



THE SUPREME COURT of OHIO  
DISPUTE RESOLUTION SECTION

## Specialized Family/Divorce Mediation

*Co-sponsored by: Summit County Juvenile Court*

### Course Dates & Time

October 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 2013

8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Registration begins at 8:00 a.m.

### Location

Summit County Juvenile Court  
650 Dan Street  
Akron, Ohio 44310

### Register

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### Credit Hours

Approval has been requested for 40.0 CLE credit hours.

### Certificate of Completion

You must attend the ENTIRE training in order to receive this certificate.

### Cancellation

If you cannot attend, please notify us by **September 27**.

**Course Description.** This training is an advanced training that will cover all aspects of family law mediation. Upon completion of the training, participants will be able to analyze the conflict dynamics in a family conflict in terms of relationship issues, data problems, values, disputes, structural constraints; demonstrate active listening skills to determine interests and reframe disputants' statements in order to facilitate effective problem-solving; describe the needs of children and the unique needs of divorcing and separating parents in helping the parents create a parenting plan; manage difficult situations in family law mediation such as impasse, emotional clients, and angry clients; draft a Memorandum of Understanding which is clear, comprehensive and coherent and reflects the agreements of the parties; and explain the relevant Ohio law and rules associated with mediating family law cases including allocation of parental functions and responsibilities, child support, spousal support, and the financial aspects of settlement. Additionally, the course provides skills based training relevant to mediating in other family contexts such as in child protection, truancy, and guardianship cases.

**\*\*\*Pre-requisites: 1) Basic Mediation Training (minimum 12 hours) AND 2) Uniform Mediation Act Training (minimum of 2 hours). A form requesting proof of attendance will be emailed on or by September 30. It must be signed and returned for your registration to be complete.**

#### Faculty:

**Magistrate Richard L. Altman**, Henry/Fulton County Common Pleas Court  
**Cathleen E. Kuhl**, Ret., Director Hamilton County Municipal Court Private Complaint Mediation Service  
**Anna Tyrrell**, Anna Tyrrell & Associates

#### Who Should Attend

Professionals working with local court dispute resolution services.

To view the Dispute Resolution Section homepage for course calendars and additional information, please visit:

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QUESTIONS? Contact Dispute Resolution staff at 614.387.9420.

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