Where to begin: strategic sequencing
- Coalition formation, dissolution and management
- How to use partial settlements to move towards resolution
- Helpful tools and approaches for overcoming impasse
- How to handle a party who resists participating
- Dealing with insurance coverage issues

11:45am Questions and Concluding Remarks

12:00pm Program Concludes

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