

The Minnesota Association of Custody Resolution Specialists presents...

Fourteenth Annual Advanced Topics in Dispute Resolution:

**Advanced Mediation Training w/
Zena D. Zumeta**

October 29, 2010

Continuing Education and Conference Center, St. Paul

Purpose and course content: This interactive, multi-dimensional workshop is specifically designed for practitioners to hone their skills and deepen their understanding of mediation and conflict resolution. The Agenda will focus on three advanced topics: 1. Violence without Hands, screening for and the ramifications of non-physical abuse for mediation; 2. Framing Issues in Mediation, differentiating between framing and re-framing and how the “pros” frame issues; and 3. Tough Moments in Mediation, addressing issues of power imbalance, managing third parties and attorneys and dealing with tough ethical dilemmas. Please feel free to send in your dilemmas for the Tough Moments presentation.

Presenter: As an internationally known mediator and trainer of mediators, Zena D. Zumeta, is president of the Mediation Training & Consultation Institute, Zena Zumeta Mediation Services and The Collaborative Workplace in Ann Arbor, Michigan. She received her Juris Doctor from the University of Michigan Law School and is a former board member and president of the Academy of Family Mediators. Ms Zumeta has extensive experience as a trainer, mediator, facilitator and consultant; providing mediation services since 1981. She is the recipient of the the Family Mediation Council-Michigan Lifetime Achievement in Mediation Award; the National Education Association/Saturn Corporation Award for Union-Management Collaboration; the John Haynes Distinguished Mediator Award from ACR; and the Kumba Award from the National Conference on Minorities in ADR.

Who should attend? Mediators, parenting time expeditors/consultants, guardians *ad Litem*, psychologists, social workers, attorneys and others interested in child custody, visitation and parenting plan issues. **Space is limited and MACRS reserves the right to limit registration to professionals working in the field.**

Program: Registration: 8:00 - 8:30am

Presentation: 8:30am – 4: 00pm Zena D. Zumeta, J.D.

Certification: 6 hours of ADR-Rule 114 credit through the MN Supreme Court’s Office of Continuing Education, 6 hours of CEU’s for Social Workers and 6 hours of CLE’s for attorneys.

Location: The program will be held at the Continuing Education and Conference Center between the University of Minnesota’s St. Paul campus and the State Fairgrounds. Directions are on the reverse of this brochure. You can obtain detailed directions and a map from Mapquest or <www.cce.umn.edu/ebc/>.

Cost: Fees are \$75.00 per person, including all materials, lunch and breaks, plus a 2011 MACRS membership. Registration and payment must be received by October 25, 2010. FYI – the University charges for parking: \$5.00 (across Randall Street) or \$6.00 (adjacent to the Conference Center).

Information: contact Carol Breimhorst at 507-332-5972; cbreimhorst@co.rice.mn.us or our website at www.macronline.org.

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