

Dispute Resolution Forum 2017

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Bar Center – Nashville, Tenn.



Program Producer(s): Linda Warren Seely, *Director of Dispute Resolution Section at the American Bar Association*

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This year's program will focus on the changing landscape of mediation from live to digital. Speakers will address the implications of online dispute resolution technology and provide practical examples of this new technology in action. Another session will address how online dispute resolution can improve access to justice. Further sessions will cover the ethical issues arising out of online dispute resolution.

8 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.



Registration/Welcome/Breakfast/Introduction

8:30 a.m. – 8:45 a.m.

The Changing Landscape of Mediation from Live to Digital

Linda Warren Seely, *Director of Dispute Resolution Section at the American Bar Association*

8:45 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

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How Online Dispute Resolution Can Improve Access to Justice

Linda Warren Seely, *Director of Dispute Resolution Section at the American Bar Association*

Stephen L. Shields, *Jackson, Shields, Yeiser & Holt*

Jeffrey Aresty, *Internet Bar Organization*

9:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

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New Technology: The Technology to Implement Online Dispute Resolution

Colin Rule, *Chairman/COO at Modria, Inc.*

10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.



Break

10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.

Online Dispute Mediation in Action: Video

Colin Rule, *Chairman/COO at Modria, Inc.*

11:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.



Lunch (provided)

12:30 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.

A Mediators' Online Dispute Resolution Experience

Pat Vital, *Vital Law Office & Dispute Resolution Services*

1:15 p.m. – 1:45 p.m.
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Technology Tools for A Mediator's Practice

Larry Bridgesmith, *Vanderbilt Law School*

1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.
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Panel Discussion on the Use of New Technology

Larry Bridgesmith, *Vanderbilt Law School*

Linda Warren Seely, *Director of Dispute Resolution Section at the American Bar Association*

2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.



Break

2:45 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
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Ethical Issues Arising Out of Online Dispute Resolution

Larry Bridgesmith, *Vanderbilt Law School*

Linda Warren Seely, *Director of Dispute Resolution Section at the American Bar Association*

Jeffrey Aresty, *Internet Bar Organization*

3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
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Prying Open the Dome...Can I Snitch Now? (Ethics Session)

Joe Manuel, *Attorney at Law*