



SJCon24

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Cape Town

SOCIAL JUSTICE ADR CONFERENCE

IN COLLABORATION WITH UCT FACULTY OF LAW
DEPARTMENT COMMERCIAL LAW

CONFERENCE PROGRAMME



Mediation Goes Mainstream

Overview

Join us for a transformative two-day event at the Social Justice ADR Conference, held in collaboration with the UCT Faculty of Law, Department of Commercial Law. This conference is a unique opportunity to learn from leading experts in the field of alternative dispute resolution (ADR) and explore its applications in various sectors. Seats are limited, so book today!

Day 1: Main Conference Sessions

Prof. Danwood Chirwa, *Dean, Faculty of Law, UCT*

Opening Speaker: Mediation goes mainstream

Adv. Paul Pretorius SC

Keynote Speaker: Mediation - Getting back to basics

Dr. Lynette Roux, *Board member of ADRP-SA*

Topic: Promoting ADR as a profession: progress made by ADRP-SA

Adv. Shireen Ebrahim, *Principal Family Advocate Western Cape*

Topic: Child focused ness in ADR

Adv. Alan Nelson SC, *Founder Mediation in Motion*

Topic: Transforming the way in which conflict is dealt with

Ms. Queen Munyai, *CEO at Consumer Goods & Services Ombud*

Topic: Accomplishments & difficulties in regard to consumer rights

Mr. Vusumzi Land, *Senior Commissioner CCMA*

Topic: Mediation as a labour dispute resolution mechanism from the CCMA perspective

Mr. John O'Leary, *Author & Mediator*

Topic: Some resources and techniques for mediating religious disputes

Mr. Anda Makrwede, *National Credit Regulator*

Topic: Regulators as alternative dispute resolution agents: the National Credit Regulator's complaints resolution mandate

Ms. Marion Shaer, *Conflict Dynamics, ADR Specialist*

Topic: Where to now for civil and commercial mediation in SA?

Day 2: Masterclasses

Room 1 - Family Mediation

Ms. Carien Zeeman High conflict divorces: Reasons why some parents have continuous conflict

Ms. Natalie Ruiters Can domestic violence cases be mediated?

Mr. Laurie Greyvenstein How to mediate maintenance disputes: The 10-step formula

Adv. Rudie Cronje Exploring the Spectrum of Family Dispute Resolution Mechanisms

Ms. Anneke Greyvenstein Benefits of the Co-parent App

Mr. Mervyn Vermeulen The judicial lense: Recent judgments discussing mediation and ADR

Room 2 - Civil / Commercial

Mr. William Thompson Mediation as a mechanism to advance social justice, labour peace & workplace democracy

Ms. Queen Munyai Consumer Goods and Services Ombud

Adv Alan Nelson Facilitative mediation to be the mainstream mechanism for the resolution of conflict

George Warrington Workplace dispute resolution

Ms. Nashira Abrahams The UCT ombud - moving beyond dispute and conflict resolution towards dispute and conflict transformation

Adv. Michelle Posemann The strategic use of mediation in labour disputes – time for a multi-tiered approach

Room 3 - Restorative Justice

Ms. Monique Carels Mediation and the Criminal Justice System

Adv Deon Ruiters Restorative justice

Ms. Monique Strydom Removing trauma from the body

Mr. Reggie Govender Restorative school discipline

Dr. Charles Flaendorp Post sentence restorative justice

Mr. Barend La Grange Restoring communities through dialogue

Room 4 - Miscellaneous ADR

Ms. Monique Carels ADR: Have we forgotten about negotiation?

Ms. Therèsa Luyt Court connected mediation - making connection while making a difference

Ps. Dereck Beukes The crucial dialogue across generations

Ms. Truida Prekel How to create a climate for collaborative problem-solving

Ms. Marina Short Credit Bureau dispute resolution

Ms. Lejeanne Smit The necessity of hearing the voice of the child

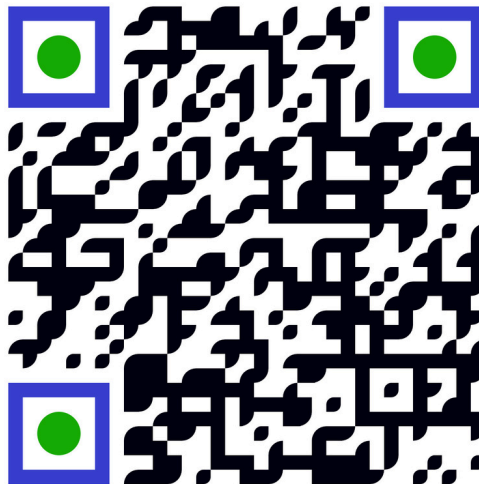
Schedule

- **Day 1:** 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM, followed by a cocktail networking event
- **Day 2:** Masterclass sessions from 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Registration

Scan the QR code to register today! Limited seats available. Follow the link

<https://forms.gle/GEpsFaV9weSbDNFQA>



Venue: UCT Campus, Cape Town & Online

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