



PENNSYLVANIA COUNCIL OF MEDIATORS
(www.pamediation.org)
ANNUAL CONFERENCE - *EXPANDING MEDIATION PRACTICE*
April 24-25, 2015
The Harrisburg Hilton

REQUEST FOR WORKSHOP PROPOSALS

The Pennsylvania Council of Mediators invites you to submit workshop proposals for our annual conference in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. PCM is the only state organization for Pennsylvania mediators that brings together individuals and organizations sharing a common interest in mediation as the preferred form of dispute resolution. Our annual conference provides an opportunity for mediators to network with other mediators, learn new skills and enhance their mediation practice. We are particularly interested in workshops on building new skills in different specialty areas to expand mediation practice, enhancing program quality and skill development, exploring different models of mediation, and assessing outcomes. Our audience is a mixture of attorney-mediators, practitioners with training in social work and the behavioral sciences, volunteer community mediators, and others interested in dispute resolution. Presentations can be done in a variety of formats, including panels.

Workshop date: Saturday, April 25, 2015

Workshop sessions are 2 hours: 10:30 – 12:30 pm or 1:30 – 3:30 pm.

If your workshop is accepted we will need your bio, a timed agenda and copies of any handouts to offer CLE and Social Work CEU credits. (Note: the presenter does not have to be an attorney/social worker for the workshop to be eligible for CLE/CEU credits.)

Please go on our web-site www.pamediation.org/conferences.html to see a description of the conference and examples of past workshops.

SPEAKER TERMS & CONDITIONS:

Complimentary conference registration for the April 25th conference will be provided to the primary workshop presenter for each workshop. Please note that the Pre-conference on April 24th is a separate fee. Additional speakers/panel members will need to register at the PCM member rate if they also wish to attend the conference. The presenter(s) will receive CLE/CEUs for their own workshop at no cost; CLE/CEUs for other parts of the conference will be provided at the regular rate. PCM is unable to reimburse presenters for travel expenses.

Please complete the form below to submit your workshop proposal(s). Submissions must be made through this form and emailed, faxed or sent, as indicated on the bottom of the form. We encourage you to submit more than one proposal, in any area relevant to mediation.

Presenter(s) name and work/professional title for brochure description:

Address _____

Day phone _____ Eve phone _____ E-mail _____

Workshop title _____

Target audience or expected experience level i.e. advanced or introductory _____

Desired number of participants: Minimum _____ Maximum _____

Preferred workshop time: 10:30 am –12:30 pm 1:30–3:30 pm Either time slot

Workshop description, indicating content, goals and objectives (use extra sheet if necessary):

We appreciate your bringing your own equipment, when possible.

Equipment you need **PCM to supply** (must be requested in advance to ensure availability.)

Computer LCD Projector Speakers

Internet access Flip chart(s) number _____

Send proposals to: Barbara Foxman, 8205 Seminole Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19118
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Please submit by December 31, 2014.

Any questions, please contact Barbara.